



# Illinois Liquor Control Commission

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## **Liquor Control Commission December Underage Compliance Report**

SPRINGFIELD – In December 2015, the Illinois Liquor Control Commission (ILCC) conducted compliance checks around the state and visited 70 businesses licensed to sell liquor. They cited 13 for violations of liquor control laws. Eighty-one percent of the licensees visited complied with Illinois liquor laws and refused to serve underage customers.

This is a monthly aggregated report of all the underage compliance investigations conducted in the month of December. 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.**

For information about hearings regarding checks, please visit: <http://ILCC.illinois.gov>  
The next ILCC hearing is scheduled for Wednesday, February 17, 2015, at 1:30 p.m., in Chicago.

**FREEPORT**– December 18<sup>th</sup>, the ILCC and the Illinois State Police conducted underage alcohol checks in Freeport. Of the 9 licensees checked, one sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. That licensee was:

- SHAWNEE TAP, 904 E SHAWNEE ST, FREEPORT, IL 61032 (1 prior violation)

**MARKHAM**– December 10<sup>th</sup>, the ILCC and the Markham Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks in Markham. Of the 12 licensees checked, four sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

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- DANNY T'S TAP, 3442 W 159TH ST, MARKHAM, IL 60428-4046 (1 prior violation)
- MARKHAM FOOD & LIQUOR, 15830 KEDZIE PARKWAY, MARKHAM, IL 60428
- GEORGE'S PLACE, 15745 KEDZIE, MARKHAM, IL 60426 (1 prior violation)
- SIDEBAR 167 SPORTS BAR & GRILL, 16711 S RICHMOND, MARKHAM, IL 60428-0000

**PALOS HILLS** – December 3<sup>rd</sup>, the ILCC and the Palos Hills Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks in Palos Hills. Of the 19 licensees checked, four sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- PALOS PANTRY, 8100 WEST 111TH STREET, PALOS HILLS, IL 60465 (1 prior violation)
- CIAO RISTORANTE, 10296 SOUTH 78TH AVE, PALOS HILLS, IL 60465
- LAS FUENTES RESTAURANT, 11011 SOUTHWEST HWY, PALOS HILLS, IL 60465-2321 (1 prior violation)
- PALOS BP, 7701 W 111TH ST, PALOS HILLS, IL 60465-2303

**PEORIA**– December 9<sup>th</sup>, the ILCC and the Peoria Police Department conducted underage alcohol checks in Peoria. Of the 15 licensees checked, four sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants. Those licensees were:

- KROGER LTD PART I J-767, 3101 W HARMON HIGHWAY, PEORIA, IL 61604
- LOS JIMADORES, 1200 W MAIN ST, PEORIA, IL 61606-1218
- MARK'S MARKET, 2705 W FARMINGTON RD, WEST PEORIA, IL 61604
- THE RAIL II, INC, 2702 W FARMINGTON RD, WEST PEORIA, IL 61604-4909

**SANGAMON COUNTY** – December 17<sup>th</sup>, the ILCC and the Illinois State Police and the Sangamon County Sheriff conducted underage alcohol checks in Sangamon County. Of the 15 licensees checked, zero sold alcohol to ILCC underage participants.