

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

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# DECISION

### SANTA FE BURRITO GRILL MALDEN LLC D/B/A SANTA FE BURRITO GRILL 205 PLEASANT STREET MALDEN, MA 02148 LICENSE # 07497-RS-0646 VIOLATION DATE: 4/07/2025 HEARD: 5/27/2025

Santa Fe Burrito Grill Malden LLC d/b/a Santa Fe Burrito Grill ("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, May 27, 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 Guarino & Fleming's Minimum Purchase Age Compliance Check Field Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

- 1. Investigators Guarino & Fleming's Minimum Purchase Age Compliance Check Field Report 4/7/25;
- 2. ABCC Licensing Authority Certification New License Approved, 5/04/2023;
- 3. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts.

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

## FINDINGS OF FACT

- On Monday, April 7, 2025, at approximately 6:38 p.m., Investigators Fleming & Guarino ("Investigators") conducted a compliance check at Santa Fe Burrito Grill Malden LLC d/b/a Santa Fe Burrito Grill.
- 2. An underage operative, working under the supervision of Investigators, was served an alcoholic beverage, one bottle of Corona beer. The underage operative was not asked for identification.
- 3. The Licensee has held a license under M.G.L. c. 138, § 12 since 2023 with no prior violations.

#### 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

Jean M. Lorizio, Chairman JUMM. Swipi
Crystal Matthews, Commissioner Crystal Matthews
Deborah A. Baglio, Commissioner Denau a Maglio

Dated: June 17, 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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