

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

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Chairman

DECISION

RTE 97 QUIK PIK INC. DBA RTE 97 LIQUORS
908-D SALEM STREET
GROVELAND, MA 01834
LICENSE#: 048000007
VIOLATION DATE: 01/21/2015
HEARD: 03/03/2015

Rte. 97 Quik Pik Inc. dba Rte. 97 Liquors (the "Licensee") holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, §15. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (the "Commission") held a hearing on Tuesday, March 3, 2015, regarding an alleged violation of 204 CMR 2.05 (2) – Permitting an illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: c. 138, §34 – Sale or delivery of an alcoholic beverage to a person under twenty-one (21) years of age. Prior to the commencement of the hearing, the licensee stipulated to the violation alleged in Investigator Bailey's Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

1. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts; and
2. Investigator Bailey's Compliance Check Field Report dated January 21, 2015;
3. Compliance Check Guidelines;
4. Photograph of Underage Operative; and
5. Parents' Permission Slip for Underage Operative.

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

The Commission took Administrative Notice of the Licensee's record.

FACTS

1. On Wednesday, January 21, 2015, at approximately 6:08 p.m., Investigators Doyle and Bailey conducted an investigation of the business operation of Rte. 97 Quik Pik Inc. dba Rte. 97 Liquors.
2. An underage operative, working with investigators, purchased an alcoholic beverage, a twenty-five ounce (25 oz.) can of Budweiser Light beer for three dollars (\$3.00). 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: c. 138, §34 – Sale or delivery of an alcoholic beverage to a person under twenty-one (21) years of age. Therefore, the Commission **suspends the license for four (4) days of which four (4) days will be held in abeyance for a period of two (2) years provided no further violations of Chapter 138 or Commission Regulations occur.**

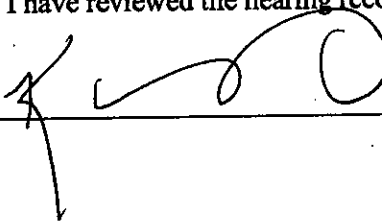
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

Susan Corcoran, Commissioner



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

Kim S. Gainsboro, Chairman



Dated: March 17, 2015

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
Rose Bailey, Investigator
Brad Doyle, Investigator
Administration
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