## STATE OF CONNECTICUT

## DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

## LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

## **MINUTES**

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room B

MEETING DATE: October 31, 2017 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

David Scribner, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division

Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney

Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst

Mary Riddick, Secretary 2

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

The Commission approves the minutes of October 26, 2017.

#### PROVISIONALS:

- 1. **WALLACE, RONALD E. LMB.1551** City Steam Brewery, Stratford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of copy of CT Sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.
- 2. **LIN, SHOUJING LRW.5346** Kyoto Sushi, LLC, Groton, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee and abandonment affidavit. Additional requirements: Copy of staffing and equipment lists, completed personal history for Tan Lin and completed background check for Tan Lin. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit. Endorse service bar only.

3. **SANTOS, LEANDRO A. – LCA.7954** Lo Sano Bar & Lounge, Hartford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, abandonment affidavit, 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 furnished entire interior rooms. Additional requirement: Copy of equipment list and staffing list. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

#### 4. **CASEY, JAMES P. – LCA.7960**

Bridge St. Libations & Temptations, New Hartford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee and executed copy of lease or right to occupy in the name of the Backer Entity, LLC. Additional requirement: proof of active filing for Backer Entity with the CT Secretary of State. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit. Endorse patio.

- 5. **BURKE, LAURA M. LCA.7982** Grace O'Malley's, Fairfield, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of executed copy of lease or right to occupy, 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 furnished entire interior rooms. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit. Endorse additional consumer bar (1).
- 6. **PATEL, PURSOTTTAM LIP.15560** Ken Wine and Spirit, Barkhamsted, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, copy of CT sales and use tax permit and 8x10 photos of the completed and furnished entire interior rooms. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.
- 7. **PATEL, RITESHKUMAR G. LIP.15561** Big Liquor, Naugatuck, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor 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 furnished entire interior rooms including cash register, shelving and coolers. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

# 8. **SONEY, THOMAS – LIP.15562**

Village Liquor Shoppe, Brookfield, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of cancelation of permit #LIP.14587, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy, 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 furnished entire interior rooms including cash register, shelving and coolers. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

#### 9. ROUSSEAU, ANTHONY M. – LIP.15563

The Best Wine Shop in Town, Glastonbury, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit #LIP.12456, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy in the name of the Backer Entity, LLC, copy of CT sales and use tax permit and 8x10 photos of the completed and furnished entire interior rooms including cash register, shelving and coolers. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

## 10. SHAH, RAJ V. – LIP.15565

Central Wine & Spirits, New Britain, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of cancelation of permit #LIP.14119, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy to the Backer Entity, LLC, 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 furnished entire interior rooms including cash register, shelving and coolers. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

11. **DUBOW, BENJAMIN D. – LIR.19756** Bistro On Main, LLC, Manchester, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, 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 furnished entire interior.. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

# 12. SHERMAN, SEAN E. – LIR.19790

Endorse patio.

Sherman's Tap House, Derby, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor 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 furnished entire interior rooms. Endorse additional

#### 13. WANG, YUE – LIR.19791

consumer bar (1).

Sushi Soba, Old Greenwich, CT

No action taken, assigned to agent.

## 14. **SANTORA, FRANK, JR. – LIR.19795**

Grimaldi's Pizza Woodbridge, Woodbridge, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit #LIR.19105 and seller's affidavit. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

## **FINALS:**

#### 15. HAIM, GABRIEL – LSB.960

Oyster Bay Brewing Company, Inc., Oyster Bay, NY The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.

## 16. LOPEZ, DAVID – LSB.962

Farlo, LLC, Bronx, NY

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

#### 17. TAUB, MARC D. – LSW.1239

Heritage Vintners, LLC

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

## 18. FORLONG, CALEB – LSL.1731

Hillersden, Los Angeles, CA

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

- 19. **LEBLANC, JOSEPH N., III LRW.5342** Knot Norms Catering, CO, Norwalk, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice. The Commission approves request waiving the separate toilet facilities requirements for good cause. Endorse service bar only.
- 20. **HOBERT, GARY J. LCA.7938** Friar Tuck's Tavern, Mystic, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
- 21. **DIAZ-SAEZ, JOHN LCA.7943** Pier Restaurant Group, LLC, New London, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of the completed and furnished entire barroom. Endorse patio.
- 22. **WADDELL, LAURIE A. LCA.7951** Spectra Wired, Hartford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit, issue after November 2, 2017. Endorse patio.
- 23. **GARGANO, JOEL A. LCA.7959** Grano Restaurant, Chester, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit, issue after November 1, 2017.
- 24. **PATEL, KUSHAL R. LGB.15299** Enfield Market, Enfield, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon completed publication notice.

25. **HOSSEN, AMZA M – LGB.15303** North Main Convenience, Norwalk, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

## 26. PERALTA, CHRISTIAN E. – LGB.15308

Bargain Food Center, LLC, Waterbury, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon cancelation of permit #LGB.13650, bill of sale, seller's affidavit and signed lease.

- 27. **PATEL, VIRAL M. LIP.15501** Ciales Liquors, Bridgeport, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of final publication notice.
- 28. **RAVAGE, JULIE C. LIP.15549** Pinnacle Wine & Liquor Superstore, Orange, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice.
- 29. **CITINO, LAUREL A. LIR.19639** Trattoria Toscana, Manchester, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
- 30. BRAMBILA, EDGAR LIR.19666

Ocho Café Tacos & Tequila, West Hartford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of basement sketch.

- 31. **VICCARO, BRIAN J. LIR.19708** Giovannis Brick Oven Pizza, Glastonbury, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of patio, interior access and extension of use.
- 32. **CAPPELLETTI, VINCENT C. LIR.19753**Lucas Local, Newtown, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt publication notice and 8x10 photos of the completed and furnished entire interior. Endorse patio and interior access.

#### OTHER:

#### 33. BUSHNELL, MICHAEL G. – LMP.43

Lock City Brewing Company, Stamford, CT The Commission approves the request for extension of use as submitted in document of October 13, 2017.

## 34. MCKINNEY, SCOTT – LCA.7953

Lebanon Tap Room, Lebanon, CT

The Commission approves the request to add karaoke under entertainment.

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- 35. **CHAUDHRY, SHAMS U. LGB.15288** One Stop Mart, Bridgeport, CT The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional permit.
- 36. **MILLER, RITA M. LIR.19683** The Miller's Lounge, Middletown, CT The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional permit.
- 37. **UKAJ, LEUTRIM LIR.19719** Fratelli Pizza Lion, Wallingford, CT The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional permit.
- 38. **KNOTTS, WILLIAM T. LIR.197128** Christo's Pizza, Mystic, CT The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee.

Adjourned 9:26 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division mer