



Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission
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Chairman

December 2, 2025

NOTICE OF SUSPENSION

THE DUGOUT CAFÉ INC. D/B/A THE DUGOUT CAFÉ
722 COMMONWEALTH AVENUE
BOSTON, MA 02215
LICENSE #: 00265-RS-0116
VIOLATION DATE: 2/06/2025
HEARD: 5/13/2025

After a hearing on May 13, 2025, the Commission finds The Dugout Café Inc. d/b/a The Dugout Café violated 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: Ch. 138, § 34C – Possession of an alcoholic beverage by a person under 21 years of age (8 Counts).

The Commission suspends the license for a period of five (5) days of which two (2) days will be served and three (3) days will be held in abeyance for a period of two (2) years provided that no further violations of Chapter 138 or Commission Regulations are found by this Commission.

The suspension shall commence on Monday, January 26, 2026, and terminate on Tuesday, January 27, 2026. The license will be delivered to the Local Licensing Board or its designee on Monday, January 26, 2026, at 9:00 A.M. It will be returned to the licensee on January 28, 2026.

You are advised that pursuant to the provisions of M.G.L. c.138 § 23, you may petition the Commission to accept an offer in compromise in lieu of suspension within twenty (20) calendar days following such notice of such suspension. If accepted, you may pay a fine using the enclosed form which must be signed by the Licensee and a Massachusetts Licensed Accountant.

You are advised that you have the right to appeal this decision under M.G.L. c. 30A to Superior Court within thirty (30) days upon receipt of this notice.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

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cc: Local Licensing Board
Frederick G. Mahony, Chief Investigator
Christopher Temple, Investigator
Nicole Terasconi, Investigator
Dennis A. Quilty, Esq.
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DECISION

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The Dugout Café Inc. d/b/a The Dugout Café (“Licensee” or “Dugout”) holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, § 12. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (“ABCC” or “Commission”) held a hearing on Tuesday, May 13, 2025, regarding an alleged violation of 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: Ch.138 §34C – Possession of an alcoholic beverage by a person under twenty-one (21) years of age (8 Counts). Prior to the commencement of the hearing, the Licensee stipulated to the facts in Investigator Temple’s Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

1. Violation Report of Investigator C. Temple;
2. ABCC Form 43, New License Approval, 12/27/1963;
3. Photograph of Imposter/Fraudulent Identifications;
4. Licensee’s Stipulation of Facts.

A. IDSSolutions Invoice, 2/14/2025.

There is one (1) audio recording of this hearing.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On Thursday, February 6, 2025, at approximately 10:30 p.m., Investigators Terasconi and Temple along with Chief Mahony (“Investigators”) inspected the business operation of The Dugout Café Inc. d/b/a The Dugout Café (“Licensee” or “Dugout”).
2. Investigators observed a table to the right of the entrance where several youthful appearing individuals were in possession of what appeared to be alcoholic beverages.
3. Investigators identified themselves to the individuals and requested proof of legal age to possess alcoholic beverages.

4. Underage #1, actual date of birth 12/02/2004 (age 20), was in possession of a Coors Light beer. He stated to Investigators that he was not asked for identification when he ordered the alcoholic beverage.
5. Underage #2, actual date of birth 8/04/2006 (age 18), was in possession of a Coors Light beer. He presented to Investigators a fraudulent Massachusetts driver's license bearing his picture but another person's name and birth date.
6. Underage #3, actual date of birth 11/28/2005 (age 19), was in possession of a vodka cranberry mixed drink. She presented to Investigators a fraudulent Virginia driver's license bearing her name and picture but a different birth date.
7. Underage #4, actual date of birth 11/10/2005 (age 19), was in possession of a Coors Light beer. He provided to Investigators a fraudulent Rhode Island driver's license bearing his name and picture but a different birth date.
8. Underage #5, actual date of birth 5/25/2006 (age 18), was in possession of a Captain Morgan Spiced Rum and Coke® mixed drink. She provided to Investigators a fraudulent Connecticut driver's license bearing her name and picture but a different birth date.
9. Underage #6, actual date of birth 8/29/2005 (age 19), was in possession of a Coors Light beer. She stated to Investigators that she was not asked for identification when she ordered the alcoholic beverage.
10. Investigators observed two more youthful appearing individuals sitting at the bar in possession of what appeared to be an alcoholic beverage. Investigators identified themselves and requested proof of legal age to possess alcoholic beverages.
11. Underage #7, actual date of birth 11/18/2005 (age 19), was in possession of a Coors Light beer. He provided to Investigators a fraudulent New York driver's license bearing his name and picture but a different birth date.
12. Underage #8, actual date of birth 4/12/2006 (age 18), was in possession of a Coors Light beer. She provided to Investigators a fraudulent Texas driver's license bearing her name and picture but a different birth date.
13. Investigators identified the underage individuals and fraudulent identifications to the manager on duty, Rob Conklin. They informed Mr. Conklin of the violations and advised him that that a report would be filed with the Chief Investigator for further review.
14. William Crowley, Licensee, appeared at the Commission hearing and testified all who enter the licensed premises are required to produce identification. Mr. Crowley stated they have an identification scanner, but it was not working on the night of the Investigator's inspection. It has since been repaired. He stated there is always an employee working at the door to prevent anyone under twenty-one years of age from gaining entrance to the establishment.
15. Mr. Conklin also appeared at the Commission hearing and reiterated the Licensee's policy of requiring all patrons to produce identification. He further stated that he was working on

the night of the Investigator's inspection and observed the employee working at the door requested and examined identification from anyone seeking entrance.

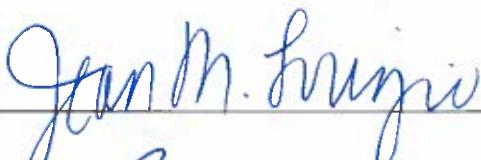
16. The Licensee has held a license under M.G.L. c. 138, § 12 since 1963, more than 50 years, with no prior violations.

CONCLUSION

Based on the evidence, the Commission finds the Licensee violated 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: Ch.138 § 34C – Possession of an alcoholic beverage by a person under twenty-one (21) years of age (8 Counts). Therefore, the Commission **SUSPENDS the license for a period of five (5) days of which two (2) days will be served and three (3) days will be held in abeyance for a period of two (2) years provided that no further violations of Chapter 138 or Commission Regulations are found by this Commission.**

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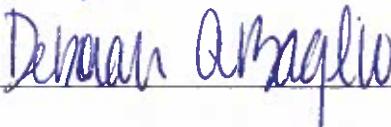
Jean M. Lorizio, Chairman



Crystal Matthews, Commissioner



Deborah A. Baglio, Commissioner



Dated: December 2, 2025

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