STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE:

Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE:

March 19, 2015 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

David Scribner, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT:

John Suchy, Director - Liquor Control

Elisa Nahas, Legal Director

Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney 1 Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II

Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst

PUBLIC PRESENT:

None

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

MCCLAVE, DAMIEN P. - LCA.7578

Castle Bar & Grill, Stamford

Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2015-126

DOLPH, JONATHAN D.-LIR.18797

New Haven's Taste of China, New Haven

Remove from hearings; obligation to Department of Labor resolved. 2014-1223

STETSON, TIMOTHY- LCA.7165

Blue Plate Café, Plainville

Remove from hearings; permit lapsed. 2014-879

HASSENMAYER, JAMES- LCA.6830

Orange Ale House Bar & Grille, Orange

After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 12/4/14. 2014-1182

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HETALBEN, DAVE-LIP.14964

One Stop Liquor Store, Manchester After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for

incident of 1/23/15. 2015-81

Olde Stratford Ale House, Stratford

BREINER, JOHN-LCA.5627 After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 7 days and \$1,500 for incident of 1/31/14. 2014-985

FORD, KEVIN-LCA.5243

Empire, New Haven

Commission rejects offer of 4 days and \$1,500 for incident of October 3-4, 2014. 2014-991, 2014-992

Acapulco's Mexican Family Restaurant, Enfield **HUERTA, RUBEN-LIR.17146** Commission rejects offer of 3 days and \$1,750, with \$250 held in abeyance, for incident of 1/9/15. 2015-51

LIN, REMIN-LIR.15746

Zhang's Restaurant, Mystic

Commission grants respondent an additional 2-week period to communicate with landlord. 2015-36

O'CONNOR, ROBERT- LCA.7500

O'Connor's Public House, New Milford

After compliance meeting, commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 6 days and \$1,500, of which 3 days and \$1,500 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incidents of 6/16/14, 6/22/14 and 8/3/14. 2014-697, 2014-698, 2014-878

CRIOLLO, PEDRO A. - LGB.14973

Maximo Deli & Grocery, Norwalk

After additional on-site inspection by agent and review of additional documents, commission grants final permit subject to the agent's final requirements. 2014-1022

PROVISIONAL PERMITS

NONE

FINAL PERMITS

SHARMA, VISHAL- LIH.1830-A

Nolita, East Hartford

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of completed publication notice, and 8"X10" photos of the completed interior of the premises, to include the barroom, dining room, banquet/meeting rooms, and ballroom. No endorsements.

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SHERMAN, ERIC VAUGHAN- LCA.7619

Black Bear, Hartford

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements. Endorse interior access (fire exit), patio, and one (1) additional consumer bar.

ZAGAZETA, MYRA- LCA.7680

Scarlet's Café, New Milford

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.

ADHIKARI, SARAWATI- LIR.19171

Namaste India, Southington

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements. Endorse service bar. only.

KAPOOR, SUNIL-LIH.1849-C

Clarion Hotel Suites, Hamden

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of the publication notice. Endorse service bar only.

LAPLANTE, BRANDON C.- LCA.7670

Steel Lounge, Waterbury

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of the publication notice. Endorse patio and endorse one (1) additional consumer bar.

JOHNSON, MICHAEL L.- LIP.15250

Black Bear Wine & Spirits, Westport

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.

DREJER, TOMASZ W.- LMP.14

Outer Light Brewing Company, Groton

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of the publication notice, 8"X10" photos of the interior of the premises, including the tasting/barroom, lockable storage and manufacturing room, and 8"X10" photo of the exterior of the premises to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway. No endorsements.

URSINI, MICHAEL- LIR.19105

Grimaldi's Pizza Woodbridge, Woodbridge

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of 8"X10" photos of the interior of the premises to include the dining room and the barroom, and one 8"X10" photo of the exterior of the premises to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway. No endorsements.

RODRIGUEZ, MANUEL V.- LMP.12

Stony Creek Brewery, Branford

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements. Endorse extension of use (patio) and one (1) additional consumer bar.

UDDIN, KAMAL- LGB.15022

Fist Market, Bridgeport

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.

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HERMAN, JR., RONALD J.- LRW.5162.P-CW Wooster Hollow Diner and Deli, Ridgefield Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. Endorse service bar only, patio, and interior access.

ABDOUDUHUN, MOHAMMAD- LGB.15038

Mike's Deli Market, Bridgeport e following requirements are

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when the following requirements are met: amend spelling of backer name in section C of the liquor permit application and final publication notice.

NINIVAGGI, ANTONIO- LIR.19190.P-CW

Osianna, Fairfield

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of the publication notice. Endorse service bar only and patio.

VILLEGAS, DENISE- LIP.15192.P-CW

Broad Package Store, Hartford

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of the completed publication notice.

DIFULVIO, CAMILLO- LCL.637

Abruzzi Imports, Bridgeport

Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS

CICCONE, JOSEPH P.- LIR.19038.P-CW

Brunello Pizza Bar, Branford

Commission approves request to extend provisional liquor permit.

OTHER

LEBLANC, JOHN C.- LIC.2122

Wheeler-Young Post #201 VFW, Waterbury

Commission approves request for removal to 2205 Baldwin Street, Waterbury. Requirements are publication notice, 8"X10" photos of the entire interior of the premises and 8"X10" photo of exterior of the premises taken from directly across the street or highway of the premises.

BARABRITO, PHILLIP G.- LIR.16459

Assagio, Branford

Commission approves the transfer of interest which results in Phillip Barabrito selling his 100% ownership interest to Ryan N. Durant, who will now be the 100% owner. In addition, the Commission approves Ryan Durant as the substitute permittee.

MOYLAN, MICHAEL F.- LUW.32

Reds (Sacred Heart University), Fairfield

Commission approves the extension of use and one (1) additional consumer bar for April 17, 2015.

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O'BRASKY, THOMAS H.- LCA.7093

Stella Blues, New Haven

Commission approves request allowing the records and invoices to be kept off-premises at 85 Church Street, New Haven.

YOTHER, LAWRENCE R.- LIC.2102

Burlington Men's Club, Burlington

Commission approves guest book waiver request for August 29, 2015.

FEDLER, JUSTIN K.- LIC.2049 Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks Lodge 35, Meriden Commission approves guest book waiver request for March 24, 2015.

Adjourned at 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy

Director of Liquor Control

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