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License Suspended at Johnny's for Illegal Drug Sales and for Operating a "Disorderly House"
Redding location will no longer be able to sell Alcohol

Redding - Agents of the California Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) have posted a Notice of Suspension at Johnny's, located at 1729 California Street in Redding. The license has been suspended indefinitely because the bar had been operating a "Disorderly House" and causing a significant drain on law enforcement resources. The bar has been the source of numerous calls for police service from the Redding Police Department for fights, assaults, public drunkenness and other public nuisance issues. In addition, the bar allowed the sale of illegal drugs on the premises. Undercover ABC agents negotiated and purchased drugs from a bar employee and patrons several times during the investigation.

ABC worked closely with officers of the Redding Police Department during the investigation.

ABC filed an accusation against the business for the above violations and the owner has agreed to the recommended penalty of an indefinite suspension of the license until it can be transferred to an acceptable party at a different location in Shasta County.

ABC is a Department of the Business, Consumer Services and Housing Agency.