STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE:

Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE:

June 25, 2015 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT:

John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control

Elisa Nahas, Legal Director and Commissioner's Designee

Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist

Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst

PUBLIC PRESENT:

None

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

HAZEN, MIKE-LIR.18761

Briq, New Haven

Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2015-562

DESAI, MINESH- LIP.15068

Morrissey's Package Store, West Haven

Remove from hearings; issue with Department of Labor resolved. 2015-552

ALMONTE DIAZ, EILEEN MARIEL-LGB.14969

DR Deli Grocery, Stratford

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 4/18/15. 2015-529

GORLO, KEITH- LIP.14158

Captain's Keg, Stratford

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 4/18/15. 2015-500

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DEANGELIS, MATTHEW A. - LIP.13843 Yankee Discount Wine & Spirit, Newtown 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 8/29/14. 2014-924

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

ANDERSON, WILLIAM- LBA.218 Dolrbill's Bowling and Family Entertainment Center, New Milford Commission approves the issuance of a provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, cancelation of permit LBA.202, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of the lease or right to occupy, or executed assignment of the lease in the name of the backer entity LLC, and copy of Ct sales and use tax permit. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

QUEZADA, CLAUDIO- LRW.5186

LaCabana Restaurant, New Haven Commission takes no action on request for provisional permit. File assigned to agent. Section F

of the application needs to be completed and agent is to determine that applicant or backer does not have an ownership interest in any other permits that would disqualify him from obtaining this type of permit.

GREEN, ERNESTINE TERESA- LCA.7734

Red Room Grille, Meriden

Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit LCA-6767, seller's affidavit, and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit to the premises while it operates with a provisional permit.

SCHECHTER, CARRIN M. - LIR.19286

Café Noir Stamford, Stamford

Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional and executed copy of lease or right to occupy, and/or the assignment and acceptance of lease by the landlord for the backer entity LLC. Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit. Endorse service bar only.

TROPEANO, MAURO- LIR.19285

Stanziata's, Danbury

Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, cancelation of permit LRW-4731, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, and copy of CIT sales and use tax permit. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

SIFUENTES-LOPEZ, EFRAIN A. - LIC.2235

Peruvian Club, Stamford

Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, proof that the club is incorporated with the Secretary of the State (CT). Commission approves request to transfer \$300.00 in fees from LPC-283 to LIC-2235 upon receiving a written request withdrawing LPC-283. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

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KHATRI, ALKESH- LIP.15301

Kings Wines & Liquors, East Windsor

Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit LIP-12836, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, and 8X10 photos of the interior of the premises (coolers, cash register, and shelving). Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while it operates under a provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

RONZELLO, ROBERT- LIR.19243.P-CW

Chippanee Country Club, Bristol

Commission approves the request for extension of provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

BOONYALAI, THAWATCHAI

Samui That Cuisine, Southbury

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

OTHER:

TRONE, DAVID J. - LIP.15211

Total Wine & More, Milford

Commission approves the removal to 230 Cherry Street, Milford when in receipt of the completed publication notice, 8X10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway and which clearly depicts the trade name sign, and 8X10 photos of interior of the premises (shelving, cash registers, and coolers).

SMITH, THOMAS M. - LIP.14517

Racebrook's Wine & Liquor World, Orange

Commission approves request to remove permit on stipulation due to hardship to 374 Boston Post Road, Orange.

HEGGENHOUGEN, JONATHAN- LCA.7335

The Russian Lady, Hartford

Commission approves the door between this permit premises and The Tavern Downtown (LIR-17471) for the use of employees only as it relates to food service. Endorse Interior Access.

HEGGENHOUGEN, JONATHAN- LIR.17471

The Tavern Downtown, Hartford

Commission approves the door between this permit premises and The Russian Lady (LCA-7335) for the use of employees only as it relates to food service. Endorse Interior Access.

DEACY, JAMES P. - LCA.6428

Tiernan's, Stamford

Commission approves use of outdoor patio and one (1) additional consumer bar for the following dates in calendar year 2015: July 8, 15, 16, 19, 22, 23, 29, and 30; August 6 and 13.

RAMADANI, LJATIF- LIR.14618

Portofino's II Restaurant, Wilton

Commission approves use of outdoor patio for the following dates in calendar year 2015: March 21 through September 20.

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MORALES, CRYSTIAN E. - LRW.4553

Moravela's Italian Pizza, Chester

Commission approves use of outdoor patio. Endorse patio.

NADEAU, FRANCESCA L. - LCA.7425

Francesca's, Collinsville

Commission approves use of outdoor patio for the following dates in calendar year 2015: July 25 (rain date is July 26).

LYNCH, LORI A. - LCA.7141

Slanted Shanty, Southington

Commission approves request for outdoor patio. Endorse permit with Patio.

SALDANHA, KIANA V. - LIP.14933

Wine and Liquor Merchants, Manchester

Commission approves request to change backer name to Vilaysane, LLC. Commission advised that the trade name has been changed to Wine and Liquor Merchants.

FARONE, DENNIS C. - LPC.164

Westbrook Elks # 1784 BPOE, Westbrook

Commission approves the guest book waiver request sought for July 19, 2015 during the club's Annual Lobster Fest.

Adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy

Director of Liquor Control