

*The Commonwealth of Massachusetts*  
*Department of the State Treasurer*  
*Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission*  
*Boston, Massachusetts 02114*

*Steven Grossman*  
*Treasurer and Receiver General*

*Kim J. Gainsboro, Esq.*  
*Chairman*

**DECISION**

**Peoples Super Liquor Stores, Inc. dba Douglas Wine & Spirits**  
**1 Peoples Way**  
**Fairhaven, MA 02719**  
**License#: 03800031**  
**Heard: 9/13/2011**

Peoples Super Liquor Stores, Inc. dba Douglas Wine & Spirits (the "Licensee") holds an all alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, §15. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (the "Commission") held a hearing on Tuesday, September 13, 2011, regarding an alleged violation of M.G.L. c.138, §34. Prior to the commencement of the hearing, the licensee stipulated to the violation alleged in Investigator Jamie Binienda's Compliance Check Field Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

1. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts;
2. Compliance Check Field Report dated June 3, 2011; and
3. Photo of Under-aged.

A. Policy on Alcohol Server Training.

There is one (1) tape of this hearing.

**FACTS**

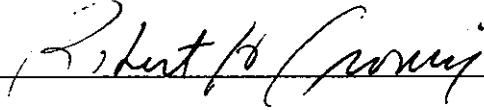
1. On June 3, 2011 at approximately 4:03 p.m., Commission Investigators investigated the business operation Peoples Super Liquor Stores, Inc. dba Douglas Wine & Spirits.
2. An underage operative, working with the investigators, purchased a six (6) pack of Bud Light for six dollars and seventy-nine cents (\$6.79). The underage operative was not asked for identification.
3. Administrative review of the licensee's files indicates the license has one (1) prior violation in twenty (20) years of existence.

**CONCLUSION**

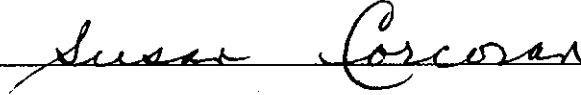
Based on the evidence, the Commission finds the licensee violated M.G.L. c. 138, §34. Therefore, the Commission **suspends the license for three (3) days of which three (3) days will be held in abeyance for a period of two (2) years provided no further violations of Chapter 138 or Commission Regulations occur.**

**ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION**

Robert Cronin, Commissioner



Susan Corcoran, Commissioner



Dated: October 6, 2011

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.

cc: Local Licensing Board  
Frederick G. Mahony, Chief Investigator  
Jamie Binienda, Investigator  
Administration  
File