STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE:

Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE:

June 2, 2016 - 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

David A. Scribner, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT:

John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control

Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney

Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist

Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst

Robin Densmore, Secretary 2

PUBLIC PRESENT:

None

<u>HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:</u>

- 1. **SETTE, JOSEPH F. LIC.1957** Italian American Club, West Haven The Commission grants Attorney Farrell's request for continuance of formal hearing. 2015-773
- 2. MCCARTHY, KEVIN LIR.19322 Antonio's Bar & Grill, Mystic After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$500 for incident of 1/15/16. 2016-63
- 3. **PUCCI, JOHN LIR.16981**After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 3/4/16. 2016-174
- 4. ANDERSON, ROBERT C. LIP.13522 Townline Wine & Spirit, North Branford After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$1,000, of which 1 day and \$500 will be held in abeyance for one year, for incident of 11/16/15. 2015-1295

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5. LAI, BUN S. - LRW.3601 Miya Japanese Restaurant, New Haven After review by staff members and the Commission, it appears that the arrangement described in Attorney Farrell's letter of May 11, 2016, would violate the provisions of Sec. 30-48a, 2015-808

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

- 6. NADEAU, SCOTT F. LIR.19483 Westside 2 Pint 0, New Haven The Commission takes no action on the request for provisional. Assign to hearing, sale/delivery without permit; definition of a restaurant. Case # 2016-454.
- 7. **FINCH, STANLEY J. LRW.5240** Muse Paintbar, Glastonbury After reconsideration the Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, 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 the 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 permit. Endorse no bar.
- 8. VIGORITO, JOHNNIE LIR.19503 The Rib House Restaurant, East Haven The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, executed copy of lease or right to occupy, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing the trade name sign. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

- 9. **RAGAINI, RAYMOND P. LIR.19396**The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional liquor permit.
- 10. **ZAMMETT, ALEXA LIR.19417** Greer's & Beers, Southington The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional liquor permit.
- 11. **KRASNIQI, HASHIM LIR.19398** Nino's, Middletown The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional liquor permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

12. **WOLFF & TROY LLC – LSL.1632** An Iw Selection, New York, NY The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.

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13. 123 SPIRITS - LSL.1625

Mc Lean, VA

The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.

14. SPLINTER GROUP NAPA LLC - LSL.1638

Napa, CA

The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.

15. SMT ACQUISITIONS LLC – LSL.1629

Espirit Du Vin, Boca Raton, FL

The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.

16. CONRI SERVICES INC – LTR.225

Hawthorne, NY

The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.

17. JEM BEVERAGE COMPANY LLC – LSL.1637

Pilot Point, TX

The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.

18. RAMIREZ, RAFAEL PAREDES – LIR.19280 Macori Restaurant, Middletown The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit. Endorse patio.

19. LAMONTE, LAMAR – LTH.96

Ivoryton Playhouse, Ivoryton

The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit. Endorse one (1) ABC and extension of use.

OTHER:

20. LAMONTE, LAMAR – LTH.96

Ivoryton Playhouse, Ivoryton

The Commission approves the request to extend the hours of liquor service for one hour after the show for the after show reception on the following dates: June 3, 2016; July 1, 2016; August 5, 2016; September 9, 2016; October 28, 2016; December 9, 2016.

21. MOYLAN, MICHAEL F. – LUW.32

Reds, Fairfield

The Commission approves the request to endorse two (2) temporary ACBs and extension of use for June 6, 9, & 13, 2016.

22. CARR, DANIEL C. – LCA.7757

Randall's Café, West Haven

The Commission approves the request to endorse temporary patio for June 12, 2016.

23. ABARE JR., DARRELL J. – LIR.18301

TJs Café, Baltic

The Commission approves the request to endorse one (1) temporary ACB and patio for July 17, 2016.

24. KEPCHER, CAROLYN – LIC.2016

Aspetuck Valley Country Club, Weston

The Commission approves the request to endorse one (1) ACB.

25. FLORES, GAIL M. - LIR.14685

Jalapeno Heaven, Branford

The Commission approves the request to endorse patio.

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- 26. **BOUTIN, VICTORIA LIC.2146** French Social Circle of Hartford, East Hartford The Commission approves the request to waive the guestbook requirements for June 4, 2016.
- 27. **HARDIMAN, MARTIN B. LIC.2231** Irish Heritage Society of Milford, Milford The Commission approves the request to waive the guestbook requirements for June 18, 2016.
- 28. **DIMARTE, JOSEPH V. LIS.3351**The Commission approves the issuance of the Wholesaler Salesman Certificate. Case # 2016-231.

Adjourned at 9:03 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy

Director of Liquor Control

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