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## **ABC REVOKES LICENSE OF SEASIDE RESTAURANT**

**Seaside**— The California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) has revoked the alcoholic beverage license of the Taqueria Restaurant El Sol de Mexico, 1184 La Salle Street in Seaside for multiple alcoholic beverage law violations. The ABC took administrative action against the business because of illegal activity involving the sale of purported stolen property and the sale of illegal drugs on the premises.

The ABC conducted undercover operations after receiving complaints from the community. After a lengthy investigation ABC was able to gather enough evidence to support accusations against the licensed premises.

In addition to the most recent accusations, the restaurant's license was previously suspended after it allowed a minor to serve alcohol on the premises.

The department attempted more than once to contact the business owners during the accusation process and inform them of the potential disciplinary action. The licensee did not contact the department or make any effort to correct problems at the location, as a result, ABC has revoked the license.

ABC is a department of the Business, Transportation and Housing Agency which is under the direction of Secretary Sunne Wright McPeak, a member of the Governor's Cabinet.