

POLICY

LIQUOR LICENCE APPLICATIONS

Purpose

To establish a process to respond to liquor licence application referrals from the Liquor Control and Licensing Branch.

Preamble

The Liquor Control and Licensing Act (LCLA) states that a licence of a prescribed class or category must not be issued unless the General Manager of the Liquor Control and Licensing Branch has provided the local government or first nation with notice of the licence application.

Whereas Section 11.1 of the LCLA provides local governments and first nations with the option to not comment on liquor licence applications, the Board of the Columbia Shuswap Regional District has decided by way of its actions, resolutions and policy to adopt such a position.

POLICY

1. The Columbia Shuswap Regional District Board will not provide comment on liquor licence referrals concerning an amendment to an existing Licence or a new Licence, but does wish to be notified of such applications.
2. The Columbia Shuswap Regional District Board will not provide seating capacities for any application under the Liquor Control and Licensing Act.
3. Development Services staff will review all Liquor Licence application referrals for compliance with relevant land use regulations, and provide comments to the Liquor Control and Licensing Branch in respect of such regulations.
4. This Policy will remain in effect until it is repealed or replaced.
5. This Policy is in effect for the following geographic areas: all of the lands within the CSRD that lie outside of municipal boundaries, Indian Reserves and National Parks.

DECEMBER 1987

MARCH 2005

FEBRUARY 2007

JANUARY 2015