



Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission
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DECISION

WALNUT ST. CAFÉ INC.
8 WALNUT STREET
PALMER, MA 01069
LICENSE#: 00022-RS-0948
VIOLATION DATE: 5/28/2025
HEARD: 9/16/2025

Walnut St. Café Inc. ("Licensee") holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, § 12. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission ("Commission" or "ABCC") held a hearing on Tuesday, September 16, 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 David & Temple's Minimum Purchase Age Compliance Check Field Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

1. Investigators David & Temple's Minimum Purchase Age Compliance Check Field Report;
2. ABCC Form 43, New License Approval, 12/10/1962;
3. Notice of Suspension, 3/12/2001;
4. Licensee Stipulation of Facts.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

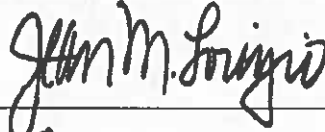
1. On Wednesday, May 28, 2025, at approximately 7:48 p.m., Investigators David & Temple ("Investigators") conducted a compliance check at Walnut St. Café Inc.
2. An underage operative, working under the supervision of Investigators, purchased an alcoholic beverage, one 12-ounce Bud Light beer for three 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, § 12 since 1962.

CONCLUSION

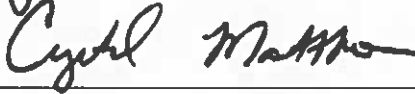
Based on the evidence, the Commission finds the Licensee violated 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: M.G.L. Ch. 138, § 34 Sale or Delivery of an alcoholic beverage to a person under twenty-one years of age. As a result, the Commission issues a **WARNING**.

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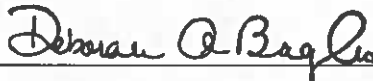
Jean M. Lorizio, Chairman



Crystal Matthews, Commissioner



Deborah Baglio, Commissioner



Dated: September 25, 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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John David, Investigator
Christopher Temple, Investigator
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