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Liquor Control Commission July Underage Compliance Report

SPRINGFIELD – In July 2019, the Illinois Liquor Control Commission (ILCC) conducted compliance checks around the state and visited 167 businesses licensed to sell liquor. They cited 32 for violations of liquor control laws.

This is a monthly aggregated report of all the underage compliance investigations conducted in the month of July. The ILCC may release results on individual investigations through shorter press releases throughout the month.

The monthly aggregated report lists all the results of ongoing undercover and cooperative law enforcement operations conducted by Illinois Liquor Control Commission (ILCC) agents, local law enforcement officials and volunteers from high schools and colleges. The teams randomly visit liquor stores, restaurants and bars in communities around the state to check for ongoing compliance with state laws mandating that no liquor is sold to minors under the age of 21. ILCC agents also work with local and state law enforcement agents to focus on communities with a high incidence of underage liquor sales.

Below is the bulleted list by location of which establishments violated the law by selling alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Because the visits are random in nature, certain areas of the State are visited at certain times of the year.

Macoupin County— July 2nd, the ILCC and the Macoupin County Sheriff's Office conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 18 licensees checked, three sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- RIVIERA MAYA, 307 S MAPLE ST, BRIGHTON, IL 62012-1161
- 16 BAR & GRILL, 264 E RAILROAD ST, SHIPMAN, IL 62685-4088
- ROOSTER'S PUB LLC, 201 W MAIN ST, STAUNTON, IL 62088-1454

Yorkville— July 2nd, the ILCC and the Yorkville Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 35 licensees checked, five sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. That licensee was:

- CANCUN CAFE & MEXICAN GRILL, 1559 SYCAMORE RD, YORKVILLE, IL 60560-1952
- QUE BRAVA MEXICAN RESTAURANT, 1423 CANNONBALL TRL, YORKVILLE, IL 60560-4542 (1 prior violation)
- TRACY'S, 932 N BRIDGE ST, YORKVILLE, IL 60560-1109
- CRUSADE BURGER BAR, 209 S BRIDGE ST, YORKVILLE, IL 60560-1503
- CASA SANTIAGO, 227 HEUSTIS ST, YORKVILLE, IL 60560-1518

Pike County— July 9th, the ILCC and the Olney City Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 26 licensees checked, seven sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- BARRY TRAVEL PLAZA, 1 CIETEN PLAZA, BARRY, IL 62312-0000
- STROEMER FOODS INC., 575 RODGERS ST, BARRY, IL 62312-1037
- RUMORS, 115 W QUINCY ST, GRIGGSVILLE, IL 62340-1284
- ONE STOP OF NEW CANTON, 130 E MECHANIC ST, NEW CANTON, IL 62356-3264
- PIONEER EXPRESS LLC, 204 S CLOVER, PERRY, IL 62362 (1 prior violation)
- CASA TEQUILA, 205 N MADISON ST, PITTSFIELD, IL 62363-1447
- WE-B SALOON INC, 623 W WASHINGTON ST, PITTSFIELD, IL 62363-1349

Oak Lawn— July 12th, the ILCC and the Oak Lawn Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 13 licensees checked, four sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- FA TAILGATORS SPORTS BAR, 9256 S CICERO AVE, OAK LAWN, IL 60453-1807
- MURPHY'S LAW, 9247 S CICERO AVE, OAK LAWN, IL 60453-1806
- GENNARO LIQUORS, 5549 W 87TH ST, OAK LAWN, IL 60453-1283
- FOODIES FOOD STORES, 9652 S PULASKI, OAK LAWN, IL 60453

Wauconda— July 16th, the ILCC and the Wauconda Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 5 licensees checked, zero sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants.

East Dundee— July 18th, the ILCC and the East Dundee Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 12 licensees checked, three sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- BONNIE DUNDEE GOLF CLUB, 270 KENNEDY DR, EAST DUNDEE, IL 60118-0000
- MIGRATE RESTAURANT, 311 BARRINGTON AVE, EAST DUNDEE, IL 60118-1378
- CAROL'S CORNER, 5 E MAIN STREET, EAST DUNDEE, IL 60118

Hometown— July 18th, the ILCC and the Hometown Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 8 licensees checked, two sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- HOMETOWN TAP, 4068 SOUTHWEST HIGHWAY, HOMETOWN, IL 60456-0000
- PIZZA PLUS, 4102 SOUTHWEST HWY, HOMETOWN, IL 60456-1135

Macon County— July 18th, the ILCC and the East Dundee Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 23 licensees checked, five sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- MISS KIMMEES, 2026 S MOUNT ZION RD, DECATUR, IL 62521-9709
- TIMBUKTU, 5843 E US ROUTE 36, DECATUR, IL 62521-9616
- DOS AMIGOS MEXICAN RESTAURANT, 2048 S MOUNT ZION RD, DECATUR, IL 62521-9709
- LU LU'S PIZZA, 105 W 1ST DR, DECATUR, IL 62521-5383
- GUADALAJARA, 351 W 1ST DR, DECATUR, IL 62521-5207

Oak Forest— July 24th, the ILCC and the Oak Forest Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 11 licensees checked, one sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. That licensee was:

- OAK FOREST BOWL, 15240 CICERO AVE, OAK FOREST, IL 60452-2404 (1 prior violation)

Forest Park— July 29th, the ILCC and the Forest Park Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 16 licensees checked, two sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- USA BEVERAGE, 7200 MADISON ST, FOREST PARK, IL 60130-1705
- PIONEER TAP, 7443 RANDOLPH ST, FOREST PARK, IL 60130-3802
- GOLDYBURGERS, 7316 CIRCLE AVE, FOREST PARK, IL 60130-1165
- DUCK FAT, 7218 MADISON STREET, FOREST PARK, IL 60130
- O'SULLIVANS, 7244 MADISON ST, FOREST PARK, IL 60130-1740
- HEALY'S WESTSIDE, 7321 MADISON ST, FOREST PARK, IL 60130-1509
- TACO WU RESTAURANT & BAR, 7321 MADISON ST, FOREST PARK, IL 60130-1509

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For information about hearings regarding checks, please visit the Illinois Liquor Control Commission's website:
<https://www.illinois.gov/ilcc/Pages/CalendarList.aspx>.