



**THE HEALTH (EATINGHOUSE) REGULATIONS 1948,
AMENDMENT NO. 2**

COBHAM, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 24th day of August 1960

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Health Act 1956 and the Food and Drugs Act 1947, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. (1) These regulations may be cited as the Health (Eatinghouse) Regulations 1948, Amendment No. 2, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Health (Eatinghouse) Regulations 1948* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of February 1961.

2. (1) Regulation 3 of the principal regulations is hereby amended—

(a) By inserting in the definition of the term “eatinghouse”, after the words “food stall”, the words “licensed hotel”; and by omitting from that definition the words “but does not include premises licensed under the Licensing Act 1908”:

(b) By adding to the definition of the term “refreshment room” the words “and includes every public bar, private bar, lounge, or beer garden of any licensed hotel or premises operated by a Licensing Trust or premises in respect of which a New Zealand wine licence, a conditional licence, or a works canteen licence is issued under the Licensing Act 1908 for the sale of liquor for consumption on the premises”.

(2) Regulation 3 of the principal regulations is hereby further amended by inserting, after the definition of the term “eatinghouse”, the following definition:

“‘Licensed hotel’ means premises in respect of which a publican’s licence, a tourist house licence, an accommodation licence, or a packet licence is in force under the Licensing Act 1908, and any other premises operated by a Licensing Trust and used for the accommodation of guests and the sale of liquor for consumption on the premises:”.

3. Regulation 13 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by adding the words "or to premises in respect of which a licence is issued under the Licensing Act 1908 or to premises operated by a Licensing Trust".

4. The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 22, and substituting the following regulation:

"22. (1) In the kitchen in every eatinghouse other than a piecart, wash-hand basins, in the ratio of one to every 10 employees or part thereof, with hot and cold water laid on, together with soap, paper towels, clean towels, or other suitable hand drying devices, shall be provided.

"(2) In every public bar, private bar, and if so directed by the Medical Officer of Health in any other place where liquor is sold by the glass, wash-hand basins, in the ratio of one to every 10 employees or part thereof, with hot and cold water laid on, together with soap, paper towels, clean towels, or other suitable hand drying devices, shall be provided:

"Provided that it shall be sufficient compliance with this regulation if suitable alternative conveniently located hand-washing facilities are provided to the satisfaction of an Inspector.

"(3) There shall be posted in each privy and toilet room a notice calling upon every member of the management and staff to wash his hands thoroughly before commencing work and again before handling food at any time after using the privy."

5. Regulation 37 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by inserting, after the words "has been cooked or prepared", the words "in the kitchen of a licensed hotel or".

6. The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 38, and substituting the following regulation:

"38. It shall be the duty of the committee of any club or association occupying or using any racecourse, showground, or any other premises in respect of which a conditional licence is issued under the Licensing Act 1908 to provide the facilities for the proper cleansing of all utensils used in the preparation, service, and consumption of food in every eatinghouse situated on any of the aforementioned premises, and it shall be the duty of the caterer or, if there is no caterer, of the said committee to ensure that the provisions of these regulations are complied with in respect of every such eatinghouse."

T. J. SHERRARD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

These regulations apply the Health (Eatinghouse) Regulations 1948 to certain premises in respect of which a licence is issued under the Licensing Act 1908 and to premises operated by a Licensing Trust.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Health.