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

Steven Grossman Treasurer and Roceiver General Kim S. Gainsboro, Esg. Chairman

August 25, 2014

# NOTICE OF SUSPENSION

SAVTOM, INC. DBA VILLAGE ON THE GREEN RESTAURANT & PIZZERIA 113 MAIN STREET SHEFFIELD, MA 01257 LICENSE#: 110400019

VIOLATION DATE: 01/29/2014

HEARD: 08/12/2014

After hearing on August 12, 2014, the Commission finds Savtom, Inc. dba Village on The Green Restaurant & Pizzeria in 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 (21) years of age.

The Commission suspends the licensee's license for a total of two (2) days to be served. The suspension shall commence on Wednesday, October 8, 2014 and terminate on Thursday, October 9, 2014. The license will be delivered to the Local Licensing Board or its designee on Wednesday, October 8, 2014 at 9:00 A.M. It will be returned to the licensee Friday, October 10, 2014.

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. All checks must be certified and accompanied by the enclosed form, which must be signed by 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.

> Kim S. Gainsboro Chairman

Local Licensing Board Frederick Mahoney, Chief Investigator Dennis Keefe, Investigator Jan Kujawski, Investigator Administration File

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DECISION

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Savtom, Inc. dba Village on The Green Restaurant & Pizzeria (the "Licensee") holds an all alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, §12. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (the "Commission") held a hearing on Tuesday, August 12, 2014, 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 (21) years of age. Prior to the commencement of the hearing, the licensee stipulated to the violation alleged in Investigator Keefe's Compliance Check Field report.

The following documents are in evidence:

- 1. Licensee's Stipulation of Facts;
- 2. Investigator Keefe's Compliance Check Field Report dated January 29, 2014;
- 3. Notice of Violation; and
- 4. Photocopy of underage operative.

There is one (1) audio recording of this hearing. The Commission took Administrative Notice of the Licensee's file.

### **FACTS**

- 1. On Wednesday, January 29, 2014 at approximately 5:06 p.m., Investigators Keefe and Kujawski conducted an investigation of the business operation of Savtom, Inc. dba Village on The Green Restaurant & Pizzeria.
- 2. An underage operative, working with investigators, purchased an alcoholic beverage, a bottle of Budweiser 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. Ch.138, §34 - Sale or delivery of an alcoholic beverage to a person under twenty-one (21) years of age. Therefore, the Commission suspends the license for four (4) days of which two (2) 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 occur.

## ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

| Susan Corcoran, Commissioner                     | Susal    | Coscoran |   |
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| I, the undersigned, hereby certify the decision. | -1 -1    |          |   |
| Kathleen McNally, Commissioner _                 | Nathless | M. Moll  | 9 |
| Datade August 25, 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 Mahoney, Chief Investigator
Dennis Keefe, Investigator
Jan Kujawski, Investigator
Administration
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