

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission 95 Fourth Street, Suite 3 Chelsea, Massachusetts 02150-2358

Jean M. Lorizio, Esq. Chairman

DECISION

IPSWICH TAVERN LLC 24-26 HAMMATT STREET IPSWICH, MA 01938 LICENSE#: 00015RS-0566

VIOLATION DATE: 3/26/2024

HEARD: 8/27/2024

Ipswich Tavern LLC ("Licensee") holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, § 12. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission ("ABCC" or "Commission") held a remote hearing via Microsoft Teams on Tuesday, August 27, 2024, 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 Bolcome & Anderson's Minimum Purchase Age Compliance Check Field Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

- 1. Investigators Bolcome & Anderson's Minimum Purchase Age Compliance Check Field Report, 3/26/2024;
- 2. ABCC Form 43, Transfer of License Approval 4/17/2007;
- 3. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. On Tuesday, March 26, 2024, at approximately 6:12 p.m., Investigators Bolcome and Anderson ("Investigators"), conducted a compliance check at Ipswich Tavern LLC.
- 2. An underage operative, working under the supervision of Investigators, purchased an alcoholic beverage, one bottle of Bud Light beer for four dollars and twenty-five cents (\$4.25). The underage operative was not asked for identification.
- 3. The Licensee has held a license under M.G.L. c. 138, § 12 since 2007.

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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: M.G.L. Ch. 138, § 34 Sale or Delivery of an alcoholic beverage to a person under twenty-one years of age. As a result, the Commission issues a **WARNING**.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

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I, the undersigned, certify I have reviewed	the hearing record.	
Deborah A. Baglio, Commissioner	Deboran a Baglio	-
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