



New South Wales

Liquor Amendment (COVID Support) Regulation 2022

under the

Liquor Act 2007

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Liquor Act 2007*.

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Minister for Hospitality and Racing

Explanatory note

The objects of this Regulation are as follows—

- (a) to provide for RSA and RCG endorsements that expire from 1 February 2020 until 30 June 2022 to be renewable before 1 July 2022 on the completion of an RSA refresher course or an approved RCG training course, respectively,
- (b) to extend trading periods for the Parkes Elvis Festival and Tamworth Country Music Festival.

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the *Liquor Amendment (COVID Support) Regulation 2022*.

2 Commencement

This Regulation commences on 3 February 2022 and is required to be published on the NSW legislation website.

Schedule 1 Amendment of Liquor Regulation 2018

[1] Clause 74A

Insert after clause 74—

74A COVID-19 pandemic—special provision for renewing expired RSA and RCG endorsements

- (1) Despite clause 74(1), an RSA endorsement or RCG endorsement may, before 1 July 2022, be renewed if—
 - (a) the endorsement expires during the period from 1 February 2020 until 30 June 2022, and
 - (b) the following course is completed—
 - (i) for RSA endorsements—an RSA refresher course,
 - (ii) for RCG endorsements—a relevant approved RCG training course.
- (2) A person is exempt from paying the fee described in clause 7(1), item 3, if the renewed recognised competency card endorsement includes an RSA endorsement renewed under this clause.
- (3) This clause does not apply to the following—
 - (a) an existing tier 1 licensee or manager,
 - (b) an existing tier 2 licensee or manager.
- (4) In this clause—

existing tier 1 licensee or manager and *existing tier 2 licensee or manager* has the same meaning as in clause 83.

relevant approved RCG training course means a course of training in relation to the responsible conduct of gambling that is provided by or on behalf of the Secretary.

[2] Schedule 5 Special events extended trading for hotels and clubs

Omit the matter relating to Bathurst 1000, Tamworth Country Music Festival, Australian Open Tennis and AFC Asian Cup Quarter-final Match from the table.

[3] Schedule 5, table

Insert in appropriate order—

Parkes Elvis Festival	10pm to midnight on Sunday 24 April 2022	Hotel or club premises in the Parkes local government area
Tamworth Country Music Festival	10pm to midnight on Sunday 24 April 2022	Hotel or club premises in the Tamworth Regional local government area

[4] Schedule 5, table

Insert “Women’s” after “AFC” wherever occurring.

[5] Schedule 5, table

Omit “2020” from the matter relating to Newcastle 500. Insert instead “2022”.