



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

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DECISION

CROWN & ANCHOR INC. DBA CROWN & ANCHOR
243 COMMERCIAL ST.
PROVINCETOWN, MA 02657
LICENSE#: 100400025
VIOLATION DATE: 06/19/2013
HEARD: 04/16/2014

Crown & Anchor Inc. dba Crown & Anchor (the "Licensee") holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, §12. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (the "Commission") held a hearing on Wednesday, April 16, 2014, 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 Velez's Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

1. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts; and
 2. Investigator Velez's Compliance Check Field Report dated June 19, 2013.
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- A. Licensee's Record of TIPS Certification for Employees; and
 - B. New Employees' Protocol for Serving Alcoholic Beverages.

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

FACTS

1. On Wednesday, June 19, 2013, at approximately 6:46 p.m., Investigators Binienda and Velez conducted an investigation of the business operation of Crown & Anchor Inc. dba Crown & Anchor.
2. An underage operative, working with investigators, purchased an alcoholic beverage, a bottle of Budweiser Light beer for five dollars (\$5.00). The underage operative was not asked for identification.

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. As the licensee has had no previous violations, the Commission issues a **WARNING**.

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.

Kathleen McNally, Commissioner 

Dated: May 7, 2014

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
 Nicholas Velez, Investigator
 Jamie Binienda, Investigator
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