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## OLCC issues proposed license cancellation for US Market #180

**Albany, Ore.** – The Oregon Liquor Control Commission proposes to cancel the liquor license of US Market #180, at 1709 Hill Street in Albany. The license is held by Parveen Parveen and Lal Sidhu of US Market #180, LLC.

The proposed cancellation came as the result of the licensee violating a restriction placed on the license. The license was granted with the restriction that all licensees and employees will use age verification equipment to verify the age of any person who appears under 26 when they attempt to purchase alcohol.

On April 11, an employee failed to use the age verification equipment and failed to verify the age of a minor before allowing him to buy or be served an alcoholic beverage.

“The restriction for the age-verification equipment was recently placed on the license as a way to work with the licensee to prevent canceling their license,” said James Lynch, Salem Regional Manager. “Getting this violation so soon doesn’t show willingness to stop selling alcohol to minors. We can’t take any chances when it comes to the safety of minors and the people they come in contact with.”

The licensee has 30 days from the date of the notice to request an administrative hearing.

Failing to comply with a license restriction is a violation of Oregon Administrative Rule 845-005-0355(5).

Failure to verify the age of a minor before allowing him/her to buy or be served an alcoholic beverage when he/she reasonably appeared to be under the age of 26 years of age is a violation of Oregon Administrative Rule 845-006-0335(1)(a)(b)(c).

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