DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: October 23, 2007 - 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

Gary W. Berner, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Gerald C. Langlais, Administrator of Liquor Control

Jack Suchy, Director of Liquor Control

Elisa Nahas, Legal Counsel

(8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.)

Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist

(8:30 a.m. - 8:35 a.m)

Diana Sedok, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. WILLIS, RICHARD - LCA.5020

Commission grants Attorney Carocci's request for continuance of compliance meeting. (2007-6056)

2. **DEBARROS, CARLOS - LCA.6061**

Commission grants respondent's request for continuance of compliance meeting. (2007-4293)

3. SMITH, STILTON - LGB.13288

Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 5 days and \$1,600 for incident of 5/19/07. (2007-5153)

4. MONTERROSO, MARIA - LGB.14101

After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 4 days and \$1,500 for incident of 5/19/07. (2007-5182)

5. **GARUFI, KEVIN - LIP.12498**

Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 7/21/07. (2007-6175)

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

- 1. **MASSIMO, JOHN LIP.14384** Classic Wine & Spirits, Waterbury Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIP.12931, bill of sale, sellers affidavit, completion of personal history for John Massimo, personal history and information release form for John Massimo III, copy of checking account statement for \$60,000.
- 2. **SEVERINO, CARLOS LCA.6893** The Barn, New Milford Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LCA.6544, sellers affidavit or abandonment affidavit, executed copy of lease in LLC name, health certificate.
- 3. **ACKER, PAUL LIR.17550** Romano's Macaroni Grill, West Hartford Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIR.15572, bill of sale, sellers affidavit, health certificate.
- 4. **ANG, GIM ENG LIR.17511** Friend House, Orange Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, bill of sale, sellers affidavit. Commission approved request to waive section 30-6-A36(b), wholesalers period of credit, on provisional permit.
- 5. **MARIN, MOISES LCA.6905** La Bamba, East Haven Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIR.16431, bill of sale, sellers affidavit, health certificate.
- 6. HARRINGTON, STEPHEN LIP.14371

Addison Fine Wine & Spirits, Glastonbury Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, bill of sale, sellers affidavit, executed copy of lease in LLC name, completion of application (sections M6 & N6).

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- 7. **KARACICA, YLBER LRW.4528** Marlborough Pizza, Marlborough Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LRW.3097, bill of sale, sellers affidavit, health certificate, completion of application (section J), menu, sketch with dimensions, equipment list, copy of sales and use tax permit.
- 8. **SPIEL, JAMES LIR.17543** Kona Grill, Stamford Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, health certificate, financial affidavit, copy of sales and use tax permit.
- 9. **BEHERA, DIPIKA LRW.4517** Tawa, Stamford Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, sellers affidavit or abandonment affidavit, health certificate, completion of application (section J), personal history for J. Agarwal, organization and 1st biennial report, certificate of good standing from the Secretary of the State Office. Endorse no bar.
- 10. **AVELLINO, DINO LIR.17504** John's Best Pizza & Grille, Westport Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Endorse service bar only.
- 11. PATEL, KAUSHIKKUMAR LIP.14378

Salem 4 Corners Package Store, Salem Ok to issue provisional permit when pending charges on permit (LIP.12603, Mary Jane Graves) for sale to minor and transfer of stock without commission approval are resolved. Still need stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIP.12603, bill of sale, sellers affidavit.

12. **KURDUKAR, PRASANNA - LCA.6883** Madeira Bar & Lunch, Stamford Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LCA.6452, bill of sale, sellers affidavit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSION:

1. COSGROVE, MICHAEL - LIP.14292

Parkway Liquors Kings Corner, Westport Extension of provisional permit approved. Commission also approved request to waive section 30-6-A36(b), wholesalers period of credit, on provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

