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Food Service Establishment Inspection -- Summary Report

Operation: THE BRANCH OFFICE (ID: 265178)  
Facility Name: BRANCH OFFICE, THE  
Facility Code: 00343-01 Facility Email: None  
Facility Address: 406 WEST WASHINGTON AVENUE ELMIRA, NY 14901

To the Attention of:  
JOSEPH MEKOS J.G.R. HOPS, INC.  
DBA - THE BRANCH OFFICE 406 W. WASHINGTON AVE.  
ELMIRA , NY 14901- Owner/Operator Email: jmmekos@aol.com

Inspection  
Date: NOV 28, 2017 03:19 PM  
Inspector: Zachary Brueckman (zbrueckman@co.chemung.ny.us)  
Responsible Person: Hank Glowaski  
(email: )

Summary  
Number of public health hazards found: 1  
Number of public health hazards NOT corrected: 0  
Number of other violations found: 1

Each item found in violation is reported below along with the code requirement.

**FOODS NOT PROTECTED FROM CONTAMINATION BY OTHER SOURCES.**

**ITEM # 4C WAS FOUND IN VIOLATION 1 TIME(S). CRITICAL VIOLATION**

All or parts of the violation item are IN violation.

Code Requirements

Foods or food area/public area contamination by sewage or drippage from waste lines.

Inspector Findings

Soda gun waste line runs through drink ice into drain, which then drains into indirect drain. Operator voluntarily removed drain line out of ice bin and placed line directly into indirect drain. Ice was discarded at time of inspection. CORRECTED

**IMPROPER SANITARY FACILITIES AND CONTROLS.**

**ITEM # 12D WAS FOUND IN VIOLATION 1 TIME(S).**

All or parts of the violation item are IN violation.

Code Requirements

Toilet facilities inadequate, inconvenient, dirty, in disrepair, toilet paper missing, not self-closing doors, missing hand wash signs

Inspector Findings

Women's room garbage lacking covered receptacle. Time table of correction set for 12/12/17.

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Additional Information Collected During Inspection

Comments

Facility ice machine baffle was clean at time of inspection. Discussed ill worker policy. Discussed procedure to serve garnishes to prevent barehand contact. TTOC for all violations set for 12/12/17

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END of REPORT

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