

Fire Safety and Safety of Places of Sport Act 1987

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FIRE SAFETY AND SAFETY OF PLACES OF SPORT ACT 1987

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- Subject to paragraph 2 below, the following are the descriptions... 1
- Premises which are deemed to form part of a mine... 2 Part II — THE MODIFICATIONS
- 3 (1) This paragraph applies to premises in respect of which...
- In section 6(1) as it has effect in relation to... 4
- 5 In section 8 as it has effect in relation to...
- In section 8A as it has effect in relation to... 6
- 7 Where a licence issued under the Explosives Act 1875 or...
- 8 Where any premises ("the relevant premises")— (a) are premises for...

SCHEDULE 2 — Extension of Application of Safety of Sports Grounds Act 1975 to Sports Grounds

SCHEDULE 3 — Indoor Sports Licences — CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

Preliminary

1 In this Schedule references to paragraphs are reference to paragraphs... — AMENDMENTS

Music and dancing licences

2 In paragraph 1, at the end, there shall be inserted...

Boxing and wrestling licences

- 3 In paragraph 4— (a) in sub-paragraph (1), after the words...
- 4 In paragraph 5(1) and (2), for the words "occasional sports...

Licences continued during applications

5 In paragraphs 6A and 6B, after the words "paragraph 1"...

Transmission and cancellation of licences

6 In paragraphs 7 and 8, after the words "paragraph 1"...

Power to impose general terms et ceteralaetc. by regulations

7 In paragraph 9(1), after the words "paragraph 1" there shall...

Enforcement

- 8 In paragraph 10(1), (2)(a) and (4), after the words "paragraph...
- 9 In paragraph 12(1) after the words "paragraph 1" there shall...

Provisional grant of licences

10 In paragraph 17(1), after the words "paragraph 1" there shall...

Variation of licences

11 In paragraph 18, after the words "paragraph 1" there shall...

Appeals

12 In paragraph 19- (a) in sub-paragraphs (1)(a) and (3), after...

Meaning of "premises"

13 Paragraph 20 shall be omitted.

SCHEDULE 4 — Repeals

SCHEDULE 5 — Transitional and Saving Provisions

Preliminary

1 In this Schedule— "the 1971 Act" means the Fire...

Certain certificates deemed to be fire certificates

2 Where immediately before a fire certificate becomes required by or...

Charges for fire certification work

3 Section 8B of the 1971 Act which is inserted by...

Fire safety: emergency orders

4 The substitution effected by section 9 of this Act of...

Sports grounds: certain existing designations

5 Any designation of a sports ground made under section 1...

Sports grounds certificates: appeals

6 The amendments effected by section 22 of this Act in...

Sports grounds: emergency orders

7 The substitution effected by section 23 of this Act of...

Entertainment licences for sports generally

- 8 Where the use of any premises for the purpose of...
- 9 The amendment of Schedule 1 to the 1982 Act effected...

Boxing or wrestling licences

10 Any licence under paragraph 4 of Schedule 12 to the...

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Fire Safety and Safety of Places of Sport Act 1987.