



Washington State  
Liquor and Cannabis Board

# **NO MINORS**

**Persons under 21 years of age not permitted.  
RCW 66.44.310**

# **NO OVERSERVICE**

**It is illegal for any person apparently  
under the influence of alcohol to purchase  
or consume alcohol on this premises. RCW  
66.44.200**

## **RCW 66.44.200 Sales to persons apparently under the influence of liquor**

1. No person shall sell any liquor to any person apparently under the influence of liquor.
2. No person who is apparently under the influence of liquor may purchase or consume liquor on any premises licensed by the board.
  - (a) A violation of this subsection is an infraction punishable by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars.
  - (b) A defendant's intoxication may not be used as a defense in an action under this subsection.
  - (c) Until July 1, 2000, every establishment licensed under RCW 66.24.330 or 66.24.420 shall conspicuously post in the establishment notice of the prohibition against the purchase or consumption of liquor under this subsection.
3. An administrative action for violation of subsection
  - (1) of this section and an infraction issued for violation of subsection
  - (2) of this section arising out of the same incident are separate actions and the outcome of one shall not determine the outcome of the other.

## **RCW 66.44.310 Minors frequenting off-limits area – Misrepresentation of age – Penalty – Classification of licensees.**

1. Except as otherwise provided by RCW 66.44.316 and 66.44.350 and 66.44.590, it shall be a misdemeanor:
  - (a) To serve or allow to remain in any area classified by the board as off-limits to any person under the age of twenty-one years;
  - (b) For any person under the age of twenty-one years to enter or remain in any area classified as off-limits to such a person, but persons under twenty-one years of age may pass through a restricted area in a facility holding a spirits, beer, and wine private club license;
  - (c) For any person under the age of twenty-one years to represent his or her age as being twenty-one or more years for the purpose of purchasing liquor or securing admission to, or remaining in any area classified by the board as off-limits to such a person.
2. The Washington State Liquor Control Board shall have the power and it shall be its duty to classify licensed premises or portions of licensed premises as off-limits to persons under the age of twenty-one years of age.