

CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER

DEPARTMENT OF EXCISE AND LICENSES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC RULEMAKING HEARING

**Thursday, July 26, 2012, 9:00 a.m.
Hearing Room 2.H.14
Department of Excise and Licenses
201 West Colfax Avenue, Second Floor
Denver, Colorado 80202**

**Proposed rules pertaining to the distance restriction between
hotel and restaurant liquor licenses and schools**

Purpose and Subject:

The Department of Excise and Licenses will conduct a public hearing on proposed rules concerning the hotel and restaurant liquor license under authority of Section 2.7.4 of the Charter of the City and County of Denver, and Section 12-47-313(1)(d)(III) of the Colorado Liquor Code. The proposed effective date of these rules is August 1, 2012. Pursuant to Article VI, Chapter 2 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code, notice is hereby given that the Director of the Department of Excise and Licenses is considering the adoption of proposed rules pertaining to the hotel and restaurant liquor license, eliminating the five hundred foot distance restriction between schools and hotel and restaurant licenses only. The distance restrictions with respect to all other classes of liquor licenses, including taverns and liquor stores, will not change.

Complete Text Available:

The complete text of the proposed new rules is available for viewing online at the Department of Excise and Licenses website (www.denvergov.org/businesslicensing), and in printed form at the Department of Excise and Licenses, 201 W. Colfax Ave, Dept. 206, Denver, CO 80202.

Public Comment and Participation:

This hearing is open to the public and all interested parties are encouraged to attend. Public testimony will be taken at the hearing. Members of the public wishing to provide written comment may do so from now until the hearing takes place. Written comment may be emailed to: licenses@denvergov.org; mailed or delivered in person to: Department of Excise and Licenses, 201 W. Colfax Ave., Dept. 206, Denver CO 80202; or delivered in person at the hearing.

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