



Did you know...

Center for Science in the Public Interest Sues to Stop MillerCoors "Sparks" Alcoholic Energy Drink.

The nonprofit Center for Science in the Public Interest filed suit against MillerCoors Brewing Company over its alcoholic energy drink, **Sparks**.

- The product has more alcohol than regular beer and contains unapproved additives, including the stimulants caffeine and guarana.
- The lawsuit is asking the Superior Court of the District of Columbia to stop MillerCoors from selling the controversial drink, which is also under scrutiny from state attorneys general.
- Sparks is formulated to appeal to young people with its sweet taste and soda-pop looks, and MillerCoors markets Sparks with predatory tactics that appeal strongly to young people.
- Sparks contain 6% to 7% alcohol by volume, as opposed to regular beer, which typically has 4% or 5% alcohol.

Join Together is teaming up with CSPI to collect examples of harms from around the country. For more information go to: www.jointogether.org or www.cspinet.org

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River Street Meeting Room 42 River Street, Cathlamet

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