



*Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission  
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Chelsea, Massachusetts 02150-2358*

**Jean M. Lorizio, Esq.**  
*Chairman*

**DECISION**

**AKTA INC. D/B/A LIQUOR PALACE  
879 PLEASANT STREET  
FALL RIVER, MA 02723  
LICENSE#: 90678-PK-0388  
VIOLATION DATE: 6/04/2025  
HEARD: 9/30/2025**

Akta Inc. d/b/a Liquor Palace (“Licensee”) holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, § 15. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (“ABCC” or “Commission”) held a hearing on Tuesday, September 30, 2025, 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 Investigators Smith & McDonough’s Compliance Check Field Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

1. Investigators Smith & McDonough’s Minimum Purchase Age Compliance Check Field Report, 6/4/2025;
2. ABCC Licensing Authority Certification, Transfer of License Approved, 11/17/2023;
3. Licensee’s Stipulation of Facts.
  - A. TIPS Certificate of Completion (1);
  - B. Photographs (2) of Signs Posted at Licensed Premises.

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

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. On Wednesday, June 4, 2025, at approximately 5:33 p.m., Investigators Smith & McDonough (“Investigators”), conducted a compliance check of Akta Inc. d/b/a Liquor Palace.
2. An underage operative, working under the supervision of Investigators, purchased an alcoholic beverage, one 25-ounce Bud Light beer, for three dollars and fifty cents (\$3.50). The underage operative was not asked for identification.
3. The Licensee has held a license under M.G.L. c. 138, § 15 since 2023.

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**

Jean M. Lorizio, Chairman Jean M. Lorizio

Crystal Matthews, Commissioner Crystal Matthews

Deborah A. Baglio, Commissioner Deborah A. Baglio

Dated: October 20, 2025

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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- cc: Local Licensing Board
- Frederick G. Mahony, Chief Investigator
- David McDonough, Investigator
- Nicole Smith, Investigator
- Arthur Pearlman, Esq.
- Administration, File