



Illinois Liquor Control Commission

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Liquor Control Commission September Underage Compliance Report

SPRINGFIELD – In September of 2017, the Illinois Liquor Control Commission (ILCC) conducted compliance checks around the state and visited 65 businesses licensed to sell liquor. They cited 5 for violations of liquor control laws.

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

The monthly aggregated report lists all of 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.

SPRINGFIELD – September 15th, the ILCC and the Secretary of State Police conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 22 licensees checked, three sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- CASEY'S GENERAL STORE #2285, 3001 RIDGE AVE, SPRINGFIELD, IL 62702
- CROWS MILL BAR & GRILL, 1220 TORONTO RD, SPRINGFIELD, IL 62712 (1 prior violation)
- FIVE STAR LIQUOR, 1249 TORONTO RD, SPRINGFIELD, IL 62712-8620

SIUE/GLEN CARBON/EDWARDSVILLE – September 26th, the ILCC and the Illinois State Police conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 25 licensees checked, one sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. That licensee was:

- THE STORE, 701 HILLSBORO AVE, EDWARDSVILLE, IL 62025-1820

WORTH – September 26th, the ILCC and the Worth Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks. Of the 18 licensees checked, one sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. That licensee was:

- WORTH FOOD & LIQUORS, 11015 S HARLEM AVE, WORTH, IL 60482-1151

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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>.