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Unlocking the Age Barrier: The Legal Drinking Age Explained

Short Answer

1. Why did Congress pass the National Minimum Drinking Age Act in 1984?
2. What are some positive effects of setting a legal drinking age?
3. Are there variations in the legal drinking age in the United States? If so, under what circumstances can individuals under 21 consume alcohol?
4. Who is responsible for checking IDs to ensure that customers are of legal drinking age?
5. What are some consequences that underage drinking can have on young people?

