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HOW TO REPORT A SMOKING OFFENCE IN HONG KONG

Report smoking contraventions in a liquor licensed premises (bar, restaurant, club, karaoke)

The licensee of a liquor licensed bar has to comply with the liquor licence conditions for the premises.

A sample of the liquor licence regulations is provided below. The Liquor Licensing Board / FEHD informs us that the HK Police is the responsible investigative party for breaches of liquor licensing conditions Cap 109. Under licence condition 7 it states:

7. **The licensee shall not permit any person to occupy or use any portion of the premises for any immoral or illegal purpose**

So you need to report the Licensee to the HK Police at this email: cip-l-m-licensing@police.gov.hk

and cc epol-office@police.gov.hk

And/Or, cut and paste use this website form link to your browser <http://tinyurl.com/z9a5f28>

And/Or, contact the police station report room in the area where the bar is located <http://tinyurl.com/zqx5ulv>

AND, also send a cc email to Tobacco Control Office, DOH tobaccocontrol@dh.gov.hk

THE FORM OF YOUR COMPLAINT to HK Police Force

Report of alleged Breach of Liquor Licence Conditions by Licensee under Condition 7 of the bar liquor licence Licensee permitting person(s) to use a portion of the licensed premises for an illegal purpose, namely smoking or carry a lit cigarette in an indoor work place, contrary to liquor licence condition 7, using the premises for an illegal purpose

Time: _____ Date: _____

Name of Premises / Bar / Restaurant _____

Address of Premises _____

Informant name / HKID or passport _____ Photo evidence available Y / N

HK Contact address _____

HK Contact Phone _____

HK Contact Email _____

Hong Kong Liquor Licensing Board - Licensing Conditions for a Liquor Licence

1. No disorder shall be permitted on the premises.
2. No person shall be allowed to become drunk on the premises, nor shall liquor be supplied to any person who is drunk.
3. No games of chance shall be played on the premises.
4. The licensee shall personally supervise the premises.
5. The licensee shall display a warning notice at a conspicuous place inside the premises containing the words "NO LIQUOR FOR PERSON UNDER THE AGE OF 18". In the said notice, the size of each Chinese character shall not be less than 3 cm (height) x 3 cm (width) and the size of each English letter shall not be less than 2 cm (height) x 2 cm (width).
6. The licensee shall exhibit and keep exhibited a notice denoting its licensed status provided by the Board at the main entrance of the premises.
7. **The licensee shall not permit any person to occupy or use any portion of the premises for any immoral or illegal purpose.**
8. The licensee shall not permit any common prostitutes or reputed thieves to assemble or remain on the premises.
9. The licensee shall not permit drunkenness, or violence, quarrel or other disorderly conduct on the premises and shall not permit persons of known bad character to assemble and remain on the premises.
10. The name of any liquor for which a standard of quality is prescribed by regulations shall be clearly marked on the container in or from which the liquor is supplied to any customers.
11. No bar business shall be operated on the premises, except with the permission of the Board endorsed herein.
12. No dancing shall be permitted on the premises, except with the permission of the Board endorsed herein.
13. Toilets shall be maintained in a state of cleanliness and good repair for the use of customers.

Licensing Conditions for Club Liquor Licence

1. No disorder shall be permitted on the club premises.
2. No person shall be allowed to become drunk on the club premises, nor shall liquor be supplied to any person who is drunk.
3. The licensee shall personally supervise the club premises.
4. The licensee shall display a warning notice at a conspicuous place inside the club premises containing the words "NO LIQUOR FOR PERSON UNDER AGE 18". In the said notice, the size of each Chinese character shall not be less than 3 cm (height) x 3 cm (width) and the size of each English letter shall not be less than 2 cm (height) x 2 cm (width).
5. The licensee shall exhibit and keep exhibited a notice denoting its licensed status provided by the Board at the main entrance of the club premises.
6. **The licensee shall not permit any person to occupy or use any portion of the club premises for any immoral or illegal purpose.**
7. The licensee shall not permit any common prostitutes or reputed thieves to assemble or remain on the club premises.
8. The licensee shall not permit drunkenness, or violence, quarrel or other disorderly conduct on the club premises and shall not permit persons of known bad character to assemble and remain on the club premises.
9. Toilets shall be maintained in a state of cleanliness and good repair for the use of members.

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