

REGULATED ENTERTAINMENT DEREGULATION

The following entertainment has been de-regulated by the Live Music Act 2012, The Licensing Act 2003 (Descriptions of Entertainment) (Amendment) Order 2013, and The Legislative Reform (Entertainment Licensing) Order 2014



Plays:

no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.

Dance:

no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.

Films:

no licence is required for 'not-for-profit' film exhibition held in community premises between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day provided that the audience does not exceed 500 and the organiser (a) gets consent to the screening from a person who is responsible for the premises; and (b) ensures that each such screening abides by age classification ratings.

Indoor sporting events:

no licence is required for an event between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that those present do not exceed 1000.

Boxing or wrestling entertainment:

no licence is required for a contest, exhibition or display of Greco-Roman wrestling, or freestyle wrestling between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000.

Live music: no licence permission is required for:

a performance of **unamplified** live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, on any premises.

a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises under a premises licence or club premises certificate at a time when the premises are open for the purposes of being used for the supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.

a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a workplace that is not licensed to sell alcohol on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.

a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.

a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.

Recorded Music: no licence permission is required for:

any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises under a premises licence or club premises certificate at a time when the premises are open for the purposes of being used for the supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.

any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.

any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school proprietor or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.

Cross activity exemptions: no licence is required between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, with no limit on audience size for:

any entertainment taking place on the premises of the local authority where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the local authority;

any entertainment taking place on the hospital premises of the health care provider where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the health care provider;

any entertainment taking place on the premises of the school where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the school proprietor; and

any entertainment (excluding films and a boxing or wrestling entertainment) taking place at a travelling circus, provided that (a) it takes place within a moveable structure that accommodates the audience, and (b) that the travelling circus has not been located on the same site for more than 28 consecutive days.