

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: January 18, 2007 - 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Gary Koval, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Elisa Nahas, Commissioner Designee  
Gerald C. Langlais, Administrator of Liquor Control  
Jack Suchy, Director of Liquor Control  
Lynn Fiore, Staff Attorney  
(8:30 a.m. - 8:46 a.m.)  
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist  
(8:30 a.m. - 8:37 a.m.)  
Diana Sedok, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **COLEMAN, KENNETH - LIP.13474**  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 6 days and \$1,500 for incidents of 8/26/06 and 9/28/06.
2. **ESPOSITO, RONALD - LGB.12454**  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 2 days and \$5,000 for incident of 7/22/06.
3. **ESPOSITO, RONALD - LGB.12541**  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$3,000 for incident of 8/5/06.
4. **LASTRINA, BRENDA - LCA.5104**  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$3,425 for incident of 8/5/06.

5. **SANCHEZ, MILDRED - LGB.13767**  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$950 for incident of 8/5/06.
6. **CAMPO, DONALD - LIP.13856**  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 6/24/06.
7. **RIGGIO, DANIEL - LCA.5766**  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 5 days and \$6,000 for incident of 7/15/05.

DISCUSSION - Lynn Fiore:

1. **CASTRO, JORGE - LCA.6435**  
Commission takes no further action on incident of June 2, 2006, will proceed with formal hearing on charges alleged pursuant to October 3, 2005 investigation.
2. **SIBAI, MIRIAM - LIR.16222**  
Commission requests compliance meeting regarding violations alleged pursuant to 5/26/06 investigation.

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

1. **HAHN, MARK - LIR.17293** Ann Howard @ Indian Hills, Newington  
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease in LLC's name, health certificate, copy of sales and use tax permit, FEIN, financial affidavit corrected to show cost/expenses, completion of personal history's (section's 2 – 3) for Kathleen and Joseph.

2. **CAPUANO, DEBORAH - LIP.14238** Ideal Liquor Store, Bridgeport  
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement,  
\$500 fee, cancel permit LIP.13880, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, copy of  
sales and use tax permit.
3. **ALEKSANDROWICZ, MICHAEL - LIP.14274** Sherman Wine & Liquor, Sherman  
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement,  
\$500 fee, cancel permit LIP.13625, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, copy of  
sales and use tax permit.
4. **PATEL, PURNIMA - LGB.14115** Mack's Food Market, Manchester  
No action taken by commission on provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSION:

1. **BREWER III, CHARLES - LIR.17168** Jake's Steak & Seafood, Bristol  
Extension of provisional permit approved. Commission approved request  
to waive section 30-6-A36(b), wholesalers period of credit, on provisional  
permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

1. **DOMAINE SELECT WINE ESTATES - LSL.1047** New York, NY  
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
2. **LUSO IMPORTS LLC - LSL.1056** Dulles, VA  
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
3. **RUDD WINES INC - LSW.200** Oakville, CA  
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
4. **KING FERRY WINERY INC - LSW.226** King Ferry, NY  
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.

5. **TEQUILA LAS AMERICAS LLC - LSL.1061** San Diego, CA  
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
6. **CARPATHIAN IMPORTS LLC - LSL.1065** Hanover, MD  
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
7. **LAXIOS LTD - LSB.714** Southhampton, MA  
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
8. **SANG, ERIC - LIR.17252** M Rose, Norwich  
Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice, corrected abandonment affidavit (correct backer), 8 x 10 photos of furnished interior.
9. **ERHARDT-JOSIAS, JEANNINE - LIR.17311** Café Taste, Ansonia  
Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice, copy of sales and use tax permit, 8 x 10 photos of furnished 2<sup>nd</sup> floor. NOTE: Remove requirement of new permit fee and filing fee totaling \$1,300.
10. **HAWLEY, ROBERT - LIR.17228**  
Red Robin Gourmet Burger & Spirits, West Hartford  
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit. Endorse patio.
11. **DECKER-MAFFUCCI, CHRISTIN - LIR.17235**  
Vito's Pizza of Newington, Newington  
Change in type. Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of completed financial affidavit, completed seller's affidavit, cancel old permit LRW.3096. Endorse patio.
12. **AMARA, HARRY - LIP.14267** Pop's Package Store, East Haddam  
Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice, copy of sales and use tax permit, corrected abandonment affidavit.
13. **PATEL, VIREN - LIP.14164** Baltic Wine & Spirit, Sprague  
Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of sales agreement, bill of sale, financial affidavit, lease, cancel old permit LIP.14129.

OTHER:

1. **HINE, NICHOLAS - LIP.14246** Stafford Spirits, Stafford Springs  
Ok to amend application to include husband (Nicholas P. Hine) as partner/co-backer with Kathleen A. Hine. Need new publication notice.
2. **LEVINE DISTRIBUTING COMPANY - LIW.527** Norwich  
Commission approved transfer of stock.
3. **GIONIS, GEORGE - LIR.15064** Golden Greek Restaurant, Dayville  
Commission approved transfer of stock.
4. **RILEY, JOHN - LIP.12626** Greens Farms Spirit Shop, Westport  
Commission approved transfer of stock.
5. **PHANEUF JR., MARC - LRW.3552** Hooter's, Wethersfield  
Commission approved transfer of interest.
6. **PHANEUF JR., MARC - LRW.3796** Hooter's Restaurant, Milford  
Commission approved transfer of interest.
7. **PHANEUF JR., MARC - LRW.4251** Hooter's Restaurant, Manchester  
Commission approved transfer of interest.
8. **PATEL, NILESH - LIP.13508** South Main Liquors & Wine, Plantsville  
Commission approved transfer of interest.
9. **LIN, MEI XIN - LIR.17121** Shiso Asian, Bloomfield  
Commission approved Nen Cornellia as substitute permittee.
10. **HAYES, BARBARA - LCA.6063** Y-Knot, New London  
Commission approved Harry L. Davis as substitute permittee.
11. **DEPAUL, TINA - LIT.1757** The Stables, Torrington  
Commission approved Richard J. DiPippo as substitute permittee.
12. **SMUTEK, MICHAEL - LIR.15328** Charley's Eating & Dringing Saloon, Waterford  
Commission approved Mary Beth Erickson as substitute permittee.

13. **SNELSON, JASON - LIR.14011** J. Gilberts Wood-Fired Steaks, Glastonbury  
Commission approved Dennis Soule as substitute permittee.
14. **DALEY, ANN-MARIE - LIR.16814** 99 Restaurant & Pub, Enfield  
Commission approved Lorrie Kneszewski as substitute permittee.
15. **SCHETTINI, DAVID - LGB.12025** A & P Super Foodmart, Bridgeport  
Commission approved Wayne Tracy as substitute permittee.
16. **NARDI, THOMAS - LIR.14308** The New Mill, Plantsville  
Commission approved Robert Martucci as substitute permittee.
17. **INNIE, JUSTINE - LIR.16803** 99 Restaurant & Pub, Manchester  
Commission approved Melody R. Gaston as substitute permittee.
18. **ROSA, HARRIET - LCA.5059** Reynold's Café, Naugatuck  
Commission approved Michelle L. Bellemare as substitute permittee.
19. **KOVAC, TRACEY - LCA.5515** Italian American Club Café, Hamden  
Commission approved Ann Marie Madonna as substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gerald C. Langlais  
Administrator of Liquor Control Division

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