



Deregulation Act 2015

2015 CHAPTER 20

Alcohol, sport and entertainment

71 Late night refreshment

- (1) Schedule 2 to the Licensing Act 2003 (provision of late night refreshment) is amended as follows.
- (2) In paragraph 1(1) (definition of “provides late night refreshment”), in the words after paragraph (b), after “paragraph” insert “2A,”.
- (3) After paragraph 2 insert—

“Exempt supplies: designated areas, descriptions of premises and times

- 2A
- (1) The supply of hot food or hot drink is an exempt supply for the purposes of paragraph 1(1) if it takes place—
 - (a) on or from premises which are wholly situated in an area designated by the relevant licensing authority;
 - (b) on or from premises which are of a description designated by the relevant licensing authority; or
 - (c) during a period (beginning no earlier than 11.00 p.m. and ending no later than 5.00 a.m.) designated by the relevant licensing authority.
 - (2) A licensing authority may designate a description of premises under sub-paragraph (1)(b) only if the description is one that is prescribed by regulations.
 - (3) A designation under sub-paragraph (1) may be varied or revoked by the licensing authority that made it.
 - (4) A licensing authority that makes, varies or revokes a designation under sub-paragraph (1) must publish the designation, variation or revocation.

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

- (5) In sub-paragraph (1) references to the “relevant licensing authority”, in relation to a supply of hot food or hot drink, are references to—
- (a) the licensing authority in whose area the premises on or from which the food or drink is supplied are situated, or
 - (b) where those premises are situated in the areas of two or more licensing authorities, any of those authorities.”