The Commonwealth of Massachusetts



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DECISION

BORNEO CORP. DBA THE HALF DOOR 1514 HANCOCK ST. 001516 QUINCY, MA 02169 LICENSE#: 100600194 VIOLATION DATE: 11/22/2012 HEARD: 1/15/2013

Borneo Corp. dba The Half Door (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 Tuesday, January 8, 2013, regarding an alleged violation of 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an Illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: c. 138 §34c-Possession of an alcoholic beverage by a person under twenty-one (21) years of age (3 Counts). Prior to the commencement of the hearing, the licensee stipulated to the violation alleged in Investigator Carey's Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

- 1. Investigator Carey's Investigative Report dated November 22, 2012;
- 2. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts;
- 3. RMV Driver's License Printout for L. Gustavson;
- 4. RMV Driver's License Printout for K. Norton;
- 5. RMV Driver's License Printout for M. Brundige; and
- 6. Photocopies of Four (4) Fraudulent Driver's Licenses.

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

FACTS

- 1. On Thursday, November 22, 2012, at approximately 12:10 a.m., Investigators Keefe, Velez, and Carey investigated the business operation of Borneo Corp. dba The Half Door to determine the manner in which their business was being conducted.
- At approximately 12:10 a.m., Investigators Keefe and Velez entered the premises and observed several youthful looking individuals in possession of alcoholic beverages as well as several persons who appeared to be intoxicated.
- 3. At approximately 12:20 a.m., Investigator Carey entered the premises.
- 4. Investigators observed many youthful looking people as well as several people who appeared to be intoxicated.
- 5. A male individual, later identified as Johnathan Burkhardt, came over and spoke with investigators.
- 6. Investigators observed that Mr. Burkhardt's speech was slurred, and he was unsteady on his feet.

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- 7. Investigator Carey identified himself and asked to speak with Mr. Burkhardt outside.
- 8. Investigators Keefe and Velez remained inside the premises, checking identifications.
- 9. When Investigator Carey was outside with Mr. Burkhardt, they were joined by Lieutenant Peter Turowski and Officer John Leuchte of the Quincy Police Department.
- 10. While outside, Mr. Burkhardt became belligerent and unruly. He was taken into protective custody by the Quincy Police officers.
- 11. Investigator Keefe exited the premises with a youthful-looking female in possession of a bottle of Bud Light beer.
- 12. The female initially presented investigators a fraudulent New Jersey license but was later identified as Lisa Gustavsen, date of birth age twenty (20) years.
- 13. Investigator Keefe returned to the establishment and came out again with two (2) more youthfullooking females. Both females were in possession of fraudulent Connecticut licenses.
- 14. Investigator Keefe observed one (1) female in possession of a bottle of Bud Light beer. She was identified as Kathleen Norton, date of birth age twenty (20) years.
- 15. Investigator Keefe re-entered the establishment and came back out with a youthful-looking male individual, later identified as Matthew Brundige.
- 16. Investigator Keefe observed Mr. Brundige in possession of a bottle of Bud Light beer, and fraudulent Massachusetts Driver's License.
- 17. The fraudulent Massachusetts Driver's License listed Mr. Brundige's height as five (5) feet and nine (9) inches, with date of birth light age twenty-seven (27) years.
- 18. Investigator Keefe observed that the person in front of him was much shorter and younger looking than the person described on the license.
- 19. Mr. Brundige provided investigators with his true information: date of birth age nineteen (19) years.
- 20. Investigators spoke to the owner of the establishment, Eileen McGrath and gave her a warning on serving intoxicated patrons.
- 21. Investigators also informed Ms. McGrath of the violations and that a report would be submitted to the Chief Investigator for further action.
- 22. The licensee has held the license for ten (10) years and has had no previous violations.
- 23. Investigators re-inspected the licensed premises one (1) week later and found no violations at that time.

CONCLUSION

Based on the evidence, the Commission finds the licensee violated of 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an Illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: c. 138 §34c-Possession of an alcoholic beverage by a person under twenty-one (21) years of age (3 Counts). Therefore, the Commission suspends the license for five (5) days of which five (5) days will be held in abeyance for a period of one (1) year provided no further violations of Chapter 138 or Commission Regulations occur.

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athlen Kathleen McNally, Commissioner I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I have reviewed the hearing record and concur with the above decision. Kim S. Gainsboro, Chairman DATE: January 16, 2013

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 Jack Carey, Investigator Administration File