

STATES OF JERSEY



DRAFT LICENSING (LICENCE FEES) (JERSEY) REGULATIONS 200-

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REPORT

Introduction

It is necessary to decide on any increases in fees for liquor licences because legislation needs to be formulated so that fees can be charged. Applications for liquor licences are received in October and the legislation needs to be in place in advance of this time. Fees have always been agreed by the Economic Development Committee in July/August of each year to allow for the necessary process to be completed in time.

Fees were last increased for 2006 by 2.5% over 2005.

Treasury and Resources has suggested that fees should again be pegged if at all possible, but in any case the level of increase should not exceed 2.5%.

Fees are shown on the following table –

	Current Fees – 2006	Proposed fees – 2007
1st Category (Taverner's)	£413 plus £1.00 multiplied by the maximum number of persons who may be accommodated for reward on the premises.	£423 plus £1.05 multiplied by the maximum number of persons who may be accommodated for reward on the premises.
2nd Category (Residential)	£1.00 multiplied by the number of approved residents with a minimum fee of £130	£1.05 multiplied by the number of approved residents with a minimum fee of £133
3rd Category (Restaurant)	£413	£423
4th Category (Comprehensive)	£1,030 plus a fee of £2.05 multiplied by the number of approved residents	£1,056 plus a fee of £2.10 multiplied by the number of approved residents
5th Category (Club)	£308	£316
6th Category (Off)	£108	£111

7th Category (Entertainment) Cinemas Places of Entertainment	£413 £1.00 multiplied by the number of persons mentioned in the permit for entertainment granted by the Bailiff, with a minimum of £413	£423 £1.05 multiplied by the number of persons mentioned in the permit for entertainment granted by the Bailiff, with a minimum of £423
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Financial and manpower statement

The financial implications of these Draft Regulations are self-explanatory and there are no additional manpower implications.

Explanatory Note

The Regulations increase by 2.5 % the fees payable in respect of licences under the Licensing (Jersey) Law 1974, and repeal the previous Regulations specifying such fees. If approved, the Regulations shall come into force on 1st October 2006.



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Made *[date to be inserted]*

Coming into force *[date to be inserted]*

THE STATES, in pursuance of Article 11 of the Licensing (Jersey) Law 1974¹, have made the following Regulations –

1 Increase of Fees

- (1) Subject to paragraphs (2), (3), (4) and (5), the fees payable on the grant or renewal of licences shall be as follows –

First Category ("Taverner's Licence")	£423, plus a fee of £1.05 multiplied by the maximum number of persons who may at any time be accommodated for reward on the premises (in these Regulations referred to as "the number of approved residents")
Second Category ("Residential Licence")	A fee of £1.05 multiplied by the number of approved residents, with a minimum fee of £133
Third Category ("Restaurant Licence")	£423
Fourth Category ("Comprehensive Licence")	£1,056, plus a fee of £2.10 multiplied by the number of approved residents
Fifth Category ("Club Licence")	£316
Sixth Category ("Off-Licence")	£111

Seventh Category ("Entertainment Licence")	
(a) cinemas, theatres	£423
(b) places of entertainment other than cinemas and theatres	A fee of £1.05 multiplied by the number of persons mentioned in the permit for entertainment granted by the Bailiff in respect of the premises, with a minimum fee of £423.

- (2) If licences of different categories are applicable to the same premises, a separate fee shall be payable in respect of each category of licence.
- (3) If a licence will expire within 6 months of its commencement, the fee for the licence shall be one-half of that prescribed in paragraph (1).
- (4) If a licence will expire more than 12 months and 7 days after its commencement, the fee for the licence shall be increased by one-twelfth.
- (5) If an application for grant of a licence is refused or withdrawn, the amount of the fee shall be refunded to the applicant.

2 Repeal

The Licensing (Licence Fees) (Jersey) Regulations 2005² shall be repealed.

3 Citation and commencement

These Regulations may be cited as the Licensing (Licence Fees) (Jersey) Regulations 200- and shall come into force on 1st October 2006.

¹ *chapter 11.450*

² *chapter 11.450.30 (R&O.107/2005)*