

OFFICE OF
Liquor and Gaming
REGULATION



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Urgent notice to licensees about COVID-19 and the operation of licensed premises

This evening, the National Cabinet agreed to implement new rules for places where Australian's gather in a bid to halt the spread of coronavirus (COVID-19).

From **midday** tomorrow (Monday 23 March 2020), the following businesses will be closed:

Pubs, registered and licensed clubs (excluding bottle shops attached to these venues), hotels (excluding accommodation)

Entertainment venues, casinos, night clubs and cinemas

Restaurants and cafes will be restricted to takeaways and/or home deliveries.

We understand the significant impact this will have on our hotel, club and hospitality industries and we will continue to work closely with industry representatives to support Queensland licensees through this unprecedented time.

We will provide you with further information tomorrow.

In the meantime, it's important you continue to stay up to date through the reliable channels.

- Australian Government Department of Health
- Queensland Health's COVID-19 website

Regards,

Victoria Thomson

Commissioner for Liquor and Gaming