



*Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission
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NOTICE OF SUSPENSION

December 3, 2024

**THE NEW WORLD TAVERN INC.
56 MAIN STREET
PLYMOUTH, MA 02360
LICENSE#: 00133-RS-0984
VIOLATION DATE: 5/25/2024
HEARD: 8/13/2024**

After a hearing on August 13, 2024, the Commission finds The New World Tavern Inc. violated 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an Illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: Ch. 138, § 34C – Possession of an alcoholic beverage by a person under twenty-one years of age (5 Counts).

The Commission suspends the license for a period of six (6) days of which four (4) days will be served and two (2) days will be held in abeyance for a period of two (2) years provided no further violations of Chapter 138 or Commission Regulations are found by this Commission.

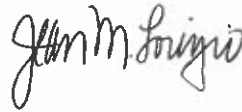
By decision dated November 9, 2022, the Commission had previously ordered a two (2) day license suspension but had held the suspension in abeyance for a period of two (2) years provided no further violations of Chapter 138 or Commission Regulations were found by this Commission. Based on the violation found above, the licensee violated the conditions of that 2-day suspension being held in abeyance. The Commission hereby orders that suspension to be served on and after the four (4) days to be served. The Licensee will serve a total six (6) days.

The suspension shall commence on Monday, January 27, 2025, and terminate on Saturday, February 1, 2025. The license will be delivered to the Local Licensing Board or its designee on Monday, January 27, 2025, at 9:00 A.M. It will be returned to the licensee on February 2, 2025.

You are advised that pursuant to the provisions of M.G.L. c. 138 § 23, you may petition the Commission to accept an offer in compromise in lieu of suspension within twenty (20) calendar days following such notice of such suspension. If accepted, you may pay a fine using the enclosed form which must be signed by the Licensee and a Massachusetts Licensed Accountant.

You are advised that you have the right to appeal this decision under M.G.L. c. 30A to Superior Court within thirty (30) days upon receipt of this notice.

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The New World Tavern Inc. ("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 13, 2024, regarding an alleged violation of 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an Illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: Ch. 138, § 34C – Possession of an alcoholic beverage by a person under twenty-one years of age (5 Counts). Prior to the commencement of the hearing the Licensee stipulated to facts alleged in Investigator Teehan's report.

The following documents are in evidence:

1. Investigative Report of M. Teehan;
2. ABCC Form 43, Transfer of License Approval 8/30/2011;
3. Photograph of Fraudulent Driver's Licenses Confiscated;
4. ABCC Decision, 11/9/2022;
5. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On Saturday, May 25, 2024, at approximately 11:40 p.m., Investigators David and Teehan ("Investigators") inspected The New World Tavern Inc. ("Licensee" or "New World Tavern") to determine the way business was being conducted.
2. Upon entering the licensed premises, Investigators observed several youthful appearing individuals in possession of alcoholic beverages. Investigators approached these individuals, identified themselves and asked to see proof of legal age to possess alcoholic beverages.

3. Underage #1, actual date of birth 10/16/2005 (age 18), was in possession of a Lemon Drop shot. She provided to Investigators a fraudulent Massachusetts driver's license bearing her name and picture but a different birth date which she used to enter the establishment.
4. Underage #2, actual date of birth 7/15/2005 (age 18), was in possession of a Pink Starburst mixed drink. He provided Investigators with a fraudulent Massachusetts driver's license bearing his name and picture but a different birth date which he used to enter the premises.
5. Underage #3, actual date of birth 9/19/2004 (age 19), was in possession of a Lemon Drop shot and a tequila mixed drink. She provided Investigators with a fraudulent Massachusetts driver's license bearing her name and picture but a different birth date which she used to enter the establishment.
6. Underage #4, actual date of birth 2/10/2005 (age 19), was in possession of a Bud Light beer. He provided Investigators with a fraudulent Rhode Island driver's license bearing his name and picture but a different birth date which he used to enter the establishment.
7. Underage #5, actual date of birth 8/18/2005 (age 18), was in possession of a Lemon Drop shot. She stated to Investigators she used a fraudulent Massachusetts driver's license bearing her name but a different birth date to enter the licensed premises.
8. Investigators informed the manager on duty of the violations and that a report would be submitted to the Chief Investigator for further action.
9. Karl Heine, Manager of Record, appeared at the Commission hearing along with Jessica Hamill. Mr. Heine testified that all of the above-mentioned underage individuals produced identification prior to being allowed entrance into the licensed premises and acknowledged his employee failed to recognize the identifications were fraudulent. After this incident the Licensee began utilizing an application to scan identifications.
10. The Licensee has held a license under M.G.L. c. 138, § 12 since 2011 with one prior violation.

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: Ch. 138, § 34C – Possession of an alcoholic beverage by a person under twenty-one years of age (5 Counts). Therefore, the Commission **suspends the license for a period of six (6) days of which four (4) days will be served and two (2) days will be held in abeyance for a period of two (2) years provided no further violations of Chapter 138 or Commission Regulations are found by this Commission.**

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Dated: December 3, 2024

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