



# Metropolitan Police Act 1839

## 1839 CHAPTER 47 2 and 3 Vict

### 44 Regulations of 9G. 4. c. 61 respecting public houses to extend to other houses of public resort.

<sup>F1</sup> . . . Every person who shall have or keep any house, shop, room, or place of public resort within the metropolitan police district, wherein provisions, liquors, or refreshments of any kind shall be sold or consumed, (whether the same shall be kept or retailed therein or procured elsewhere,) and who shall wilfully or knowingly permit drunkenness or other disorderly conduct in such house, shop, room, or place<sup>F2</sup>... or knowingly permit or suffer prostitutes or persons of notoriously bad character to meet together and remain therein, shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty of not more than [<sup>F3</sup>level 1 on the standard scale]: . . . <sup>F4</sup>

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Recital omitted under authority of Statute Law Revision (No. 2) Act 1890 (c. 51)
- F2** Words in s. 44 repealed (1.9.2007) by Gambling Act 2005 (c. 19), s. 358(1), Sch. 16 para. 1(a), Sch. 17 (with ss. 352, 354, Sch. 16 paras. 21); S.I. 2006/3272, art. 2(4)(5), Sch. 3B (with arts. 7-11arts. 7-12Sch. 4) (as inserted by S.I. 2007/2169, arts. 3, 6, Sch.)
- F3** Words substituted by virtue of Criminal Justice Act 1982 (c. 48, SIF 39:1), ss. 38, 46
- F4** Words repealed by Statute Law Revision (No. 2) Act 1874 (c. 96)

#### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 44 amended by Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Act 1963 (c. 2), s. 40

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Metropolitan Police Act 1839, Section 44.