

Deregulation of entertainment

From 6 April 2015 entertainment will NOT be licensable in the following circumstances:

Between 08.00 and 23.00 each day:								
Type of entertainment	Plays	Dance (not adult entertainment)	Films	Indoor sport	Boxing & wrestling (includes MMA)	Unamplified live music	Amplified live music	Recorded music
Audience limit	Up to 500	Up to 500	Up to 500	Up to 1000	Up to 1000	No limit	Up to 500	Up to 500
Other info			Not for profit and on community premises, with consent from the premises. Most observe age ratings.		Exemption is for Greco-Roman or freestyle wrestling. It excludes boxing, MMA, cage fighting, etc.		At premises with an on licence OR church hall, village hall or similar, with consent of person responsible OR non-residential LA premises, school or hospital with consent of person responsible OR workplace	At premises with an on licence OR church hall, village hall or similar, with consent of person responsible OR non-residential LA premises, school or hospital with consent of person responsible

Local authority, hospital and school exemption

In addition to the above ANY previously regulated entertainment will be exempt from regulation if it takes place:

- between 08.00 and 23.00 daily,
- with no audience limit,
- on local authority, hospital or school premises, where it is provided by or on behalf of that organisation

Circus exemption

Similarly some previously regulated entertainment will be exempt from regulation as follows:

- between 08.00 and 23.00 daily,
- at a travelling circus,
- plays, dance (not adult), indoor sport, unamplified or amplified live music, and recorded music,
- within a moveable structure accommodating the audience,
- not there for more than 28 days