

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission 95 Fourth Street, Suite 3 Chelsea, Massachusetts 02150-2358

Jean M. Lorizio, Esq. Chairman

DECISION

SOUTH CARVER LIQUOR CORP. D/B/A CARVER SQUARE WINE & SPIRITS

123 MAIN STREET CARVER, MA 02230

LICENSE#: 89674-PK-0174 VIOLATION DATE: 6/15/2022

HEARD: 10/11/2022

South Carver Liquor Corp. d/b/a Carver Square Wine & Spirits ("Licensee") holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, § 15. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission ("ABCC" or "Commission") held a remote hearing via Microsoft Teams on Tuesday, October 11, 2022, regarding an alleged violation of 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: M.G.L. Ch. 138, § 34 Sale or Delivery of an alcoholic beverage to a person under twenty-one years of age. Prior to the commencement of the hearing, the Licensee stipulated to the facts alleged in Investigator Kenny's Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

- 1. Investigator Kenny's Minimum Purchase Age Compliance Check Field Report, 6/15/2022;
- 2. ABCC Licensing Authority Certification, Transfer License approved, 11/01/2019;
- 3. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. On Wednesday, June 15, 2022, at approximately 5:56 p.m., Investigators Cutter and Kenny ("Investigators"), inspected the business operation of South Carver Liquor Corp. d/b/a Carver Square Wine & Spirits.
- 2. An underage operative, working under the supervision of Investigators, purchased an alcoholic beverage, one 6-pack of Bud Light beer, for nine dollars (\$9.00). The underage operative was not asked for identification.

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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: M.G.L. Ch. 138, § 34 Sale or Delivery of an alcoholic beverage to a person under twenty-one years of age. Therefore, the Commission issues a **WARNING.**

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

Deborah	A.	Baglio,	Commissioner,	

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I have reviewed the hearing record and concur with the above decision.

Jean M. Lorizio, Chairman

Crystal Matthews, Commissioner

Dated: November7, 2022

You have the right to appeal this decision to the Superior Courts under the provisions of Chapter 30A of the Massachusetts General Laws within thirty (30) days of receipt of this decision.

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