

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT**  
**DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION**  
**LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION**  
**MINUTES**

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: April 7, 2016 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner  
David A. Scribner, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Robert Willard, Supervising Liquor Control Agent  
Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney  
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist  
Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst  
Robin Densmore, Secretary 2

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

**HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:**

1. **IANNUCCI, JERRY - LCA.7566** Copper Fox Saloon, Bridgeport  
Remove from hearings; permit canceled. 2015-1191
2. **MORRELL, GENE F. - LCA.7011** The Office Gentlemans Café, Norwalk  
Remove from hearings; permit canceled. 2015-1336
3. **ZELEPOS, CHRISTOS - LRW.3262** Mystic Pizza, Groton  
The Commission notes that transfer of interest forms have been received from John Zelepos. The Commission takes no further action on incident of 8/24/15. 2015-1029
4. **SOLEVO, NANCY M. - LIR.17544** Campania Ristorante, Branford  
The Commission grants Attorney Farrell's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2015-1132
5. **LAI, BUN S. - LRW.3601** Miya Japanese Restaurant, New Haven  
The Commission grants Attorney Farrell's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2015-808

6. **TROIANO, LINDA J. - LIP.15243** Vitro's Package Store, Bridgeport  
After review of information furnished by Attorney Lord, the Commission requests that file be held until July 15, 2016. 2016-2
7. **REID, JULIAN - LGB.15131** West Indian Caribbean Market, New Britain  
After review of additional, post hearing submissions, the Commission grants final permit subject to the agent's final requirements (bill of sale, executed copy of lease, copy of sales land use tax permit). 2015-1335

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

8. **RODRIGUEZ, JACINTO I. - LGB.15179** JC Mini Mart, Waterbury  
The Commission takes no action on the request for provisional. File assigned to agent for investigation. Definition of a grocery store.
9. **REID, DAVID M. - LFR.51** Black Dog Bar & Grille, Putnam  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, abandonment affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign, and 8x10 photos of the completed and furnished entire interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit. Endorse one (1) ACB and patio.
10. **KAMAN JR., BOYCE J. - LIP.15385** Kamans Fine Wine & Liquor, Glastonbury  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit # LIP.14470, bill of sale, Seller's affidavit, and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
11. **MENGESHA, HADAS - LIR.19441** Teff Restaurant, Stamford  
After reconsideration the Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, and \$500.00 fee. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit. Endorse service bar only.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

12. **PETRINI, JASON E. - LCA.7791** Morphe's Café, Norwalk  
The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional liquor permit.
13. **VELEZ, MIGUEL - LGB.15158** Velez Market, Waterbury  
The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional liquor permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

14. **WINERY EXCHANGE INC – LSW.1050** Novato, CA  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
15. **LOOKOUT HARD CIDER LLC – LSW.1046** Boston, MA  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
16. **STANLEY STAWSKI DISTRIBUTING COMPANY, LSB.919** Stawshi Imports, Addison IL  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
17. **KERMIZIAN, PAUL – LCA.7788** Barcade, New Haven  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of interior, final Fire Marshall Approval, \$50.00 fee, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway.
18. **CHENG, TAN – LIP.15379** Bottle Depot, East Haven  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit after May 11, 2016, upon receipt publication notice.
19. **DA SILVA, MAURO – LIR.19338** Churrascaria Pioneira, Bridgeport  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of final publication notice and 8x10 photo of lockable storage. Endorse one (1) ACB and patio.

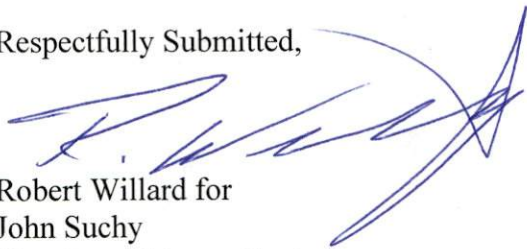
OTHER:

20. **SMITH, THOMAS M. – LIP.14517** Silverbrook Wine & Liquor, Orange  
The Commission has reviewed and approves the backer structure change. The Department will update backer to 374 Boston Post Road Wines, LLC
21. **PATEL, NIKUL – LIH.1872** Courtyard by Marriott, Norwich  
The Commission approves the request to change backer to CY Norwich II LLC.
22. **LIN, XIANG – LCA.7774** Kashi Japanese of Stamford, Stamford  
The Commission approves the request to endorse one (1) ACB and patio.
23. **SEFERI, ERVINA – LIR.18670** 500 on Main Street, Derby  
The Commission approves David Nickerson Ecker as the new substitute permittee.
24. **GAMARRA, JUANA V. – LIC.2235** Peruvian Club, Stamford  
The Commission approves the request to waive the guestbook requirements for April 8 & 15, 2016.

25. **LARUE, TEENA MARIA – LIC.1849** Sprague Rod & Gun Club, Baltic  
The Commission approves the request to waive the guestbook requirements for April 29, 2016.
26. **ANGELL, W. CURTIS – LIC.1734** Birchwood Country, Westport  
The Commission approves the request to waive the guestbook requirement for the following dates April 23, 2016; May 14 & 15, 2016; September 24, 2016; October 8, 13, 15, & 28, 2016; November 11, 2016.
27. **WESTBROOK, ROBERT L. – LIC.1731** Elks Club #2308, Rocky Hill  
The Commission approves the request to waive the guestbook requirement for the following dates May 18, 2016; June 19, 2016; July 17, 2016; August 13, 2016.
28. **NELSON, CARLA – LIC.1980** Fairfield County Hunt Club Inc, Westport  
The Commission approves the request to waive the guestbook requirement for the following dates April 9, 23, 27, & 29, 2016.
29. **CONNECTICUT DISTRIBUTORS INC – LIW.532** Stratford  
The Commission approves the request allowing CDI to deliver, at March 2016 prices the following products: JLOHR CABERNET SAUVIGNON SEVEN OAKS 750ml to the retailers identified in April 6, 2016 letter from Mr. Bill Steindl. The delay was caused by a mis-routed boxcar transporting the product, and not any fault of the wholesaler. These products are exclusive to CDI.

Adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Robert Willard for  
John Suchy  
Director of Liquor Control  
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