

When do I need an Entertainments License?

The following provides a schedule of entertainment for which a License is required under the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 1985:

1. Indoor

- a) Theatrical performance
- b) Dancing, singing or music or any other entertainment of a like kind
- c) Circus
- d) Any entertainment which consist of, or includes, any public contest, match, exhibition or display of:
 - boxing, wrestling, judo, karate or any similar sport
 - billiards, pool, snooker or any similar game
 - darts
 - any other sport or game prescribed for the purposes of this paragraph by an order made by the Department subject to affirmative resolution.

2. Outdoor

Any public musical entertainment which is held wholly or mainly in the open air. Musical entertainment means if music or singing is a substantial ingredient.