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## **Press Release**

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The Simsbury Police Department worked with the State of Connecticut Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (DHMAS) to conduct tobacco sale compliance checks on April 4, 2018. The inspections were performed in an effort to determine compliance with state laws prohibiting the sale of cigarettes, tobacco products and electronic cigarettes to anyone under age 18.

Under the direction and supervisor of DHMAS investigators, under aged youth, employed by the Tobacco Prevention and Enforcement Program, entered the establishments and attempted to purchase tobacco products.

All of the following businesses were checked and found to be **in full compliance** during the checks:

- Walgreens 540 Bushy Hill Road
- Liquor Depot 17 Albany Turnpike
- Pride Stores LLC 1340 Hopmeadow Street
- Gulf 125 West Street
- T-Ville Wine & Spirits 41 Main Street
- Shell Quick Stop 12 Albany Turnpike
- Wine House LLC 1356 Hopmeadow Street
- Sunrise Convenience 1225 Hopmeadow Street