#### DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

# LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

#### **MINUTES**

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: July 26, 2011 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

Stephen R. Somma, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control

Elisa Nahas, Legal Counsel

Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II

Douglas Deveny, Secretary

# <u>HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:</u>

- 1. **MASANOTTI, JENNIFER A. LIR.18113** Rivers Edge Bar & Grill, Derby, CT Remove from hearings; permit lapsed. 2010-800
- 2. **CARLUCCI, JASON LCA.6709** Dew Drop inn, Derby, CT Commission grants respondent's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2010-1429
- 3. **ARAUJO, FRANK LCA.7184** Metro Lounge, Ansonia, CT After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$2,250, of which 1 day and \$1,000 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 10/10/10. 2010-1227
- 4. **ADAMES, ANDREW J. LIR.14395** Senor Panchos, Southbury, CT After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 of which 1 day and \$250 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 6/3/10. 2010-805
- 5. **ZHU, JIN HUA LGB.14416** International Gift & Grocery, Bristol, CT After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day for incident of July 8, 2010. 2010-302

# 6. YERINIDES, JOHN - LCA.6870

Rhythm, Norwalk, CT

After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$500 for incident of 10/21/10. 2010-1464

#### 7. BELLAMY, JOYCE - LCA.6822

Pearl Lounge, New Haven, CT

After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 5 days and \$3,000 for incidents of 9/25/10, 10/14/10, 11/5/10, 1/28/11 and 3/11/11. 2010-1068, 2010-1423, 2010-1445, 2011-147

#### 8. **BAEZ, JOSE - LGB.13591**

Baez Mini Market, Hartford, CT

After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$500 for incident of 3/3/11. 2011-190

# 9. FORREST, MELODY A. - LIH.1646.B

Dolly Madison In, Madison, CT

After compliance meeting commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$2,000 for incident of 8/21/10. 2010-908

#### 10. **TOTH, AARON M. - LCA.6939**

Pleasant Moments Café, Bridgeport, CT

Commission rejects offer of \$13,000 and voluntary revocation upon issuance of new permit for incident of 11/21/10. 2010-810

## 11. RINALDI, LEONARDA - LCA.6890

Café Azzurri, Waterbury, CT

After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$375 for incident of 7/6/10. 2010-709

#### PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

12. ROLL, JUDITH P. – LIR.18337.P.CW

Tabouli Grill, Southport, CT

Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

#### 13. VELARDE, LEONARD – LIH.1785.P.CW.C

Stamford Plaza Hotel and Conference Center, Stamford, CT

Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

14. **PULLOPILLY, JOSE – LIR.18235.P.CW** Coromandel Restaurant, Southport, CT

Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

#### FINAL PERMITS:

# 15. STILLTHEONE DISTILLERY LLC – LSL.1339

Pelham, NY

Commission approved to issue final permit.

# 16. **CUTLER, JASON L. – LCA.7269**

Pulse, New Haven, CT

Assigned to hearing for remonstrance: 30-39(c). If permit is issued following remonstrance, final requirement is to receive publication notice, endorse ACB.

- 17. **PATEL, JAMANADAS LIP.14804.P.CW** Cork and Keg, Naugatuck, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of copy of CT sales and use tax permit.
- 18. **DEPENA, HENRY J. LGB.14654** Los Cubanitos Market, Hartford, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of seller's affidavit, cancel LGB.13225.
- 19. **TEFFT, STEVEN P. LCA.7289.P.CW** The Rotten Apple, Groton, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of sealed door leading to adjacent residence.
- 20. HERNANDEZ, THOMAS LGB.14624

Los Luceros Family Market, Stamford, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of bill of sale, seller's affidavit, cancel LGB.14151, publication notice.

- 21. **DESAI, MINESH LIP.14843.P.CW** Waldi's Discount Liquor, Ansonia, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice, 8x10 interior photos showing store open.
- 22. **HOOPER, JOHN N. LGB.14582**Assigned to hearing: 30-20(b).
- 23. **PATEL, URESH A. LIP.14826** Krystyna's Package Store, New Britain, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.
- 24. **SASS, JOHN F. LIP.14822** Sassy Liquors, Southington, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.

# 25. ANTHONY, MOGANAKKUMAR - LIR.18208.P.CW

Kokoro Asian Bistro, Greenwich, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice. NOTE: permit needs to be issued by 8/8/11. Endorse interior access.

#### 26. BORJA, ELVIA A. – LIR.18344.P.CW

Del Rio Mexican Restaurant, Thompson, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of staircase leading to upstairs rooms. Endorse patio.

### 27. TSAGARAKIS, THOMAS J. – LIR.18346.P.CW

Sea Horse Restaurant, Groton, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice.

28. CALDERON, JORGE A. – LCA.7288 Hartford Sports Page, Hartford, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.

#### 29. BIRKENSHAW, KATHLEEN A. – LIR.18362

Kathy's Playhouse Plaza, Somers, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of copy of stock certificates.

# 30. AINTABI, JASON – LIH.1782-C

Danbury Plaza Hotel & Conference Center, Danbury, CT Commission approved to issue final permit. OK to use stanchions as requested. Endorse 4 ACBs.

- 31. **SOTO, WASCAR LGB.14584.P** La Placita Meat Market, Bridgeport, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of copy of CT sales and use tax permit.
- 32. RACANELLI, NICHOLAS LCA.7284.P.CW Za Za, Stamford, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of copy of 8x10 photos of entire interior including labeled bathrooms, trade name, lockable storage and both patios. Endorse 2 patios.

### 33. CRUZ-ROSARIO, FRANCIS DE LA – LGB.14631

Del Rio Grocery, Hartford, CT Assigned to hearing: 30-20(b).

34. **HILTON, TAMMY – LIP.14815.P.CW** Brownstone Bottle Shop, Portland, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of copy of CT sales and use tax permit.

# 35. **LOPEZ, ISABLE – LGB.14651**

Farm Market, Waterbury, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of bill of sale, assignment of lease/landlord consent, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, publication notice, permit LGB.14400 for cancelation.

#### OTHER:

# 36. **SLOCUM & SONS – LIW.596**

North Haven, CT

Commission denied request to extend delivery days on July priced inventory.

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# 37. **G & G BEVERAGE DISTRIBUTOR – LIW.509** Yalesville, CT Commission denied request to extend delivery days on July priced inventory.

- 38. **MONTANA, MICHAEL LCA.6743** The Groggy Frogg, Southington, CT Commission approved to renew permit
- 39. **PATEL, KETAN LIP.14185** Turnpike Package Store, Windsor Locks, CT Commission approved to renew permit
- 40. **ESPOSITO, RONALD J.** Stop & Shop Supermarket, CT Commission received notice on July 20, 2011 of change in corporate officers as it relates to all Stop & Shop stores in CT.

Adjourned at 9:28 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy Director of Liquor Control dd