

CONDITIONS OF CASUAL TRADING LICENCE

1. The Licence holder or agent acting as such and agreed in writing by the Council only shall engage in casual trading at the casual trading space specified in the Licence.
2. Only goods as specified in the Licence shall be sold.
3. Trading shall be confined to the allotted pitch at the designated casual trading area and no goods or associated vehicles shall over hang a stall or be deposited on the ground except in the allotted pitch and no stall shall exceed 2 metres in height.
4. The type of stall to be used by a person engaged in casual trading must be approved by the Council and the dimensions of the same shall not exceed the defined space of the allotted pitch.
5. A person carrying on casual trading in the casual trading area shall, keep the casual trading space, specified in the Licence and a radius of at least 50 metres in a clean and tidy condition and free from litter and for that purpose shall;
 - (a) as often as is necessary cause all refuse arising from the trade or business to be placed in a suitable receptacle provided at the trader's own expense and approved in advance by the Council; and
 - (b) as often as is necessary cause the contents of any receptacle provided for reception of refuse to be removed, without creating a nuisance or obstruction and to arrange for its disposal in a manner acceptable to the Council.
6. A person engaged in casual trading in the casual trading area shall not obstruct or cause to be obstructed free passage through the casual trading area or any of the immediate approaches thereto.
7. A person engaged in casual trading in the casual trading area shall not obstruct or cause to be obstructed the entrance to the premises in the vicinity of the casual trading area.
8. A person engaged in casual trading shall comply with the following parking restrictions within the Casual Trading Act:
 - (a) A person shall not park a vehicle in the casual trading area during trading hours unless such vehicle is for the time being in use for the casual trading and is wholly parked within the area of the casual trading space specified in the Licence.
 - (b) A person shall remove such vehicle from the Casual Trading space specified in the Licence and from the casual trading area on each day upon which casual trading is permitted by the Licence not later than thirty minutes after the expiration of trading hours.
 - (c) A person shall not park a vehicle earlier than thirty minutes prior to commencement of trading hours in the Casual Trading Area for the purpose of unloading goods or produce therefrom onto the casual trading space specified in the Licence.
 - (d) A person shall not park a vehicle for a period exceeding 30 minutes from the commencement of parking in the casual trading area for the purpose of unloading goods or produce therefrom onto the casual trading space specified in the Licence.

(e) A person shall not park a vehicle earlier than the expiration of trading hours in the casual trading area for the purpose of loading goods or produce thereon from the casual trading space specified in the Licence.

(f) A person shall not park a vehicle for a period exceeding thirty minutes from the commencement of parking the casual trading area for the purpose of loading goods or produce thereon from the casual trading space specified in the Licence.

- 9.** A person carrying on casual trading in the casual trading area shall ensure that the casual trading space, specified in the Licence remains unaltered and undamaged as a consequence of their casual trading.
- 10.** The Council reserves the right to remove stalls found on the designated casual trading area after trading hours as specified in the Licence and/or goods or other articles left outside the allotted pitch at any time.
- 11.** A person engaged in casual trading involving food must comply with the Food Hygiene Regulations for the time being in force or any further regulations that may be made in that regard.
- 12.** No Broadcasting or speech from a mechanical amplification system shall take place from any stall or any vehicle and no loud playing of radios or music reproduction appliances shall take place at any stall.
- 13.** A casual trader shall comply with the lawful requests and directions by an Authorised Officer of Leitrim County Council or by a member of the Garda Síochána.
- 14.** A person carrying on casual trading at the casual trading space specified in the Licence shall display by a notice in the form prescribed in the Bye-Laws the number of the Licence.
- 15.** A casual trader who fails to trade, on one or more days, for eight consecutive weeks is liable to have his/her Licence revoked. The Council may, at its discretion, serve notice on the Licence holder that his/her Licence has been revoked for the remainder of the Licence period, and arrange to reallocate the space in question. The holder will be given the opportunity to explain their absence prior to any decision regarding revocation of the Licence.
- 16.** Trading spaces shall not be exchanged without the prior consent of the Council in writing.
- 17.** The allocation of a trading space by a Licence shall not confer upon the trader any tenancy or right to occupy or transfer the said space.
- 18.** The Council may revoke a Licence if it is satisfied that a condition of the Licence is being or has been contravened or if the person to whom it was granted is convicted of any offence in relation the importation, possession or sale of goods committed while he was the holder of a Licence or an offence under the casual trading act.
- 19.** The Council where possible reserves the right to prohibit casual trading on any trading day, or part thereof, in the event that exceptional circumstances arise which necessitate such prohibition. The Council where possible will notify any affected Licence holders in advance of any such prohibition taking effect.