

UNLAWFUL PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENTS (JERSEY) REGULATIONS 2024

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THE STATES make these Regulations under the Order in Council dated 14th April 1884 –

1 Organising an unlawful public entertainment an offence

- (1) A person who organises or is otherwise concerned in providing an unlawful public entertainment commits an offence and is liable to imprisonment for a term of 6 months and to a fine.
- (2) For the purposes of paragraph (1), a public entertainment is unlawful if it is held without the permission of the Bailiff.
- (3) The Bailiff may grant permission for the provision of a public entertainment subject to the conditions the Bailiff thinks fit.

2 Offence of contravening condition of permission

An organiser of, or a person otherwise concerned in providing, a public entertainment commits an offence and is liable to imprisonment for a term of 6 months and to a fine if –

- (a) any condition of the Bailiff's permission for the entertainment is contravened; and
- (b) the organiser of, or person otherwise concerned in providing, the entertainment did not take all reasonable precautions to avoid the contravention.

3 Offences by body corporate, etc.

(1) In this Regulation –

"relevant body" means a limited liability partnership, a separate limited partnership, a limited liability company, an incorporated limited partnership or another body corporate;

"relevant offence" means an offence under these Regulations that is committed by a relevant body;

"relevant person" means -

- (a) if the relevant offence is committed by a limited liability partnership, a partner of the partnership;
- (b) if the relevant offence is committed by a separate limited partnership or an incorporated limited partnership
 - (i) a general partner, or
 - (ii) a limited partner who is participating in the management of the partnership;
- (c) if the relevant offence is committed by a limited liability company or a body corporate (other than an incorporated limited partnership)
 - (i) a director, manager, secretary or other similar officer of the body corporate, or
 - (ii) if the affairs of the body corporate are managed by its members, a member who is acting in connection with the member's functions of management; and
- (d) a person purporting to act in any capacity described in sub-paragraphs (a) to (c) in relation to the relevant body that commits the relevant offence.
- (2) If a relevant offence under Regulation 1 or 2 is proved to have been committed with the consent or connivance of a relevant person, that relevant person is also guilty of the offence and liable in the same manner as the relevant body to the penalty provided for that offence.
- (3) If a relevant offence under Regulation 2 is proved to be attributable to any neglect on the part of a relevant person, that relevant person is also guilty of the offence and liable in the same manner as the relevant body to the penalty provided for the offence.

4 Saving of customary law

Nothing in these Regulations is to be taken as abolishing, modifying or prejudicing any offence against the customary law.

5 Consequential amendment

In Article 49(5) of the Road Works and Events (Jersey) Law 2016, for "Unlawful Public Entertainments (Jersey) Regulations 2013" there is substituted "Unlawful Public Entertainments (Jersey) Regulations 2024".

6 Citation, commencement and expiry

- (1) These Regulations may be cited as the Unlawful Public Entertainments (Jersey) Regulations 2024.
- (2) These Regulations come into force on 21st July 2024 and expire at the end of 20th July 2027.