

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION
MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room B

MEETING DATE: February 28, 2017 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. 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:

1. The Commission approves the minutes of February 21 and 23, 2017.

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

1. **FREEDMAN, JOEL – LPA.23**

The Mark Twain House and Museum, Hartford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional liquor permit and \$500.00 fee. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit. Endorse extension of use.

2. **WESTFALL, MATTHEW C. – LMP.48** Counterweight Brewing, Co. Hamden, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional liquor permit. Additional requirements: copy of alcoholic beverage distributor license. Endorse additional consumer bar (1).

3. **PERROTTI, NEIL J. – LRW.5316** Perrotti's Pizza, Watertown, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional liquor permit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
4. **VILARINHO, JAOA P. – LCA.7894** Zigana, Bridgeport, CT
No action taken. Assigned to Agent.
5. **CELOTTE, KEVIN L. – LCA.7899** The Hidden Still, Ellington, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional liquor permit, \$50.00 fee, cancelation of permit #LCA.7752, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right of occupy and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit. Endorse patio.
6. **MORASCINI, DAVID J. – LCA.7903** Richoni's Lounge, Groton, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional liquor permit, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
7. **ZENG, YANG F. – LIR.19641** Golden Elegant, Norwich, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional liquor permit. Additional requirements: 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 the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

8. **JUSTUS, SUSAN – LTR.237** Justus Truck Lines, Inc., Hendersonville, NC
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
9. **LAZAR, KATHERINE E. – LTR.238** Domaine New York, LLC, Saint Louis, MO
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
10. **KLEIN, BERNICE – LSW.1178** Drink Licensing, LLC, Graton, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.

11. **ARIAS, LUIS – LCA.7843** VZ Sports Bar & Restaurant, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of equipment list and staff list.
12. **ZHENG, GUO D. – LRW.5267** Kam Pei III, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. Endorse service bar only.
13. **WONG, MANAU – LRW.5286** 707Asian Fusion, Torrington, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. Endorse no bar.
14. **PUGLISI, FRANK J. – LCA.7892** LT’S Corner Music Bar and Grill, Orange, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
15. **FRATAMICO, LORI M. – LIP.14242** Captain Liquor Store, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves the move to 3600 E. Main St., Waterbury, CT, upon receipt of publication notice, 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 interior of the premise showing the sales counter, cash register and shelving.
16. **LESSANDRI, GAYE A. – LIP.15411** Costco Wholesale Corporation, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of cancelation of permit #LIP.14242, bill of salesellers 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 interior of the premise showing the sales counter, cash register and shelving.
17. **BOWE, CHARLES R., III. – LIP.15457** Grand Wine and Spirits, Mystic, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of completed publication notice. Endorse invoices off premises.
18. **BOWE, CHARLES R., III – LIP15458** Grand Wine and Spirits, Old Lyme, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of completed publication notice. Endorse invoice off premises.
19. **PATEL, MAHESHKUMAR – LIP.15475** East Side Discount Liquor, Norwich, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of bill of sale, cancelation of permit # LIP.14861, sellers affidavit and bill of sale.
20. **GIANNETTI, JANET D. – LIR.19559** Hungry Rhino, Windsor Locks, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of the men and ladies restrooms.

21. **GANASSINI, PAUL – LIR.19566** Lulu Pazzo Italiano, Ansonia,CT
The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of completed publication notice.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

22. **PEASE, MICHAEL A. – LRW.5293** Shake Shack, Darien, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
23. **MEDEIROS, MANUEL D. – LIR.19561** 105 Restaurant and Lounge, Meriden, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

OTHER:

24. **FREY VINEYARDS, LTD – LSW.42** Frey Vineyards, LTD, Redwood Valley, CA
The Commission accepts being advised of new shareholder members.
25. **EDERBROS, LIW.502** Eder Brothers, Inc., West Haven, CT
The Commission approves the request allowing wholesaler to extend delivery through March 3, 2017 for Beringer Founder's Cabernet Sauvignon 1.5L ordered in February 2017 due to rail issues identified by supplier. Product is exclusive to wholesaler.
26. **CONNECTICUT DISTRIBUTORS, INC. – LIW.532** Connecticut Distributors, Inc., Stratford, CT
The Commission approves the request allowing wholesaler to extend delivery through March 13, 2017 for Jim Beam BRBN 80 PET 12/10PK 50ML products ordered during the month of February 2017.
27. **HARDIMAN, MARTIN B. – LIC.2231** Irish Heritage Society of Milford, Milford, CT
The Commission approves request to waive the guest book requirement for March 17, and 26, 2017.
28. **FIGUEROA, LAURA – LIR.18786** Avenue Bar and Grill, Naugatuck, CT
The Commission approves Laura Figueroa as substitute permittee.
29. **MOREIRA, PEDRO R. – LIR.18786** Avenue Bar and Grill, Naugatuck, CT
The Commission approves the transfer of interest, resulting in Laura Figueroa acquiring 100% interest in Avenue Bar and Grill.
30. **HOBERT, GARY J. – LIR.19247** Pizzetta, Mystic, CT
The Commission approves request for patio and additional consumer bar (1) for March 17-19, 2017.

31. **RUSGROVE, LEANNE – LIR.19640** Café 2 North, Wolcott, CT
The Commission approves request for service bar only.
32. **PERRY, CAROL A. – LIR.19652** The Grille, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves request for extension of use of golf course.

Adjourned 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division
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