

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION
MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Conference Room 9-B

MEETING DATE: March 5, 2019 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: David Scribner, Commissioner, Liquor Control Commission

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

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The Commission approves the minutes of February 28, 2019.

PROVISIONALS:

1. **RAGAINI, RAYMOND P. – LCA.8120** Clark & Main, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of 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 the trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the completed and fully furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.

2. **LATINA, JOSEPH F. – LCA.8121** Rail 99 Tavern, Cromwell, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse patio.

3. **PIOTROWSKI, DENNIS M. – LCA.8122**

Eleven Bar & Grill, Naugatuck, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LCA.7303, bill of sale and seller's affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse patio.

4. **ABUT, TRACEY S. – LCA.8126**

The Porchlight Wine Bar, Sharon, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee and canceled permit # LIT.1873.

5. **MARTIN, ANDREW E. – LGB.15416**

Andy Martin's Corner, Stratford, CT

No action taken. File assigned to agent. Question as to whether this is a bonafide grocery store.

6. **VILLEGAS, FRANCHESKA – LGB.15420**

T & T Market, Waterbury, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LGB.15058, bill of sale and seller's affidavit.

The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.

7. **PATEL, PRANAV P. – LIP.15702**

Burlington Spirit Shoppe, Burlington, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LIP-13246, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of warranty deed in the name of "Har Bhole, LLC" and 8x10 photos of the completed and fully furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.

8. **ROTE, JENNIFER – LIR.20092**

TGI Fridays, Enfield, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LIR.19368, bill of sale and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. Additional requirements: Final fire marshal's approval and Executed Franchise agreement. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.

9. **ROTE, JENNIFER – LIR.20093**

TGI Fridays, Waterbury, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LIR.19369, bill of sale and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. Additional requirements: Final fire marshal's approval and Executed Franchise agreement. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.

10. **RODRIGUEZ, WILLIAM G. – LIR.20096**

Seaside Café, Stamford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional 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 the trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the completed and fully furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.

FINALS:

11. **PARKER, BRETT I. – LBA.224.P-CW** Bowlero Wallingford, Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.
12. **FUSCO, ELENA A. – LCT.647** Bin 100 Restaurant, Milford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.
13. **VAYNERCHUK, GARY – LSW.1352** Goose Egg, LLC, Napa, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.
14. **VENGALAM, SWAPNA – LIP.15638.P-CW** Liquor World, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.
15. **WATKINS PHILIP W. – LIP.15665.P-CW** Ledyard Town Spirits, Ledyard, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.
16. **SZEWCZYK, CHRISTOPHER – LIR.19879** Taino Prime, Meriden, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.

TRANSFER OF INTEREST:

17. **CASTRO, ALICIA – LIP.15052** Waterside Liquor Store, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves Thomas Hernandez, Jr. acquiring 100% ownership interest.
The Commission approves Thomas Hernandez, Jr. as substitute permittee.
18. **CRUZ, FRAYNY M. – LGB.15070** Angeanais Grocery, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves Franlly A. Cruz-Espinosa acquiring 100% ownership interest.
The Commission approves Franlly A. Cruz-Espinosa as substitute permittee.

OTHER

19. **LAMAS, ANGELA A. – LCA.8070.P-CW** The Office, Oxford, CT
The Commission approves the request to extend provisional permit.
20. **PATEL, MUKESH R. – LIP.15677.P-CW** C & C Wine & Spirits, Berlin, CT
The Commission approves the request to extend provisional permit.

21. ELLS, MATTHEW S. – LIR.19936.P-CW

Chipotle Mexican Grill, Wethersfield, CT

The Commission approves the request to extend provisional permit.

22. XIA, JIANGFENG – LIR.19971.P-CW

Peter Chang, Stamford, CT

The Commission approves the request to extend provisional permit.

Meeting Adjourned at 9:04 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division
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