DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: August 31, 2010 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

Stephen R. Somma, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control

Elisa Nahas, Legal Counsel

Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist 2

Douglas Deveny, Secretary

<u>HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:</u>

1. ISSA, NASIMA - LGB.13932

Mike's Supermarket & Convenience, Bridgeport, CT Commission grants respondent's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2010-339

- 2. **PATIL, SANJAY H. LIP.13116** College Wine, New Haven, CT Commission grants respondent's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2009-6215
- 3. **SMITH, GRACE J. LCA.6634** John's Mystic River Tavern, Mystic, CT Commission grants respondent's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2008-10287
- 4. **OUELLETTE, ANDREW B. LCA.7177** Tavarii, Torrington, CT Remove from hearings; application withdrawn. 2010-449
- 5. **BOILEAU, GUY K. LCA.7018** Sr., Burnside Pizza & Pub, East Hartford, CT Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2010-875
- 6. **VINCENTE, ANGEL LIR.14842** Fontana di Calabria, Meriden, CT Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2010-878

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7. BELLAMY, JOYCE - LCA.6822

Pearl Lounge, New Haven, CT

Commission takes no further action on incident of 1/28/10 due to change in ownership which occurred on 7/29/10. 2010-120

8. VILLA, CELINA - LGB.14345

Tienda Latina, New Milford, CT

Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$850 for incident of 4/17/10. 2010-454

9. PATEL, KALPESH - LIP.14449

K&N Liquors, Windsor Locks, CT

Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 6/12/10. 2010-638

10. **BELTRE, AMANDA L. - LGB.14233**

Family Beltre Grocery, Hartford, CT

After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 9 days of which 3 days will be held in abeyance for 6 months. If, during that 6-month abeyance period, there are no new similar allegations or incidents then the Commission will take no further action on the remaining charges that are the subject of the offer in compromise. 2009-1619

11. GIL, ERICIDA A. - LGB.14091

Carolina Grocery, Hartford, CT

After compliance meeting, commission rejects offer of 10 days for incidents of 8/18/06 and 2/19/10. 2009-5527

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

12. KUTROLLI, BESMIR – LRW.4784

La Stella Pizzeria, Norwich, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while under provisional permit is approved.

13. PATEL, KIRANKUMAR – LGB.14558

Preston General Store, Preston, CT

Commission takes no action; file returned to agent.

14. SHAH, BHADRESH J. – LGB.14572

H&B Market, Griswold, CT

Commission takes no action; file returned to agent.

15. DELSON, INGRID – LIR.18038

Versailles Patisserie, Greenwich, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, seller's affidavit from LIR.15126, abandonment affidavit attesting that nothing of value received from prior permit LCA.6840. Commission grants request to move liquor inventory to 339 Greenwich Ave lockable storage area.

16. VIBERT, KEITH W. – LGB.14541

Mondo, Middletown, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee.

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17. LEE, KENNETH – LIP.14741

Cheshire Liquors, Cheshire, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, CT sales and use tax certificate, business phone number, CSBI, proof of right to occupy. Request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while under provisional permit is approved.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

- 18. **STOCK, ANITA V. LIP.14689.P.CW** Cranbury Wines & Liquors, Norwalk, CT Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
- 19. **HASEM, ABUL M. LRW.4745.P.CW** Bombay Restaurant, Danbury, CT Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
- 20. **PENA, JEFFY E. LCA.7171.P** Amber Café, Waterbury, CT Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
- 21. SHAHID, MOHAMMAD LGB.14496.P.CW

123 Convenience Store, Bridgeport, CT Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

22. **GOLUB, DAVID – LGB.14527.P.CW** Price Chopper #232, Middletown, CT Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

FINALS:

23. D'AQUINO ITALIAN IMPORTING CO INC – LSL.1295

Duarte, CA

Commission approved to issue final permit.

24. COPAIN WINE CELLARS LLC – LSW.589

Healdsburg, CA

Commission approved to issue final permit.

25. ROCK SAKE LLC - LSW.586

West Hollywood, CA

Commission approved to issue final permit.

26. PELICAN BRANDS LLC - LSB.785

Carmel, IN

Commission approved to issue final permit.

27. PARADISE RIDGE WINERY – LSW.587

Santa Rosa, CA

Commission approved to issue final permit.

28. **GAKOPOULOS, COSMOS – LRW.4752** East Lyme Pizza, East Lyme, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice.

29. VENTURA, MIRIAM DEL CARMEN – LIR.18076

Los Jalapenos Restaurant, Stratford, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.

- 30. **JOSEPH, CHARLES B. JR. LGB.14538** Shoprite of West Hartford, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of bill of sale, publication notice, CSBI.
- 31. **COLON, PHILIP JR. LCA.7203**Commission approved to issue final permit.

 Jessie's Café, Hartford, CT
- 32. RIZZUTO, WILLIAM B. LCT.303

Rizzuto's Wood Fired Kitchen & Bar, Westport, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.

33. SHIMIZU, CHRISTINE L. – LCT.296

Murasaki Japanese Restaurant, West Hartford, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of proof of good standing with secretary of state's office.

- **34. SARCIA, AMY E. LCT.304** 2 Wives Brick Oven Pizza, New London, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.
- 35. **QUIROGA, NOELIA LRW.4769** Ceviche Palace, Bridgeport, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice, CSBI. Endorse service bar only.
- 36. **PATEL, CHIRAG D. LIR.18145.P.CW**Namaste India, Southington, CT

 Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of publication
 notice. Endorse service bar only.
- 37. **ESAW, JEFFREY P. LCT.294**Commission approved to issue final permit.

 Jeff's Cuisine, Norwalk, CT

38. JOHNSON, MELYSA D. – LCA.7202.P.CW

Downtown Bar and Grill, Middletown, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice, 8x10 photo of trade name.

OTHER:

39. **SIMPSON, JEFFREY A. – LIR.18193** Goodlife Grill, Granby, CT Request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while under provisional permit is approved.

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- 40. **GRIMSHAW, JAMES A. LCA.7216** The Club LLC, Danielson, CT Request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while under provisional permit is approved.
- 41. **RIZZUTO, WILLIAM B. LIR.17972**Rizzuto's Wood Fired Kitchen & Bar, Westport, CT
 Commission approved William B. Rizzuto as substitute permittee.
- 42. **ROLL, JUDITH P. LRW.4689** Tabouli Grill, Stamford, CT Commission approved transfer of interest.
- 43. **PRENDERGAST, NEIL E. LIC.2168**Polish Falcons of America # 307, Southington, CT

 Commission approved request to waive guestbook requirement for 9/12/10.
- 44. **CHASE, RONALD LIC.2030** American Legion Post # 20, Terryville, CT Commission approved Ralph Sanzeri as substitute permittee.
- **45. PENA, JOSE A. LGB.14304** Quisquella Mini Market, Bridgeport, CT Commission approved Ydane Pena as substitute permittee.
- 46. **ROSARIO, JAHAIRA E. LGB.14454** Mini Rite Grocery, Bridgeport, CT Commission approved Jose Serrano as substitute permittee.
- 47. **DANFORD, ERNEST LIC.1950** Victory Lodge, New London, CT Commission approved Leon Owens as substitute permittee.
- 48. **LAMENZA, SANDRA K. LIH.1585-C** Ethan Allen Hotel, Danbury, CT Commission approved Corey J. Whitely as substitute permittee.
- 49. **BAUTISTA, CESAR LRW.4457** AJ's Pizza, Higganum, CT Commission approved Yajaira Bautista as substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy Director of Liquor Control dd