Notice of Violation

(3AAC 304.525)

This form, all information provided and responses are public documents per Alaska Public Records ACT AS 40.25

Date: 11/12/25

License #/Type: 2124 Beverage Dispensary

Licensee: D.B. & FU, LLC

Address: 636 28th Ave, Fairbanks, AK

DBA: Fenders

AMCO Case #: 25-1765

This is a notice to you as licensee that an alleged violation has occurred. If the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board decides to act against your license, under the provisions of AS 44.62.330 - AS 44.62.630 (Administrative Procedures Act) you will receive an Accusation and Notice of your right to an Administrative Hearing.

Note: This is not an accusation or a criminal complaint.

On 11-12-25, an inspection was initiated at your establishment. Contact was made with the on-duty bartender, Macayla J. Alexander; she was asked to provide proof of current server education. She could not provide proof of current education but later did send proof it was current. Ms. Alexander contacted licensee, Angela McFetridge. Ms. McFetridge told Investigators Hamilton and Linger to make an appointment and leave the premises. Ms. McFetridge argued the establishment was closed. The facility had the open sign displayed and the doors were unlocked. Upon Investigators Hamilton and Lingers entrance, it did appear they were preparing for the next days business. After discussions about how inspections worked and explaining that we were going to call this visit a refusal, we agreed to meet the following morning. On 11-13-25, investigators met with both licensees, Ms. McFetridge and Corey Boyd. At the time of our initial visit, two 16 year olds were working, Ms. T.B. and Ms. E.C. Mr. Boyd could not provide work permits and was told that the 16-17 year olds could not work with out proof of valid permits. Mr. Boyd later provide valid Department of Labor (DOL) work permits signed after the inspection. Mr. Boyd's explained his office manager was not available to locate the previous permits, but agreed to send them upon the office managers return to work. Contact was made with DOL and they do not have any record of permits issued to your establishment.

Your attention is directed to 3 AAC 305.830. Communications and inspection, AS 04.21.025: Alcohol server education, AS 04.16.049: Access of persons under the age of 21 to licensed premises, 04.16.052: Furnishing of alcoholic beverages to persons under the age of 21 and AS 04.16.150: Licensee responsible for violations

Prior disciplinary history within the past 5 years:

None

You are directed to respond in writing to this Notice of Violation within 10 days of receipt to explain what action you have taken to prevent a re-occurrence of this violation. FAILURE TO RESPOND TO THIS NOTICE OF VIOLATION WITHIN 10 DAYS MAY RESULT IN YOUR APPEARANCE, EITHER IN PERSON OR TELEPHONICALLY, BEFORE THE ABC BOARD AT THEIR NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING.

***Please send your response to the address below and include your alcohol license number in your response.**

3 AAC 304.525 (B) provides that upon receipt of a Notice of Violation, a licensee may request to appear before the Director and be heard regarding the Notice of Violation. The request must be made within ten days after receipt of the Notice and the Director must grant an appearance within ten days after receipt of a request. A Licensee shall respond, either orally or in writing, to the Notice.

Alcohol & Marijuana Control Office
ATTN: Enforcement
550 W. 7th Ave, Suite 1600
Anchorage, Alaska 99501
amco.enforcement@alaska.gov

Issuing Investigator: J. Hamilton

Received by:

SIGNATURE: F.R. HAMILTON

SIGNATURE:

Delivered VIA: Mail

Date:

updated 04/07/2025

Tracking #: 7021 0950 0001 6766 5041

From: Hamilton, Joe (CED) <joe.hamilton@alaska.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 7, 2026 1:24 PM
To: Rosenbaum, Beth A (CED) <beth.rosenbaum@alaska.gov>
Subject: FW: Fenders, Lic 2124, NOV 3 for Minors ws.pdf

From: Corey Boyd <corey@fendersalaska.com>
Sent: Wednesday, January 7, 2026 12:33 PM
To: Hamilton, Joe (CED) <joe.hamilton@alaska.gov>
Subject: Re: Fenders, Lic 2124, NOV 3 for Minors ws.pdf

> **CAUTION:** This email originated from outside the State of Alaska mail system. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognize the sender and know the content is safe.

To Whom it may concern regarding Case 25-1765.
My establishment Fenders did employ the 2 16 year olds Taylor Barber and Ember Clayton as mentioned in the violation letter. Due to myself and Angela working other jobs on top of Fenders we had relied on our managers to make sure that the hiring was done correctly. We no longer employ the manager that did the hiring of both of these girls due partly to this incident but also other reasons. I was released from my job in September due to medical reasons and this allows me to spend all of my time at Fenders now so I will now do all of the hiring and firing to ensure that this does not happen again. I am very worried and concerned that in the letter that i received it also says under the notice of violations that we also furnished alcohol to a person under the age of 21 and this is 100 percent false, it was never mentioned when the inspectors came or any other time and none of our bartenders were cited for this. We have a very strict 100 percent id check policy and have let employees go in the past for not following this and will continue to do so when we find our policy not being followed. I would like this email to serve as my written response to the Notice of Violation.

On Mon, Dec 29, 2025 at 10:35 AM Hamilton, Joe (CED) <joe.hamilton@alaska.gov> wrote:
Good morning,

There will be a hard copy coming in the USPS to the Van Horn address on file. You may either respond within ten days to this email or wait until you received the USPS letter in the mail.

Please acknowledge receipt of this email