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## **STING AT REGGIE'S BAR**

On June 26, 2017 a joint operation involving the Baton Rouge Police Department, East Baton Rouge Sheriff's Office, Louisiana State University Police Department, Alcohol and Tobacco Control(ATC), and the Alcoholic Beverage Control(ABC) was conducted at Reggie's Bar, 1176 Bob Pettit. During 3 weeks of surveillance JUDE officers noticed an increase in the number of individuals under 18 years of age in the parking lot on Monday nights.

During this sting approximately 37 individual arrests were made. The arrests were: 4 open container violations, 9 Minor in Possession, 3 Resisting an Arrest, 20 Picture ID required for entering a license Alcohol outlet, 20 Unlawful entry into a business selling alcohol by persons under 18, 1 Battery on a Police Officer, 1 Disturbing the Peace by Simple Drunk, and 8 Use of a fake Id to enter and purchase alcohol.

The Baton Rouge Fire Department was also present and noted that Reggie's had almost doubled the occupancy allotment. The ABC and ATC are still investigating the bars for other possible violations.

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