- 1. **KIRKLAND RANCH LLC LSW.315** Napa, CA No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
- 2. **MAYSARA WINERY LLC LSW.312** McMinnville, OR No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
- 3. **BRYANT VINEYARDS LTD LSW.314** St. Helena, CA No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
- 4. **CONTI, PAUL LCT.185** Run Around the Table Catering, Groton No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
- 5. **WILLIAMS, BRIGET LIR.17503** Citra Restaurant & Bar, Hartford Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice, completion of sellers affidavit. Endorse service bar only.
- 6. **CHOW, WAI LIR.17493** Dozo Restaurant, New Haven No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
- 7. **LIPPMAN, MARC LIR.17438** Fraiche, Fairfield Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of completion of application (phone number), bill of sale, health certificate, publication notice, copy of sales and use tax permit, 8 x 10 photos of furnished interior and lockable storage. Endorse service bar only.
- 8. **SHAPIRO, RONY LIP.14358** Gateway Liquors, Hartford Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of copy of lease, copy of sales and use tax permit.
- 9. **CASTRICONE, JOHN LIR.17436** Saveriano's Restaurant & Bar, Farmington Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of health certificate, final fire marshal, 8 x 10 photos of exterior and furnished interior.
- 10. **THAPA, SUVADIN LRW.4499** Noor Mahal, Orange Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of sellers affidavit, return of CSBI report. Endorse service bar only.

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11. **KNIGHT, MARC** - **LCA.6882** Geronimo, New Haven Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of health certificate, copy of sales and use tax permit, 8 x 10 photos of exterior and furnished interior. Endorse patio.

- 12. **PATEL, GITA LCA.6886** The G Café, Norwich Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of copy of naturalization papers for Gita Patel, copy of lease, 8 x 10 photo of patio. Endorse ACB and patio.
- 13. **SANCHEZ, JOHANA LGB.14200** Star Supermarket, East Hartford Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of bill of sale, sellers affidavit, copy of lease, cancel old permit LGB.14008, partnership agreement, corrected financial affidavit, copy of \$65,000 promissory note, new 12 item breakdown of sales for month of September.
- 14. **KISNER, STEVEN LIW.620** J Polep Distribution, Orange Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of proof of tax bond, personal histories and releases for Jeffrey Polep, David Shraiz and William Fitzsimmons, prices. Note: must be appointed as wholesaler for product registered by out of state shipper prior to importation and sales in state of CT.

OTHER:

- 1. **BATTISTA, CHRISTOPHER LIP.14255** Stateline Wine & Spirit, North Canaan Commission approved removal on stipulation.
- 2. **BORGES, JENNIFER LIP.14367** Conte's Package Store, Bridgeport Commission approved request to waive section 30-6-A36(b), wholesalers period of credit, on provisional permit.
- 3. **POON, ALEX LIR.15780** Wild Ginger, Greenwich Commission approved transfer of interest and substitute permittee.
- 4. **JOHNS, CYNTHIA LIR.17247** The Hub Bar & Grille, Canton Commission approved transfer of interest.

- 5. **KOUTIKAS, STERGIOS LIR.14168** New Colony Diner #2, Bridgeport Commission approved Hlias L. Koutikas as substitute permittee.
- 6. **CARBONE, WILLIAM LIR.16649** Braza, Hartford Commission approved Sanfrancesco Claudio as substitute permittee.
- 7. **KELLER, DANIEL LIR.16219** Glas, Glastonbury Commission approved Sanfrancesco Claudio as substitute permittee.
- 8. **SAVVIDIS, ANDREAS LIR.15059** Silver Star Restaurant, Norwalk Commission approved Anastasico Savvidis as substitute permittee.
- 9. **LONGO, SUZANNE LIH.1565** Courtyard by Marriott, Norwich Commission approved Tina Fleming as substitute permittee.
- 10. **TATA, TITO LIC.2100** Italian American Stars A.C., Hartford Commission approved Angelo Uccello as substitute permittee.
- 11. **ZULIANI, JEFFREY LIP.14199** Eastern Point Wine & Spirits, Groton Commission approved William E. Sanford III as substitute permittee.
- 12. **LEBLANC, JOHN LIC.2122** Wheeler-Young Post #201 VFW, Waterbury Commission approved Lawrence F. Valletta as substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gerald C. Langlais Administrator of Liquor Control