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Jean M. Lorizio, Esq. Chairman

DECISION

FOXBORO HOSPITALITY, LLC D/B/A SIX STRING BAR AND GRILL 275 PATRIOT PLACE FOXBOROUGH, MA 02035 LICENSE#: 04816-RS-0426

VIOLATION DATE: 12/14/2024

HEARD: 2/11/2025

Foxboro Hospitality, LLC d/b/a Six String Bar and Grill (the "Licensee") 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, February 11, 2025, regarding an alleged violation of M.G.L. Ch. 138, § 69 – Sale or delivery of an alcoholic beverage to an intoxicated person (1 Count). Prior to the commencement of the hearing, the Licensee stipulated to the facts alleged in Investigator Fleming's report.

The following documents are in evidence:

- 1. Investigative Report of S. Fleming;
- 2. ABCC Application Cover Sheet, New License Approval, 4/9/2019;
- 3. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. On Saturday, December 14, 2024, Investigators Velez, Cutter and Fleming inspected the business operation of Foxboro Hospitality, LLC d/b/a Six String Bar and Grill at 275 Patriot Place in Foxboro.
- 2. The Investigators' attention was drawn to a male individual standing directly in front of the bar, in direct view of the bartender, who appeared to be intoxicated.
- 3. Investigators Cutter and Fleming observed the male had a dazed look and was leaning on other patrons in an apparent attempt to keep himself steady. The male removed his shirt while dancing and bar staff asked him to put his clothes back on.
- 4. The male patron was observed to be swaying heavily. He stumbled several times and almost fell over while still in the direct view of several bartenders and other staff.

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- 5. Investigator Fleming spoke directly to the male and he responded with thick slurred speech. Investigator Fleming observed he had bloodshot and glassy eyes.
- 6. After Investigators Cutter and Fleming formulated the opinion that the male patron was intoxicated, the bartender delivered the male patron two cans of Miller Light beer.
- 7. Investigator Velez entered the premises, identified himself to Bill Connolly, Manager, and identified the intoxicated patron to him. Mr. Connolly was cooperative and removed the male from the premises after ensuring his safe transportation home. Investigator Velez informed Mr. Connolly that a report would be filed with the Chief Investigator for further review.
- 8. Mr. Connolly appeared at the Commission hearing, along with Greg Springer, Regional Manager for the Briar Group and Dessie Kerins, a Senior Member of the Briar Group. Mr. Connolly testified as to the constant training employees undergo regarding the service of alcohol.
- 9. The Licensee has held a license under M.G.L. c. 138, § 12 since 2019.

CONCLUSION

Based on the evidence, the Commission finds the Licensee violated M.G.L. Ch. 138, § 69. As a result, the Commission issues a **WARNING**.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

Jean M. Lorizio, Chairman

Crystal Matthews, Commissioner

Deborah Baglio, Commissioner

Dated: September 3, 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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