

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room B

MEETING DATE: May 16, 2017 – 10:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control
Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney and Designated Signatory
Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst
Mary Riddick, Secretary 2

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The Commission approves the minutes of May 11, 2017.

PROVISIONALS:

1. **LEONARD, ROBERT W. – LMP.52**
New England Brewing Company, Woodbridge, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of cancelation of permit #LMB.1514.
2. **LICHATZ, HAZEL M. – LIT.1874** The Farm At Carter Hill, Marlborough, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8X10 photos of the entire interior. Additional requirement: provisional permit agreement letter. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

3. **PROVISTALIS, CHRISTOS – LIT.1875** Pleasant Pizza, Willimantic, CT
No action taken, assigned to an agent.
4. **CANIE, TODI – LIH.1887** Sharon Country Inn, Sharon, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee. Additional requirement: provisional permit agreement form. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit. Endorse patio.
5. **LAPOLLA, DANIEL – LRW.5331** Café 511, Groton, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of cancelation of permit # LIR.19257. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
6. **GARTNER, ANDREA – LCA.7904** Pour Me Coffee & Wine Café, Danbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of final Health Department, final fire marshal, executed lease or right to occupy from property owner to LLC, waiver for use of unisex restroom, CT sales & use tax permit and 8x10 photos of entire renovated interior including furnished dining room, kitchen, service bar, lockable storage and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
7. **PESCE, JASON A. – LCA.7911** La Taza Espresso & Grappa Bar, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit. Additional requirement: provisional permit agreement form. Additional requirement: provisional permit agreement form and complete section G, #32 of initial application. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
8. **PERAZA, FRANCIS G. – LCA.7916** El Salvadorano Restaurante El Chele, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, copy of CT sales and use tax permit and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

9. **LAGOURANIS, TONY – LCA.7917** Louie’s Italian Restaurant & Bar, Darien, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LCA.7690, bill of sale, seller’s affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign. Additional requirement: provisional permit agreement form. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit. Endorse patio.

10. **MEDINA, NANCY – LGB.15267** El Mismo Primo8, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LGB.15079 if available, bill of sale and executed copy of lease or right to occupy assignment of the lease to the backer entity, LLC with landlord consent. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

11. **MALIK, BAIG – LGB.15269** Kiran Mart, Southbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee and abandonment affidavit.

12. **BARDY, CARL G., JR. – LIP.15507** Whaling City Spirits, New London, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LIP.13454, bill of sale, seller’s affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy, copy of CT sales and use tax permit and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the interior including the coolers, cash register and shelving. Additional requirement: provisional permit agreement form. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

13. **PATEL ANJANABEN S. – LIP.15513** Sunny’s Wine & Spirits, Hamden, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the interior including the coolers, cash register and shelving. Additional requirement: provisional permit agreement form. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

14. **PATEL, MANISHA P. – LIP.15514** Hampton Wine & Spirits, Hampton, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$400.00 fee, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the interior including the coolers, cash register and shelving. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

15. **COSTA, TAWNY- LIR 19674** Rascal Flatts Restaurant, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the interior completed and furnished.
16. **TODARO, RALPH – LIR.19676** Il Posto, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, seller's affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
17. **GAO, FENG – LIR.19677** Lumi Asian Fusion, North Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
18. **DELMONICO, CHRISTOPHER – LIR.19678** The Crabby Dog, Stratford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the entire completed and fully furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
19. **PAPPAS, THEODOULOS – LIR.19688** American Pie, Seymour, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of cancelation permit # LIR.19222, bill of sale and seller's affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

FINALS:

20. **FREEDMAN, JOEL – LPA.23** The Mark Twain House and Museum, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photo of portable bar. Endorse extension of use.
21. **GARCIA-CARRION, JOSE – LSL.1696** CIV USA, Inc., Miami, FL
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
22. **POLILLO, GIOVANNI – LSL – 1711** Padania Wines FL, LLC, Fort Lauderdale, FL
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.

