

**2022 No. 180 (C. 21)**

**LICENSING**

**The Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) (2021 Act) (Commencement No. 4) Order (Northern Ireland) 2022**

*Made* - - - -

*6th June 2022*

The Department for Communities<sup>(a)</sup> makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 47(2) of the Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2021<sup>(b)</sup>.

**Citation and interpretation**

**1.**—(1) This Order may be cited as the Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) (2021 Act) (Commencement No. 4) Order (Northern Ireland) 2022.

(2) In this Order “the Act” means the Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2021.

**Appointed Day**

**2.** The day appointed for the coming into operation of the provisions of the Act specified in the Schedule is 1st October 2022.

**3.** The day appointed for the coming into operation of section 20 of the Act is 6th April 2023.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Communities on 6th June 2022.

(L.S.)

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A senior officer of the Department for Communities

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<sup>(a)</sup> Formerly the Department for Social Development; see 2016 c.5 (N.I.), s.1 (7)

<sup>(b)</sup> 2021 c. 7 (N.I.)

## SCHEDULE

Article 2

Provisions of the Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2021 coming into operation on 1st October 2022.

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<i>Provisions of the Act</i>	<i>Subject Matter</i>
Section 18	Prohibition on self-service and sales by vending machines
Section 19	Restrictions on off-sales drinks promotions in supermarkets etc.
Section 25	Code of practice
Section 29	Consent required for alterations to premises
Section 39	Prohibition on self-service and supply by vending machines
Section 41	Code of practice

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## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order brings the last remaining provisions of the Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2021 into operation. These provisions relate to the prohibition on the sale of alcoholic drinks by way of self-service or vending machine, and restrictions on off-sales drinks promotions in supermarkets and off-sales premises.

This Order also brings into operation a new provision which permits the Department to approve a relevant code of practice produced by persons who have a relevant interest in liquor licensing. A similar provision in relation to registered clubs is also brought into operation by this Order.

The Order further brings into operation, a requirement for a registered club to obtain the consent of a court before making certain alterations to its premises, and prohibits the supply of alcoholic drinks by way of self-service or vending machine by registered clubs.

This Order also brings into operation a new provision which prohibits the operation of schemes that provide for the award and redemption of loyalty or bonus points to members for the purchase of alcoholic drinks in all licensed premises.

## NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT ORDERS

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

The following provisions of the Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2021 have been brought into operation by commencement orders made before the date of this Order.

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Date of Commencement</i>	<i>S.R. No.</i>
Section 1	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 2	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 3	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 4	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 5	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 6	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 8	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 21	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 23	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 24	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 27	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 30	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 31	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 32	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 33	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 42	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 43	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Schedule 1 (partially)	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Schedule 2 (partially)	1 October 2021	2021 No. 247 (C. 9)
Section 7	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 9	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 10	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 11 (partially)	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)

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Section 12	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 13	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 14	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 15	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 16	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 17	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 22	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 26	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 28	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 34	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 35	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 36	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 37	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 38	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 40	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Schedule 1 (partially)	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Schedule 2 (partially)	6 April 2022	2022 No. 63 (C. 9)
Section 11, in so far as it is not already in force	1 June 2022	2022 No. 133 (C. 15)
Schedule 1 (partially)	1 June 2022	2022 No. 133 (C. 15)

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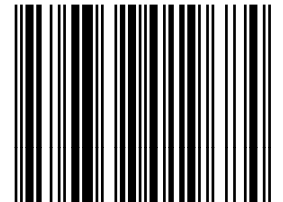




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