



Utica Police Department

Press Release



Brief Description of Incident: On Friday, April 16, 2010 the Utica Police Department's Special Operations Unit conducted an Alcoholic Beverage Control Law investigation of the Good -N-Easy, 1400 Whitesboro Street. The investigation was conducted due to civilian complaints that were filed with the New York State Liquor Authority. During the operation an undercover officer determined that two of the clerks were not proofing individuals who appeared under the age of 21 and were purchasing alcoholic beverages at the store.

On Saturday, April 17, 2010 the Utica Police Department's Special Operations Unit conducted an Alcoholic Beverage Control Law investigation of the Easy Mart, 986 Bleecker Street. The investigation was conducted due to prior police encounters with people under the age of 21 and in possession of alcoholic beverages. During the operation an undercover officer determined that one of the clerks was not proofing individuals who appeared under the age of 21 and were purchasing alcoholic beverages at the store.

As a result of both investigations the following clerks were identified and arrested without incident and charged. The three clerks were issued an appearance tickets returnable in Utica City Court at a later date.

Suspects/ Persons Arrested:

Good -N- Easy: Mansoor M. H. Nagi, age 50 of Utica
Telmida O. OuldleRhzam, age 30 of Utica

Easy Mart: Fawaza A. Ali, age 25 of Utica

Each was charged with the following violations of law:

Unlawfully dealing with a child 1st Degree, a misdemeanor
Prohibited Sales, a misdemeanor

Units/ Departments Involved:

The Utica Police Department's Special Operations Unit
New York State Troopers, as part of Operation Impact