

Licensing Act 1902

1902 CHAPTER 28

PART II

AMENDMENT OF LICENSING LAW

16 Provisions as to transfer

(1) In the case of an application for a licence under section four or section fourteen of the Alehouse Act, 1828, the person holding the licence and the person who it is proposed shall become the holder of the licence shall attend at the special sessions at which the application is heard, and the agreement or other assurance, if any, under which the licence is to be transferred and held shall be produced to the licensing justices, and, for the purpose of compelling the attendance of any such person, or any witness, the licensing justices shall have all the powers of a court of summary jurisdiction.

Provided that the licensing justices may, for good cause shown in any particular case, dispense with the attendance of either of such persons, or both.

- (2) For the purpose of preventing repeated applications the licensing justices may at the general annual licensing meeting make regulations determining the time which must elapse after the hearing of one application for a licence under section four or section fourteen of the Alehouse Act, 1828, before another application under the said sections or either of them may be made in respect of the same premises. Provided that the justices may, in their discretion, for good cause shown, dispense with the observance of these regulations in any particular case.
- (3) The provisions of subsection two of section forty of the Licensing Act, 1872, as to notices of intention to transfer, shall apply to all cases of applications under section four or section fourteen of the Alehouse Act, 1828.
- (4) The provisions of subsection four of section four of the Wine and Beerhouse Act, 1870, with respect to the adjournment of an application for a transfer, shall apply to all licences in cases arising under section four or section fourteen of the Alehouse Act, 1828; and where any such application is adjourned, and there is in force an authority granted under the Licensing Act, 1842, to sell intoxicating liquor on the licensed

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premises, such authority shall continue in force till the hearing of the adjourned application, and the proper officer of Inland Revenue may give the like authority by indorsement on the excise licence.