

GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI  
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE, ENTT. & LUXURY TAX  
L & N BLOCK, VIKAS BHAWAN, I.P. ESTATE, NEW DELHI

No. F.10/155/Ex./IMFL/2010-11/ 3989

12/11/2015

CIRCULAR

In spite of circular No.F.10(155)/Ex/IMFL/10-11/Part-file/ 1010-1017 dated 09.06.2015 vide which the view of the govt. with regard to nuisance of open drinking at vends alongwith directions for installing of CCTV camera were conveyed (copy enclosed for ready reference), the menace of drinking in open causing nuisance is still going on as large number of complaints are being received on PGMS portal as well as directly to the department.

It has been observed that the retail liquor vends are not following the directions in this regard as and when footage of 30 days CCTV, has been sought, the Corporations have failed to provide the same citing the reason for non functioning of the CCTV or the cost involved for providing the footage in CD form to the department.

In view of the above, all the four corporations are hereby directed to chalkout a mechanism at their level to see the footage of last 30 days and take corrective measures and ensure that no incidence of open drinking happens in vicinity of the liquor vend. if possible, permanent guards may be deployed. The corporations can not absolve with their responsibility stating that it is the job of the local police to maintain law and order. It is pertinent to mention that neither Delhi police nor this department has wherewithal to depute and check individual vend, therefore, it is directed that the vend incharge shall ensure that no incidence of open drinking happen. The CCTV cameras remains functional and 30 days footage of CCTV back up is kept safe.

In view of the above the proactive role of Head Quarter level of Corporations is required to check the CCTV cameras installed in retail vends that these are functional and back up of CCTV footage for 30 days is mandatorily maintained. A mechanism should also be developed that the footage are examined regularly and corrective measures are taken if anything irregular or any violation of Delhi Excise Act, 2009 and Delhi Excise Rules, 2010 are noticed. If anything related with open drinking of public nuisance is found out, the footage must immediately be shared with the concerned Police authorities. Further, the functionality of CCTV at these vends are also ensured as it has been noticed that as and when footage have been sought the Corporations have shown their inability to provide the same on pretext of non functionality of CCTV camera or non availability of footage which is clear violation of the circular referred in 1<sup>st</sup> para above, issued on 09.06.15 and undersigned shall be compelled to take stringent action.

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Similarly all private vends shall follow the instructions given in preceding para and ensure that the CCTV cameras are functional and back up of 30 days footage is available.

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1. All the license holders in form of L-6, L-7, L-8, L-9, L-10 & L-12.
2. M/s DSCSC, DTTDC, DCCWS & DSIIDC.
3. PA to Commissioner (Excise).
4. AC (ESCIMS) with the request to upload on the website as pop-up regarding the above Circular.
5. System analyst with the request to upload the same on the website of the department.
6. Notice Board.
7. Guard File.

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