

County of Santa Clara

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Consumer Protection Division

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OFFICIAL INSPECTION REPORT

Facility FA0291699 - ARMANDO'S RESTAURANT & BAR		Site Address 2223 BUSINESS CL 10, SAN JOSE, CA 95128		Inspection Date 01/10/2023	
Program PR0437121 - FOOD PREP / FOOD SVC OP 0-5 EMPLOYEES RC 3 - FP11			Owner Name VIRGEN, ALMA		Inspection Time 14:30 - 16:00
Inspected By MAMAYE KEBEDE	Inspection Type ROUTINE INSPECTION	Consent By BLANCA VIRGEN	FSC Blanca Virgen 10/09/2025.		

Placard Color & Score
GREEN
80

RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS	IN	OUT		COS/SA	N/O	N/A	PBI
		Major	Minor				
K01 Demonstration of knowledge; food safety certification	X						
K02 Communicable disease; reporting/restriction/exclusion	X						S
K03 No discharge from eyes, nose, mouth	X						
K04 Proper eating, tasting, drinking, tobacco use	X						
K05 Hands clean, properly washed; gloves used properly	X						S
K06 Adequate handwash facilities supplied, accessible	X						
K07 Proper hot and cold holding temperatures			X				
K08 Time as a public health control; procedures & records					X		
K09 Proper cooling methods	X						
K10 Proper cooking time & temperatures	X						
K11 Proper reheating procedures for hot holding	X						
K12 Returned and reservice of food	X						
K13 Food in good condition, safe, unadulterated	X						
K14 Food contact surfaces clean, sanitized			X				S
K15 Food obtained from approved source	X						
K16 Compliance with shell stock tags, condition, display					X		
K17 Compliance with Gulf Oyster Regulations	X						
K18 Compliance with variance/ROP/HACCP Plan						X	
K19 Consumer advisory for raw or undercooked foods						X	
K20 Licensed health care facilities/schools: prohibited foods not being offered						X	
K21 Hot and cold water available	X						
K22 Sewage and wastewater properly disposed	X						
K23 No rodents, insects, birds, or animals	X						

GOOD RETAIL PRACTICES	OUT	COS
K24 Person in charge present and performing duties		
K25 Proper personal cleanliness and hair restraints		
K26 Approved thawing methods used; frozen food		
K27 Food separated and protected	X	
K28 Fruits and vegetables washed		
K29 Toxic substances properly identified, stored, used		
K30 Food storage: food storage containers identified		
K31 Consumer self service does prevent contamination		
K32 Food properly labeled and honestly presented		
K33 Nonfood contact surfaces clean	X	
K34 Warewash facilities: installed/maintained; test strips		
K35 Equipment, utensils: Approved, in good repair, adequate capacity		
K36 Equipment, utensils, linens: Proper storage and use	X	
K37 Vending machines		
K38 Adequate ventilation/lighting; designated areas, use		
K39 Thermometers provided, accurate		X
K40 Wiping cloths: properly used, stored		X
K41 Plumbing approved, installed, in good repair; proper backflow devices		
K42 Garbage & refuse properly disposed; facilities maintained		X
K43 Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied, cleaned		
K44 Premises clean, in good repair; Personal/chemical storage; Adequate vermin-proofing		X
K45 Floor, walls, ceilings: built, maintained, clean		
K46 No unapproved private home/living/sleeping quarters		
K47 Signs posted; last inspection report available		

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K48	Plan review	
K49	Permits available	
K58	Placard properly displayed/posted	

Comments and Observations

Major Violations

No major violations were observed during this inspection.

Minor Violations

K07 - 3 Points - Improper hot and cold holding temperatures; 11387.1, 113996, 113998, 114037, 114343(a)

Inspector Observations: Some potentially hazardous sea food products stored on the preparation fridge were measured between 45 OF and 50 OF.

[CA] All potentially hazardous foods like meat, seafood, poultry, dairy products, cooked vegetables, cooked cereals, greens, and diced tomatoes shall always be held at 41°F or below or at 135°F or above. Please monitor the temperature and use of the refrigeration unit regularly

K14 - 3 Points - Food contact surfaces unclean and unsanitized; 113984(e), 114097, 114099.1, 114099.4, 114099.6, 114101, 114105, 114109, 114111, 114113, 114115(a,b,d), 114117, 14125(b), 114141

Inspector Observations: Some slim buildup was observed inside the ice machine's internal part.

[CA] Clean the internal part of the ice machine immediately.

K27 - 2 Points - Food not separated and unprotected; 113984(a-d,f), 113986, 114060, 114067(a,d,e,j), 114069(a,b), 114077, 114089.1(c), 114143(c)

Inspector Observations: Some open bag food products were stored in the dry storage area.

