



CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

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DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION IMPLEMENTATION ORDER To Implement Governor Lamont Executive Orders 7G and 7T

UPDATED FOR DELIVERY

Limits on Restaurant, Bar, Private Club Operations and Other Permit Types

Pursuant to Executive Order [7G](#) and [7T](#), the Department of Consumer Protection issues the following rules and procedures for the sale of alcoholic liquor for pick-up and delivery to a customer for all permit types presently allowed to offer pick-up and delivery:

1. For all pick-up and delivery orders that include alcoholic liquor, the customer receiving the order must be of legal drinking age and cannot be intoxicated.
2. If the age of the customer receiving the alcoholic liquor is in question, he or she must present a valid operator's license or state identify card. If the age of the customer remains in question after reviewing the identification presented, the sale and/or delivery of the alcoholic beverage must be declined.
3. The use of age statement forms is not authorized for pick up or delivery of alcoholic beverages off-premises.
4. Any individual who delivers orders that include alcoholic liquor directly to the customer's residence must be at least eighteen years of age and employed as an employee of the permit premises.
5. Unless otherwise noted, the hours of sales for pick up or delivery that include alcoholic liquor shall be the same as those for a package store.

The following rules address the conditions for sale of alcoholic liquor for pick-up and delivery to a customer for specific permits.

Section 30-22(a) Restaurant Liquor Permit (Prefix- LIR)
Section 30-22(b) Restaurant Wine and Beer Permit (Prefix-LRW)
Section 30-22(c) Restaurant Beer (Prefix-LRB)
Section 30-22a Café Permit (Prefix- LCA)
Section 30-26 Tavern Permit (Prefix- LIT)

Such locations may only sell sealed containers of alcoholic liquor consistent with the alcohol types that they are currently permitted to sell on-premise based on their permit type, and **only** if it is part of a take-out or delivery order that includes food prepared on premises. **The bottles or cans of alcoholic liquor offered for pick-up or delivery must be sealed as received from the wholesaler or manufacturer**, however beer growlers provided by the permit premises may be filled with draught beer by the premise.

If selling beer in growlers, the premise may not sell more than 4 liters to any person per day. Containers must be supplied and filled by the permittee; consumers may not bring in their own personal containers for refilling purposes, however consumers may bring in containers previously provided to them by that specific permittee for refilling purposes. Any container brought in by a consumer must appear clean, and employees are encouraged to minimize contact between the container and the premises' equipment.

Such locations may only be open for customers to order, pick up orders, and provide delivery of orders. Such orders are limited to food prepared on the premise, nonalcoholic beverages, growlers provided by the permittee containing draught beer and sealed containers of alcoholic liquor as received by the wholesaler. There is no on-premise consumption of alcoholic liquor allowed on the permit premises and on the grounds of the permit premises. Curbside pick-up adjacent to the permit premises is allowed, if there is no municipal ordinance to the contrary.

Section 30-16(a) Manufacturer Permit (Prefix-LML)

If the location produces on the premises less than 25,000 gallons of alcoholic liquor in a calendar year, the permit holder may be open to the public for the purpose of selling or delivering sealed bottles or containers of alcoholic liquor which is manufactured on the premises. No more than one and one-half liters of alcoholic liquor may be sold to any individual daily. There is no consumption or tastings allowed on the premises nor on the grounds of the property.

Section 30-16(b) Manufacturer Permit for Beer (Prefix-LMB)

For premises holding this permit, the premises may be open to the public for the purpose of selling or delivering sealed bottles or containers of beer which is brewed on the premises. No more than nine gallons of such beer may be sold to any person daily. There is no consumption or tastings allowed on the premises nor on the grounds of the property.

Section 30-16(c) Manufacturer Permit for Cider (Prefix-LMC)

For premises holding this permit, the premises may be open to the public for the purpose of selling or delivering sealed bottles or containers of cider and apple wine which is produced on the premises. No consumption on the premises nor on the grounds of the cidery is allowed.

Section 30-16(d) Manufacturer Permit for Apple Brandy and Eau-de-vie (Prefix-LMA)

For premises holding this permit, the premises may be open to the public for the purpose of selling or delivering sealed bottles or containers of cider and apple wine which is produced on the premises. No consumption on the premises nor on the grounds of the premises is allowed.

Section 30-17(e) Manufacturer Permit for Farm Winery (Prefix-LFW)

Such locations may be open to customers for the purpose of sale at retail or delivery to customers of wine or brandy manufactured by the farm winery, wine manufactured by another farm winery located in Connecticut, and brandy manufactured from fruit harvested in Connecticut and distilled off the premises, in sealed bottles or other sealed containers for consumption off the premises. No consumption on the premises nor on the grounds of the farm winery are allowed.

The retail sale of wine on these premises and delivery to customers shall be unlawful on Sunday before ten o'clock a.m. and after ten o'clock p.m., and on any other day before eight o'clock a.m. and after ten o'clock p.m.

A Farm Winery need not possess an in-state transporter's permit to deliver to customers under this Order.

Section 30-16 (f) (1) Manufacturer Permit for Farm Brewery (Prefix-LBF)

Such locations may be open to customers for the purpose of sale at retail or delivery to customers of sealed bottles or containers of beer that is brewed on the premises. No more than nine gallons of such beer may be sold to any person daily and all sales shall be for off premise consumption.

No consumption on the premises nor on the grounds of the permit premises is allowed.

Premises may allow consumers to bring in their own container for filling. Any container brought in by a consumer must appear clean, and employees are encouraged to minimize contact between the container and the premises' equipment.

Section 30-16 (g) Manufacturer Permit for a Brew Pub (Prefix-LBP)

Section 30-16 (h) Manufacturer Permit for Beer and Brew Pub (Prefix-LMP)

Such locations may be open to customers for the purpose of sale at retail or delivery to customers of not more than nine gallons of beer which is brewed on the premises, and sold in sealed bottles or other sealed containers, for off premises consumption. No consumption on the premises nor on the grounds of the permit premises is allowed.

Premises may allow consumers to bring in their own container for filling. Any container brought in by a consumer must appear clean, and employees are encouraged to minimize contact between the container and the premises' equipment.

Section 30-16 (i) (1) Manufacturer permit for a Farm Distillery (Prefix-LDF)

Such locations may be open to customers for the purpose of sale at retail from the premises or delivery to customers of sealed bottles or sealed containers, in amounts not to exceed four and one-half liters per customer daily, of such distilled alcohol manufactured on the premises. Such sales shall be for consumption off the permit premises. There shall be no consumption on the permit premises nor on the grounds of the farm distillery

Other Permit Types

Sales of alcoholic liquor for take-out or delivery to customers shall not be allowed by the holder of any other on-premise permit type, except that the holder of a hotel permit may provide alcoholic liquor for room service for guests and convenience centers at hotels for hotel guests and their visitors consistent with the rules for that permit and other executive orders issued by the Governor.