

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

**MINUTES**

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room B

MEETING DATE: March 22, 2018 – 8:30 a.m.

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

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division  
Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney  
Mary Riddick, Secretary 2  
Sean Macaboy, DCP Intern

PUBLIC PRESENT:

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

The Commission approves the minutes of March 20, 2018.

**PROVISIONALS:**

1. **O'NEILL, SEAR R. - LMP.69** Tribus Beer Co., Milford, CT  
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee. Additional requirements: Completed Provisional Agreement form and Public Health Certificate (signed and completed). The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit. Endorse extension of use.
  
2. **PIPER, MICHAEL D. – LRW.5383** New Haven Pizza Place Milford, CT  
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee. Additional requirement: Copy of the menu. Endorse service bar only.

3. **MOWAISH, ABDUL-JABBAR K. – LRW.5400**

Vineyard Valley Golf Club, Pomfret Center, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LRW.4358 and seller's affidavit. Additional requirements: Copy of menu, staff and equipment lists. Endorse extension of use.

4. **PERTESIS, JOHN G. – LRW.5401**

Simple Greek, Norwalk, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit. Endorse service bar only.

5. **KOURPOUANIDIS, NIKOLAOS – LCA.7981**

Club Diamond, Danbury, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

6. **DEVAUX, TYLER H. – LCA.8009**

The Hanger at Goodwin Park, Hartford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee. Endorse patio and extension of use.

7. **HODOBA, STEPHEN C. – LCA.8011**

Showcase Cinemas, Bridgeport, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, executed copy of lease or right to occupy with correct address and copy of CT sales and use tax permit with correct address. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

8. **DIAZ-MARTINEZ, RAMON A. – LGB.15330**

Veras Market, Bridgeport, CT

No action taken. Assigned to agent, question as to if this is a bonafide grocery store.

9. **TASAWAR, RAO M. – LGB.15335**

Shah-Dil Enterprises, Wallingford, CT

No action taken. Assigned to agent, question as to if this is a bonafide grocery store.

10. **SACHDEVA, RISHI G. – LIP.15588**

Capital Spirits, Hartford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, abandonment affidavit, 8x10 photos of entire completed interior and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises 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 liquor permit.

11. **CONTRERAS, PHIL – LIP.15591**

Discount Liquor World, Norwich, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LIP.15027 and bill of sale. Additional requirements: Updated Financial Statement form. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

12. **LIN, STEVEN – LIP.15593** Discount Wine & Spirit Shoppe, Hamden, CT  
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LIP.12524, bill of sale, seller's affidavit and executed copy of lease or right to occupy.
13. **SHARDA, SIDDHARTH – LIP.15597** Caesars Liquor Store, Bridgeport, CT  
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LIP.12419, 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.
14. **SHAH, MITESH – LIP.15601** Franco's Wine, Madison, CT  
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of cancelled permit # LIP.13458, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy 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.
15. **AHUJA, ANIL – LIP.15602** Connecticut Wine & Liquor, Greenwich, CT  
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LIP.13970, bill of sale and seller's affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
16. **PATEL, JAYMIN – LIP.15603** Mill Plain Package Store, Danbury, CT  
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of cancelled permit # LIP.14911, bill of sale, seller's affidavit and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. Additional requirement: Completed Provisional Permit Agreement form. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
17. **BROWN, PETER G. – LIR.19845** Racks Billiards and Bar, Vernon Rockville, CT  
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of cancelled permit # LIR.18315, bill of sale and seller's affidavit. Additional requirement: Copy of the menu, staff and equipment lists. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
18. **FARBER, MICHAEL A. – LIR.19851** Mikro, Hamden, CT  
The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of copy of CT sales and use tax permit with correct address, 8x10 photos of entire completed interior and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises 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 liquor permit. Endorse patio.

**19. ESPEUT, NICOLE B. – LIR.19861**

Around The Clock Restaurant & Bar, Hamden, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, abandonment affidavit and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises 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 liquor permit.

**20. DASILVA, CHAZ – LIR.19863**

Tequila's Grill & Cantina, Glastonbury, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of abandonment affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

**21. SIGUENZA, VICENTE N. – LIR.19867**

Harvest Wine Bar, West Hartford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, 8x10 photos of entire furnished and completed interior and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises 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 liquor permit.

**22. CHEONG, SEVON – LIR.19871**

Kuro Shiro, New Haven, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee copy of CT sales and use tax permit with correct address, 8x10 photos of entire furnished and completed interior and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises 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 liquor permit.

**23. CHEN, JOHN – LIR.19872**

Feng, Hartford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of copy \$500.00 fee, cancelation permit # LIR.16864, bill of sale and seller's affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

**24. ARIGIRIOU, NIKOLAOS – LIR.19877**

American Pie and Pub, Seymour, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of provisional liquor permit upon receipt of cancelled permit # LIR.19688, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy in the name of the Backer Entity, LLC and copy of CT sales and use tax, The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

FINALS:

25. **EMMONS, ERIN E. – LCT.586** Lucky Taco, Manchester, CT  
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
26. **CIPRIANI, RICK – LSB.975** Stateline Enterprises, Inc., Brewster, NY  
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
27. **LANDIN, KEN – LSB.980** Crossroads Brewing Catskill, LLC, Catskill, NY  
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
28. **QUINN, KATHRYN – LSW.1285** Hogue Cellars, Prosser, WA  
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
29. **FRANKLIN, WILFRED – LSL.1752** Trinity Valley Vineyards, LLC, McKinleyville, CA  
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.

OTHER:

30. **SFORZA, DONATO – LRW.5385** Mario The Baker, Stamford, CT  
The Commission approves the extension of the provisional permit.
31. **CRAWFORD, THOMAS P. – LIR.17147** Amici's, Shelton, CT  
The Commission approves the extension of use for April 1, 2018 – October 14, 2018.  
Endorse patio.
32. **PUGLIESE, LIBERINO – LIR.17259** John's Best Pizza, Brookfield, CT  
The Commission approves the move to 355 Federal Rd., Brookfield, upon receipt of stipulated agreement for removal and executed copy of lease or right to occupy copy of the entire lease for the proposed location and copy of CT sales and use tax permit with new address. Additional requirements: 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing the trade name sign and 8x10 photos of entire interior.
33. **VITTI, AUDRA – LIR.19026** Tipping Chair Tavern, Milldale, CT  
The Commission approves the request for additional dining space. Endorse extension of use.
34. **REILLY, SHAWN M. – LIR.19811** The Roadhouse, Redding, CT  
The Commission approves the extension of the provisional permit.

35. **HUESTIPA, ANGELA – LIR.19815** La Fonda Restaurant, Bridgeport, CT  
The Commission approves the extension of the provisional permit.

36. **REYES, DEYSI N. – LIR.19823** Picante's, Lakeville, CT  
The Commission approves the extension of the provisional permit.

Adjourned 9:26 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division  
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