[CA] Store all open bag food products in properly labeled bulk containers.

K33 - 2 Points - Nonfood contact surfaces not clean; 114115(c)

Inspector Observations: The screen covers of the make-up air back in the preparation area and the restroom's exhaust fan have heavy dust accumulation.

[CA] Clean the screen covers of the makeup air and the exhaust fan regularly

K36 - 2 Points - Equipment, utensils, linens: Improper storage and use; 114074, 114081, 114119, 114121, 114161, 114178, 114179, 114083, 114185, 114185.2, 114185.3, 114185.4, 114185.5

Inspector Observations: The ice scoop for the ice machine was stored on unclean surface.

[CA] All reusable utensils including the ice scoop must be stored on clean surface/container in between use.

Working utensils were stored on unclean surface.

[CA] All reusable utensils must be stored in clean container/surface in between use.

Boxes of single use and other utensils were stored on the floor back in the storage area.

[CA] For easy floor cleaning and to prevent insect/rodent infestation and hiding, store all utensils/equipment at least six inches off the floor on approved shelf/dunnage rack at all the time

K39 - 2 Points - Thermometers missing or inaccurate; 114157, 114159

Inspector Observations: There was no functional thermometer inside of the under counter fridge.

[CA] To monitor the ambient air temperature of the units, please install a functional thermometer on all refrigeration units.

K40 - 2 Points - Wiping cloths: improperly used and stored; 114135, 114185.1 114185.3(d,e)

Inspector Observations: Couple of wet/soiled wiping cloths were stored on the counters.

[CA] Wet/soiled wiping cloths must be stored in a bucket that has standard sanitizer concentration in between use which is 200 ppm quaternary ammonia or 100 ppm chlorine (bleach).

K42 - 2 Points - Garbage and refuse improperly disposed; 114244, 114245, 114245.1, 114245.2, 114245.3, 114245.4, 114245.5, 114245.6, 114245.7, 114245.8

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Inspector Observations: *The garbage dumpster was not covered. During the summertime, a foul smell is observed which could be a public health issue to the businesses and renters in the center.*

[CA] *To prevent insect/rodent attraction, breeding, and hiding, keep the dumpsters always covered.*

There is an excessive flooding on the dumpster storage area which prevents accessing the dumpsters.

[CA] *Conduct a thorough cleaning on the dumpster area and repair the drain system to improve the proper drain of the gray water accumulated inside the dumpster*

K44 - 2 Points - Premises not clean, not in good repair; No personal/chemical storage; inadequate vermin-proofing; 114067(j), 114123, 114143 (a,b), 114256, 114256.1, 114256.2, 114256.4, 114257, 114257.1, 114259, 114259.2, 114259.3, 114279, 114281, 114282

Inspector Observations: *Couple of open cup employee drinks were stored on the preparation tables.*

[CA] *To prevent possible contamination, employees may only drink with covered cup container and store their drink in designated areas.*

Employee belongings including shirt and jackets were stored on the utensil and food storage shelves.

[CA] *Employee belongings must be stored in designated area.*

Performance-Based Inspection Questions

All responses to PBI questions were satisfactory.

Measured Observations

Item	Location	Measurement	Comments
Cheese	Preparation fridge	35.00 Fahrenheit	
Olyster	Walk-in cooler	34.00 Fahrenheit	
Rice	Rice pot	155.00 Fahrenheit	
Beef	Steam table	159.00 Fahrenheit	
Chicken	Final cook	165.00 Fahrenheit	
Hot water	Three compartment sink	125.00 Fahrenheit	
Fish	Preparation fridge	45.00 Fahrenheit	
Beans	Steam table	145.00 Fahrenheit	

Overall Comments:

Note: 1. Food safety certificate: Blanca Virgen - 10/09/2025.

When required to determine compliance, a single reinspection will be conducted without additional charge. If subsequent reinspections are required, an hourly fee (minimum one hour) at the current rate approved by the Board of Supervisors will be assessed for each and every reinspection until the necessary changes or corrections are made. Unless otherwise noted by the inspector, all violations are to be corrected no later than **1/24/2023**. Any major change in menu or any change in ownership must have prior approval by this Department. This may require structural and/or equipment changes or remodeling to accommodate new operations.

Legend:

[CA]	Corrective Action
[COS]	Corrected on Site
[N]	Needs Improvement
[NA]	Not Applicable
[NO]	Not Observed
[PBI]	Performance-based Inspection
[PHF]	Potentially Hazardous Food
[PIC]	Person in Charge
[PPM]	Part per Million
[S]	Satisfactory
[SA]	Suitable Alternative
[TPHC]	Time as a Public Health Control

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Received By:	Armando Virgen Owner
Signed On:	January 15, 2023