



*Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission
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DECISION

**RAM KRISHNA HARI CORPORATION
D/B/A SCUTTLEBUTTS LIQUORS
407-409 MAIN STREET
FAIRHAVEN, MA 02719
LICENSE#: 89477-PK-0384
VIOLATION DATE: 5/02/2025
HEARD: 7/22/2025**

Ram Krishna Hari Corporation d/b/a Scuttlebutts Liquors (“Licensee”) holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, § 15. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (“Commission” or “ABCC”) held a hearing on Tuesday, July 22, 2025, regarding an alleged violation of M.G.L. Ch. 138, § 34 Sale or Delivery of an alcoholic beverage to a person under twenty-one years of age (1 Count). 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. Investigative Report of M. Kenny;
2. ABCC Application Summary Review, Transfer of License Approved, 1/30/2019;
3. Licensee Stipulation of Facts.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On Friday, May 2, 2025, at approximately 6:40 p.m., Investigators Kenny and Teehan (“Investigators”) observed the business operation of Ram Krishna Hari Corporation d/b/a Scuttlebutts Liquors.
2. While outside of the licensed premises, Investigators observed a youthful appearing male individual exit the licensed premises in possession of eight (8) Surfside vodka lemonades. Investigators approached the individual, identified themselves and requested proof of age to lawfully purchase and or possess alcoholic beverages.
3. Underage #1, actual date of birth 4/09/2007 (age 18), presented to Investigators a fraudulent Connecticut driver’s license used to purchase the alcoholic beverages.
4. Investigators informed the clerk on duty of the violation and that a report would be submitted to the Chief Investigator for further action.

5. Pinal Patel, Licensee, appeared at the Commission hearing.
6. The Licensee has held a license under M.G.L. c. 138, § 15 since 2019.

CONCLUSION

Based on the evidence, the Commission finds the Licensee violated M.G.L. Ch. 138, § 34 Sale or Delivery of an alcoholic beverage to a person under twenty-one years of age (1 Count). Therefore, the Commission **SUSPENDS the license for a period of one (1) day to be held in abeyance for a period of two (2) years provided no further violations of Chapter 138 or Commission Regulations are found by this Commission.**

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

Crystal Matthews, Commissioner *Crystal Matthews*

Deborah Baglio, Commissioner *Deborah Baglio*

Dated: March 3, 2026

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