

NLLEA (National Liquor Law Enforcement Association) Survey

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State	Sanctions for Sale to Minor - 1 st Offense	2 nd Offense	Does the State Agency allow the Minor to Lie about Their Age
Alabama	\$750 fine	\$1000 fine	
Alaska	Up to 45 day suspension	Up to 90 day suspension and fine up to \$50,000	Minors may lie about their age, if pressed for Id, they will present their real ID.
Arizona	\$1000 - \$2000 fine and up to 30 day suspension	\$2000 - \$3000 fine and up to 30 day suspension	Minors are not allowed to lie about their age.
Arkansas	\$500 - \$1000 fine	\$1000 - \$2000 fine	
California	Fine or suspension	Fine or suspension	
Connecticut	Over 18 – 5 day suspension and \$1000 fine; 16-18 – 9 day suspension and \$1250 fine	Over 18 – 10 day suspension and \$2000 fine; 16-18 – 15 day suspension and \$2500 fine	
Delaware	First offense \$500 fine and/or suspension	\$2500 fine	
District of Columbia	Fine, suspension or revocation	Fine, suspension or revocation	Minors are not allowed to lie about their age, no deception what so ever.
Florida	\$1000 fine and 7 day suspension	\$3000 fine and 30 day suspension	
Georgia	Fine and probation	Larger fine and suspension	
Hawaii	\$2000 fine or 7 day suspension	7 day suspension	Minors are not allowed to lie and must present their ID if requested.
Idaho	10 days suspension and/or fine	30 days suspension and/or fine	
Illinois	\$500 fine and/or suspension up to 30 days		
Indiana	No Information		Minors are not allowed to lie about their age and must present ID if asked.

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Iowa	Summons to seller, \$1500 if owner sells, \$500 if employee sells	2 nd violation w/l two years – 30 day suspension and \$1500 fine	Minors are not allowed to lie about their age.
Kansas	\$500 fine or diversion for 1 st offense	\$750 fine and one weekend day suspension	
Kentucky	20 day suspension or \$1000 fine	20 day suspension, \$1000 fine and Tips training mandatory	
Louisiana	\$1200 fine plus 3-10 days suspension		
Maine	\$50 - \$1500 fine		
Maryland	\$1000 fine	\$2000-\$3000 fine	
Massachusetts	Suspension, revocation or modification of license		Minor may not lie about their age, per department guidelines.
Michigan	Max \$1000 fine, suspension or revocation		
Minnesota	\$100 - \$2000 fine and possible criminal charges	Same, except penalties will be more severe	
Mississippi	2 week suspension, one week being served and other in abeyance	Revocation of license if 2 nd violation w/l one year	
Missouri	Admin penalties range from suspension to revocation of license.		
Montana	\$250 fine	\$1000 fine	
Nebraska	Penalties set by Commission, range from suspension, cancellation or revocation of license		Minor may lie about their age or give a false date of birth.
Nevada	Local law enforcement agencies set penaties		
New Hampshire	Minimum \$500 fine and 3 day suspension. Must appear if front of Commission		
New Jersey	If over 18 yoa, 15 day suspension. If under 18 yoa, 30 day suspension	Suspension time doubles for 2 nd violation	

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New Mexico	1 day suspension plus \$1000 - \$2000 fine.	7 day suspension plus \$2000 - \$3000 fine	
New York	All penalties decided by Authority Board		
North Carolina	12 day suspension or \$1200 fine	24 day suspension or \$2400 fine	
North Dakota	5 day suspension, with 1-3 must be served.	10 day suspension plus remaining abeyance days	
Ohio	Penalty set by Commission		
Oklahoma	\$400 fine	\$1000 fine	
Oregon	10 day suspension or \$1650 fine	30 day suspension or \$4950 fine	
Pennsylvania	\$1000 - \$5000 fine and/or suspension. Mandatory training of employees.	Same as 1 st offense.	
Rhode Island	\$350 - \$1000 fine plus criminal charges for seller	\$750 - \$1000 fine, plus criminal charges for seller.	
South Carolina	\$400 - \$500 fine plus criminal charges for seller	\$500 - \$1000 fine plus criminal charges for seller	
South Dakota	\$500 - \$1000 fine	\$1000 - \$2000 fine	
Tennessee	\$1500 fine	\$1500 fine plus suspension	
Texas	8 – 12 days fine @\$300 a day in lieu of suspension	16 – 24 days fine @ \$300 a day in lieu of suspension	Minors may not lie and must provide ID if requested.
Utah	\$500 - \$3000 fine and 5-30 days suspension	\$1000 - \$9000 fine and 10 – 90 days suspension	
Vermont	Criminal Violation, suspension or revocation of license determined by Liquor Board	Mandatory Court appearance	
Virginia	25 days suspension or \$2000 fine	Mandatory 25 days suspension	Minors may not lie or provide false information in any manner.

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Washington	5 days suspension or \$500 fine	7 day suspension if occurs w/l 2 years	Minor's may lie about their age, but if asked for ID must present their real ID.
West Virginia	\$1000 fine, suspension or revocation set by Commission		
Wisconsin	\$500 fine if no violation within 30 months prior	\$500 fine, plus criminal charges for seller.	
Wyoming	Criminal violation, \$750 fine or 6 months imprisonment or both	Same as 1 st offense and possible loss of liquor license	Minors are not allowed to lie about their age, prohibited by statute.