23. **KELLEY, SCOTT – LSW.1194** Umpqua Wine Works, LLC, Roseburg, OR
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
24. **BERNSTEIN, DAVID A. – LSW.1197** Squix, LLC, Buellton, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
25. **TAIBE, WILLIAM F. – LCA.7896** Town Hall, Westport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. Endorse interior access and off-site storage (100 Post Road East, Westport, CT).
26. **GARTNER, ANDREA – LCA-7904** Pour Me Coffee & Wine Café, Danbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of final fire marshal approval, final menu, waiver for restroom, executed copy of lease, 8x10 photos of entire interior including trade name, lockable storage and restroom, final Health Dept. approval and CT sales & use tax permit. Endorse patio and service bar only.
27. **ARYAL, SHREE R. – LIP.15424** Edgewood Wine & Spirits, Bristol, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
28. **WEINBERG, PHILIP I. – LIR.19655** Two Trees, Inn, Ledyard, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. Endorse patio and interior access.

PROVISIONAL EXTENSIONS:

29. **VINCENT, JENNIFER E. – LMP.40** Epicure Brewing, Norwich, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
30. **SAENGSIWATHANAKUL, MONGKHON – LRB.1865**
Roodle (Rice & Noodle Bar), Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
31. **BISTANY, EDWARD M., JR. – LRW.5307** Prime Burger, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
32. **CHEN, HECHENG – LIR.19584** Ichiro Hibachi Sushi, West Hartford, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
33. **CHIRNOMULA, PRASAD – LIR.19594** India, West Hartford, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

34. SALANDY, BEATRICE K. – LIR.19621

Passion Fruit Tropical Grille, Waterbury, CT

The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

OTHER:

35. CORDOVA, GIULLIANA – LCA.7553

Lotus Lounge Café, West Haven, CT

The Commission approves request for patio for May 28, 2017 – June 11, 2017.

36. SIGENZA, VICENTE N. –LCA.7744

Harvest Wine Bar and Restaurant, Westport, CT

The Commission approves request for off premise storage and invoices at
130 Old Gate Lane, Milford, CT 06460.

37. HERNANDEZ, ALFONSO R. – LCA.7792

La Cantina Mexicana & Grill, Stamford, CT

The Commission approves Selena Hernandez acquiring 100% of La Cantina Mexicana & Grill. The Commission also approves Selena Hernandez as substitute permittee.

38. MIGLIORE, JOHN – LCA.7882

75 Center, Southington, CT

The Commission approves request for patio.

39. SIGENZA, VICENTE N. –LIR.16665

Cava Wine Bar and Restaurant, New Canaan, CT

The Commission approves request for off premise storage and invoices at
130 Old Gate Lane, Milford, CT 06460.

40. SIGENZA, VICENTE N. -LIR.17538

Fifty Five Wine Bar and Restaurant, Fairfield, CT

The Commission approves request for off premise storage and invoices at
130 Old Gate Lane, Milford, CT 06460.

41. SIGENZA, VICENTE N. -LIR.18144

Scena Wine Bar and Restaurant, Darien, CT

The Commission approves request for off premise storage and invoices at
130 Old Gate Lane, Milford, CT 06460.

42. SIGENZA, VICENTE N. -LIR.18648

Harvest Wine Bar and Restaurant, Greenwich, CT

The Commission approves request for off premise storage and invoices at
130 Old Gate Lane, Milford, CT 06460.

43. SIGENZA, VICENTE N. -LIR.19136

Harvest Wine Bar and Restaurant, New Haven, CT

The Commission approves request for off premise storage and invoices at
130 Old Gate Lane, Milford, CT 06460.

44. CARDILO, LUIGI, JR. – LIR.19524

Riko's Pizza, Stamford, CT

The Commission approves request for patio for May 4, 2017 – November 30, 2017.

Adjourned 11:30 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division
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