

# American Apparel store fined for displaying adult magazine

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*Trina Campbell complained about the graphic sexual images in a magazine on display at American Apparel. (CBC)*

The American Apparel store in West Vancouver's Park Royal Mall has been fined \$100 for displaying a sexually explicit magazine, following a CBC interview with an angry mother.

The fine was levied against the outlet of the Los Angeles-based clothing retailer on Wednesday under a city bylaw that requires adult magazines to be displayed under an opaque cover and at least 47 inches above the floor.

The fine followed a complaint by Trina Campbell, a West Vancouverite who found the magazine displayed in a backpack in the store while shopping with her 13-year-old daughter on Tuesday.

When she opened the magazine, entitled BUTT, it flipped open to an explicit double-page photograph of two men engaged in a sex act.

Bylaw officers laid the fine after hearing an interview with Campbell on CBC Radio on Wednesday, Liz Holitzki, the city's manager of bylaws, permits and inspections, told CBC News.

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