

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION
MINUTES

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

MEETING DATE: August 27, 2019 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Michelle Seagull, Commissioner of Consumer Protection
Laura Cahill, Commissioner, Liquor Control Commission

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director Liquor Control Division
Richard Mindek, License and Applications Specialist
Mary Riddick, Secretary 2

PUBLIC PRESENT: NONE

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The Commission approves the minutes of August 15, 2019.

PROVISIONALS:

1. **KELSEY, KRISTOPHER E. – LCA.8189** Social House, Torrington, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, 8x10 photo of the exterior taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign, and 8x10 photos of 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. **KENNEY, TODD – LCA.8191** The Hop Knot, Hamden, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional upon receipt of 8x10 photo of the exterior taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign, and 8x10 photos of completed and fully furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
3. **SABO, JENNIFER L. – LCA.8192** Highland Brass Company, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of cancelation of permit # LCA.7750, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, and executed copy of lease or right to occupy. The Commission approves off-premise liquor storage. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse permanent patio.
4. **SUAREZ, JACKIE – LCA.8193** Rize Night Club, New Haven, CT
No action taken. Assigned to agent. Agent to explore the ownership, reference Mr. Jason Cutler.
5. **MEDINA-HERNANDEZ, DIONISIO A. – LGB.15462** DM Deli Market, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LGB.15018, and bill of sale. Additional requirements: Provisional Permit Agreement form.
6. **PATEL, NIMISHABAHEN G. – LIP.15734** White Hills Wine & Spirits, Shelton, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of cancelation of permit # LIP.15110, 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, NAINESH – LIP.15738** Broad Street Package Store, Bristol, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of cancelation of permit # LIP.15341, bill of sale and seller's affidavit. Additional requirements: Resolution of case #2019-629. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
8. **MATUTE, KATHERINE A. – LIR.20214** Sazon Y Mambo, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of cancelation of permit # LIR.18449, 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 permanent patio approval.

9. **MARTINEZ, LUIS – LIR.20223** La Diferencia, Bethel, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
10. **RODRIGUEZ, ESAUL – LIR.20230** Puerto Vallarta Restaurant, Fairfield, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of abandonment affidavit and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse permanent patio.

FINALS:

11. **ROXO, MARIA C. – LCT.682** Churrasqueira Avenida, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
12. **SPERLING, PETER – LSW.1407** Direct Cellars, LLC, Santa Rosa, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
13. **PATANE, MICHAEL – LSL.1886** MPL Brands NV Inc., Las Vegas, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.
14. **GONZALEZ PINON, RAFEL – LSL.1887** Mara International Group, San Dimas, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
15. **FIELDS, WARREN Q. – LIH.1910.P-CW-C** Crowne Plaza Danbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements. Endorse outdoor patio.
16. **POPIELASKI, SUSAN J. – LIT.1913.P-CW** ECO Coffee House, Hampton, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements. Endorse interior access, extension of use and waiver of effective separation.
17. **BEADINI, BASIT – LRW.5489** Two Brothers Pizza Restaurant, Bristol, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements. Endorse service bar only.
18. **ROBAR, CORINNE – LRW.5510.P-CW** Procaccini's Italian Family Restaurant, East Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements. Endorse service bar only and outdoor patio.

19. **RODRIGUEZ, ADRIAN – LRW.5470.P-CW**
Taqueria Michledas Don Efren, West Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements. Endorse no bar.
20. **RIVERA, BENNY A – LCA.8083.P**
Blvd Karaoke, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements. Endorse interior access.
21. **SARCIA, MICHAEL A. – LCA.8174.P.CW**
The Hop Yard, Groton, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements. Endorse outdoor patio.
22. **ROSARIO, EMMANUEL – LGB.15385.P**
Darwin Deli Mini Market & Groceries, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
23. **ALMONTE, OSIRIS – LGB.15411.P-CW**
Papi's Store 2, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
24. **VILLEGAS, FRANCHESKA – LGB.15420.P-CW**
T&T Market, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photo of lockable storage closet on sales floor.
25. **PATEL, PRANAY V. – LIP.15696.P-CW**
Wine & Liquor, West Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
26. **ROSENBLUM, NOAH – LIP.15698.P-CW**
Wine Line Fine Wines and Spirits, Fairfield, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
27. **DONG, XINGWEI – LIP.15701.P-CW**
Huntington Package Store, Shelton, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
28. **BUDHATHOKI, SUBASH – LIP.15710.P-CW**
Franklin Package Store, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
29. **LONGO, LAURA – LIP.15721.P-CW**
Longos Wine and Liquor, Milford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
30. **PATEL, KRUPALBEN – LIR.20026.P-CW**
TAWA, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.

