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DECISION

**CAROUSEL LOUNGE INC. D/B/A CAROUSEL LOUNGE
20 OCEAN FRONT
SALISBURY, MA 01952
LICENSE#: 1066-00061
VIOLATION DATE: 05/27/2017
HEARING DATE: 08/15/2017**

Carousel Lounge Inc. d/b/a Carousel Lounge (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, August 15, 2017, regarding an alleged violation of 204 CMR 2.05 (2) – Permitting an illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: M.G.L. 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 Bailey's Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

1. Investigator Bailey's Compliance Check Field Report; and
2. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts.

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

The Commission took Administrative Notice of the Licensee's record.

FACTS

1. On Saturday, May 27, 2017, at approximately 2:02 p.m., Investigators Doyle and Bailey ("Investigators") investigated the business operation of Carousel Lounge Inc. d/b/a Carousel Lounge.
2. An underage operative, working with Investigators, purchased from the Licensee an alcoholic beverage, a bottle of Bud Light beer, for three dollars and fifty cents (\$3.50). 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: M.G.L. c. 138, § 34 – Sale or delivery of an alcoholic beverage to a person under twenty-one (21) years of age. As the Licensee has been in business for more than 10 years with no prior violations, the Commission issues a **WARNING**.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

Kathleen McNally, Commissioner

Jean M. Lorizio, Chairman

Dated: August 16, 2017

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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