



*Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission
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MEMORANDUM AND ORDER ON LICENSEE'S
REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

**WORCESTER AERIE #4311 FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES INC.
53-55 NORFOLK STREET
WORCESTER, MA 01608
LICENSE#: 00132-CL-1508
VIOLATION DATE: 03/14/2024
HEARD: 5/13/2025**

Worcester Aerie #4311 Fraternal Order of Eagles Inc. ("Licensee" or "Worcester Aerie") holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, § 12. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission ("ABCC" or "Commission") held a hearing on Tuesday, May 13, 2025, regarding alleged violations of:

- 1) M.G.L. Ch. 138 § 15A- Change of Officers/Directors in the corporation without authorization;
- 2) M.G.L. Ch. 138 § 23- Sale of Alcoholic Beverages other than those purchased from a licensee under § 18 or § 19 or from a holder of a special permit under § 22A;
- 3) M.G.L. Ch. 138 § 26- Operating without an Approved Manager.

By decision dated January 27, 2026, the Commission found the Licensee in violation of the charges and indefinitely suspended the License effective forthwith until further written order from this Commission.

The Commission stated that it would consider issuing a further order upon written request of the Licensee showing good cause to reconsider this indefinite suspension and a hearing before the Commission that the Licensee attends.

The Licensee filed with the local licensing authority the appropriate application for approval of a change of manager of record and to change the officers and directors of the Licensee. The local board approved the application and forwarded it to the Commission for review. The Commission approved the application on March 12, 2026.

By email dated March 22, 2026, the Licensee requested a hearing to reconsider the indefinite suspension.

Robert Auger, Director of the Licensee, attended a hearing before the Commission on March 24, 2026, and confirmed that good cause exists to reconsider the indefinite suspension.

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

CONCLUSION

Based on the approval of the new officers, directors and manager or record, and the evidence presented at the hearing, the Commission reconsiders and reverses its prior order of **INDEFINITE SUSPENSION** of the license of Worcester Aerie #4311 Fraternal Order of Eagles Inc. **effective forthwith.**

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

Deborah A. Baglio, Commissioner Deborah A. Baglio

Jean M. Lorizio, Chairman Jean M. Lorizio

Crystal Matthews, Commissioner Crystal Matthews

Dated: March 24, 2026

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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