

Re: Ocean Liquors, Inc.  
Premise: 210 Shirley Avenue  
City/Town: Revere, MA 02151

## DECISION

Ocean Liquors, Inc. (“the licensee”) holds an all alcohol license issued pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws chapter 138, §15. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (“the Commission”) held a hearing on June 1, 2010 regarding an alleged violation of Massachusetts General Laws c. 138, §34. Prior to the commencement of the hearing, the licensee stipulated to the violation alleged in Investigator Caroline Wilichoski’s Compliance Check Field Report.

The following documents are in evidence:

1. Licensee’s Stipulation of Facts;
2. Compliance Check Field Report of Investigator Caroline Wilichoski; and,
3. Underage Operative Breathalyzer Results.

There is one (1) tape of this hearing.

### Facts

1. On Thursday, April 15, 2010 at approximately 8:31 p.m., Commission investigators conducted a Minimum Age Purchase Law Compliance Check at the licensed premises of Ocean Liquors, Inc.
2. An underage operative, working with the investigators, purchased a Bud can for \$1.59. The underage operative was not asked for identification by the licensee’s clerk.
3. The licensee’s attorney stated that the licensee has been in business for over twenty-five (25) years and has a very good reputation in the community.
4. The licensee stated that he immediately terminated the clerk who sold the alcoholic beverage to the underage operative.

### Conclusion

Based on the evidence, the Commission finds the licensee violated Massachusetts General Laws c. 138, §34. The Commission **issues a warning.**

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

Susan Corcoran, Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_

Robert H. Cronin, Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_

Dated in Boston, Massachusetts this 11<sup>th</sup> day of June 2010.

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 days of receipt of this decision.

cc: Revere Licensing Board  
Frederick G. Mahony, Chief Investigator  
Richard L. Clayman, Esq.  
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