

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission 95 Fourth Street, Suite 3 Chelsea, MA 02150

DECISION

SHIVRAJAN INC. D/B/A WARREN PACKAGE STORE 942 MAIN STREET WARREN, MA 01083

LICENSE#: 89290-PK-1330 VIOLATION DATE: 7/31/2019

HEARD: 1/07/2020

Shivrajan Inc. d/b/a Warren Package Store (the "Licensee") holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, § 15. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission ("Commission" or "ABCC") held a hearing on Tuesday, January 7, 2020, 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 facts alleged in Investigator Watson's Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

- 1. Investigator Watson's Compliance Check Field Report;
- 2. Licensee Stipulation of Fact;
- 3. Copy of License Transfer Application Summary Review Approval, 3/30/2018.

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

FACTS

- 1. On Wednesday, July 31, 2019, at approximately 6:10 p.m., Investigators Temple and Watson ("Investigators") conducted an investigation of the business operation of Shivrajan Inc. d/b/a Warren Package Store located at 958 Main Street, Warren, the previously licensed location.
- 2. An underage operative, working with Investigators, purchased from the Licensee an alcoholic beverage, a 25-ounce of Bud Light beer, for two dollars and sixty-five cents (\$2.65). The underage operative was not asked for identification.
- 3. All the employees have been retrained and are TIPS certified.
- 4. The Licensee has held a license under M.G.L. c. 138, § 15 since 2018 with no prior violations.

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4. The Licensee has held a license under M.G.L. c. 138, § 15 since 2018 with no prior violations.

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. The Commission issues a **WARNING**.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

Jean M. Lorizio, Chairman

Crystal Matthews, Commissioner

Dated: January 13, 2020

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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