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PR 14-13**ABC Suspends License of Sapphire Restaurant in San Jose**  
*The Business will not be able to sell Alcohol for 20 Days*

**SAN JOSE** – On March 28, 2014, Agents of the California Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) posted a Notice of Suspension at Sapphire Restaurant located at 1710 Berryessa Road in San Jose for violating conditions on its license.

The license of Sapphire Restaurant has been suspended for 20 days and the restaurant has been placed on probation for an additional 10 days.

Between December, 2013 and February, 2014 the premises was in violation of their conditional license, specifically entertainment audible beyond their premises, providing live entertainment when conditioned against it, and allowing sales, service, and consumption of alcohol after their conditioned hours.

In addition, the premises delayed and resisted a San Jose Police officer in the performance of his duties by not allowing entry during the course of an investigation.

Undercover ABC Agents and local law enforcement agencies visited the premises multiple times during the three month period and discovered the violations.

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

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