

COMMISSION OF PUBLIC HEALTH

REQUIREMENTS FOR POP FESTIVALS

1. Plans shall be submitted showing the site, the locations of the stage and spectator areas, the locations of the toilets, showers, catering facilities, camping and car parking areas and access roads.
2. The Proprietor shall set up the site strictly in accordance with the approved plans.
3. The parking of cars shall be restricted to the car parks provided and no vehicles, other than service vehicles, shall be permitted within the camping or the spectator areas during the Festival.
4. Camping shall be restricted to the approved camping areas and shall comply with the Camping Regulations 1965, except in respect of registration of the area with the local Council, minimum area of the camping sites, the maximum number of sites per acre and the provision of laundry facilities.
5. Access roads for adequate servicing of the toilet and washing facilities shall be provided in accordance with the Camping Regulations 1965 and shall be kept clear of obstructions for ready access by service vehicles at all times during the Festival.
6. Toilets and ablution blocks, clearly designated for the sexes, shall be provided strictly in accordance with the Camping Regulations 1965 and shall be to the satisfaction of the Commission of Public Health and the local Council.
7. Adequate storage for drinking and washing water of approved quality shall be provided and the supply shall be reticulated throughout the area with sufficient drinking water taps to the satisfaction of the Commission of Public Health.
8. Adequate arrangements shall be made for the satisfactory drainage and clearance of all washing and toilet facilities at all times during the Festival.
9. Refuse bins shall be placed at suitable sites sufficient in number for the collection of refuse, and arrangements shall be made for the bulk collection of garbage to the satisfaction of the local Council.
10. Disposal of refuse and nightsoil shall be subject to the approval of the Commission of Public Health.
11. Adequate lighting of the camping area, the toilet and ablution blocks, and the access roads shall be provided to the satisfaction of the Commission of Public Health.
12. All electrical requirements as prescribed shall be fulfilled. Electrical alternator sets of adequate capacity shall be located in approved positions near load centres and connected to an adequate reticulation system for lighting and power requirements.

Adequate protection of the units shall be provided to prevent interference by unauthorized persons.

Qualified electrical staff shall be in attendance at all times during the Festival to handle breakdowns and maintain supply.

13. Catering facilities shall be provided to the satisfaction of the Commission of Public Health. Overcrowding of catering tents or marquees will be prohibited.
14. Arrangements shall be made for first aid and ambulance services to be provided to the satisfaction of the Commission of Public Health.

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15. A shed for use as an office shall be provided at a suitable location for the officers of the Department of Health and the Council.
16. An adequate internal and external communication system shall be provided to the satisfaction of the local Council.
17. All facilities required to be provided, including the stage, toilet and washing facilities, required fencing, electrical installations and wiring conforming with the Regulations and any other requirements listed in the approval notice, shall be completed not less than seven (7) days prior to the date of commencement of the Festival to enable adequate time for inspection and making good any deficiencies noted.
18. A bond calculated on a per capita basis and the estimated maximum attendance shall be lodged with the local Council to cover the cost of any additional facilities to be provided by the Council or cleaning up operations found to be necessary.
19. Subject to compliance in full with the above-mentioned requirements, approval to open the Festival will then be given by the Commission of Public Health.

NOTE: Arrangements should be made and details forwarded to the Commission of Public Health for the provision of adequate water supplies, additional toilet facilities and the clearance of toilet and washing facilities for dealing with larger attendances than predicted.

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