LSO Representation.

Venue: Max Convenience store Clunie Place.

Age Verification

This venue was issued a fixed penalty notice to MAX24 LTD on 17/05/2024 for failing to have an age verification policy in place at MAX CONVENIENCE STORE, 6 Clunie Place. The FPN was paid on 27/05/2024.

On April 10th, two of our trading standards colleagues, whilst conducting an inspection of the premises, observed a young male [who appeared to be 15 or 16] being sold a vape, when they questioned the employee it transpired that she was not checking proof of age. Given she had already received advice on more than one occasion this was very disappointing.

There are several other complaints regarding sales of underage products currently under investigation.

Given that there has been breaches in the venues age related sales policy we have concerns around the sale of Alcohol.

Can the venue assure the board that the policy is in place and rigorously upheld.