31. **ACEVEDO, MAURICIO – LIR.20035.P-CW** Makondo, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements. Endorse service bar only.
32. **VUONG, DIEU T. – LIR.20074** Wang Palace, Rocky Hill, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of completed and fully furnished interior including(3) dining areas, barroom, kitchen, lockable storage area, and 8x10 photo of the exterior taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign.
33. **ROTE, JENNIFER – LIR.20092.P-CW** TGI Fridays, Enfield, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
34. **RODRIGUEZ, WILLIAM G. – LIR.20096.P-CW** Seaside Café, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements. Endorse outdoor patio.
35. **CHEN, TIANCAI – LIR.20104.P-CW** Misimi, Shelton, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements.
36. **GAMBOA, OBED A. – LIR.20139.P-CW** The Golden Greek, Dayville, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements. Endorse outdoor patio.
37. **DELBON, GARY – LIR.20158.P-CW** Giovanni's Brick Oven Pizzeria, Glastonbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. No requirements. Endorse outdoor patio.
38. **URENA-ESCOLASTICA, PEDRO – LIR.20220.P-CW** Triple Diner, East Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of publication notice. Permit may be issued after September 27, 2019. Endorse no bar.

SUBSTITUTE PERMITTEE:

39. **BYRNE, WILLIAM – LIA.50** Aer Lingus Limited, Jericho, NY
The Commission approves William Byrne as substitute permittee.
40. **ROSE, HEIDI M. – LRC.183** The Trinity Episcopal Center Association Inc., West Cornwall, CT
The Commission approves Heidi M. Rose as substitute permittee.

41. SCAFURI, THOMAS J. – LIR.18131

On The Border Mexican Grill & Cantina, Orange, CT
The Commission approves Thomas J. Scafuri as substitute permittee.

42. SCAFURI, THOMAS J. – LIR.18141

On The Border Mexican Grill & Cantina, Rocky Hill, CT
The Commission approves Thomas J. Scafuri as substitute permittee.

OTHER:

43. KENNEDY, WILLIAM – LPC.246

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9460, Stratford, CT
The Commission approves request of additional consumer bar (1) for September 7th and 8th, 2019. Endorse additional consumer bar (1).

44. ENGBORG, JEFFREY R. – LPC.277

Pequot Yacht Club Inc., Southport, CT
The Commission approves request of additional consumer bar (1) Endorse additional consumer bar (1).

45. LARUE, TEENA – LIC.1849

Sprague Rod & Gun Club, Baltic, CT
The Commission approves guest book waiver for September 9, 2019; October 7, 2019; November 4, 2019; December 2, 2019; January 6, 2020; February 3, 2020; March 2, 2020; April 6, 2020 and May 4 2020.

46. DEMARO, OWENY – LIC.1960

Czechoslovak American Club, Shelton, CT
The Commission approves guest book waiver for September 14, 2019. The Commission approves request of extension of use for September 14, 2019. Endorse extension of use.

47. RODRIGUES, DIAMANTINO A. – LIC.2220

Casa Do Benfica Danbury, Danbury, CT
The Commission approves request of extension of use and additional consumer bar (1) for September 15, 2019. Endorse extension of use and additional consumer bar (1).

48. ROWE, CHARLES R. – LIP.13967

Grand Spirit II, Groton, CT
The Commission approves request of removal on stipulation due to hardship to 255 Route 12, Groton, CT, when in receipt of stipulated agreement for removal. Additional requirements: 8x10 photo of the exterior taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of completed and fully furnished interior including coolers, cash register and shelving.

49. PATEL, NEIL M. – LIP.15599

Thompson Wine & Spirit, North Grosvenordale, CT

The Commission approves request of final removal to 759 Quinebaug Rd, Thompson, CT upon receipt of CT sales & use tax permit copy for 759 Quinebaug Rd, Thompson, CT and resolution of remonstrance hearing.

50. GARCIA, ADIS Y. – LIP.15653.P-CW

Evergreen Liquors, Stamford, CT

The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

51. FIEBER, DAVID, JR. – LIP.15712.P-CW

DB Fine Wines, New Canaan, CT

The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

52. PATEL, SHREYAS R. – LIP.15718.P-CW

Ivy Wine & Spirits, New Haven, CT

The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

53. MORALE, UMBERTO – LIR.19313

T H C The Hops Company, Derby, CT

The Commission approves request for patio, extension of use and additional consumer bar (1). Endorse outdoor patio, extension of use and additional consumer bar (1).

54. PARTIDA, GABRIELA –LIR.19343.

El Mexicano Restaurant, Norwalk, CT

The Commission approves request of additional consumer bar (1). Endorse additional consumer bar (1).

55. STRADCZUK, BRIAN M. – LIR.19480

The Social, New London, CT

The Commission approves request of additional consumer bar (1) and outdoor patio. Endorse additional consumer bar (1) and outdoor patio.

56. RECCHIA, MICHAEL A. – LIR.19717

Bull & Barley, Shelton, CT

The Commission approves request of patio. Endorse patio.

57. PETTINELLA, GARY – LIR.20071.P-CW

Retro Grub & Pub, Derby, CT

The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

58. BRERETON-JOHNSON, PATRICIA – LIR.20165.P-CW

Riptide, West Haven, CT

The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

Meeting Adjourned 9:56 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division
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