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ABC Suspends the License of Perry's Liquor in Pleasanton

Store Sold Alcohol to Minors Multiple Times

(Alameda County)- On January 16, 2014, Agents of the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) posted a notice of suspension at Perry's Liquor, located at 4301 Valley Avenue, Suite C, in Pleasanton, California.

The suspension is for 30 days and indefinitely thereafter. It is the result of an accusation filed by the Department alleging the business sold alcoholic beverages to a person under the age of 21. This is the third such violation in a three-year period, and the fifth similar violation within the past eight years.

During the most recent violation, Department Agents observed a store clerk sell alcoholic beverages to an eighteen year-old female who, in turn, exited the business and furnished some of the purchased alcohol to a fifteen year-old juvenile who was waiting outside. Both the store clerk and eighteen year-old purchaser were issued misdemeanor citations and a report documenting the violations has been forwarded to the Alameda County District Attorney's Office for review.

Under the terms of the stipulated decision set forth by the Department, the license has been ordered revoked; however, the revocation will be stayed for a period of one year to allow the current licensee to transfer the ABC license to a new owner. If no application to transfer the license is made within the one-year stayed period, the license could be subject to outright revocation by the Department. The license was also ordered suspended for a period of thirty days and indefinitely thereafter until transferred.

ABC is a Department of the Business, Consumer Services and Housing Agency, which is under the direction of Secretary Anna M. Caballero, a member of the Governor's Cabinet.