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**Business Regulation Bylaw No. 7538 Amendment Bylaw No. 8156**

The Council of the City of Richmond enacts as follows:

1. Business Regulation Bylaw No. 7538 is amended by repealing Part Ten in its entirety and substituting the following provisions:

**PART TEN: KARAOKE BOX ROOM REGULATION**

10.1 Every **karaoke box room operator** may only permit a **karaoke box room** to be open for **business** during 8:00 a.m. of any calendar day to 2:30 a.m. of the next calendar day.

10.2 Every **karaoke box room operator**:

- (a) who has a **food primary licence**, issued by the Liquor Control and Licensing Branch, must ensure that liquor is taken from patrons within 1/2 hour after the time stated on the licence for the hours of liquor service, or
- (b) who has a **liquor primary licence**, issued by the Liquor Control and Licensing Branch, must ensure that patrons are cleared from the licensed establishment within 1/2 hour after the time stated on the licence for the hours of liquor service;

but in no case shall the **karaoke box room operator** permit patrons to remain in the establishment beyond the time period permitted in section 10.1

10.3 Every room used for a **karaoke box room**, must:

- (a) be easily accessible and visible from the main entrance or restaurant area; and
- (b) have at least one half of the wall, including any door, visible from the main entrance or restaurant area, constructed with clear, non-glare, non-reflected, non-tinted glass which must remain unobstructed at all times.

2. Business Regulation Bylaw No. 7538 is amended at Part 25 by adding the following definitions:

**FOOD PRIMARY LICENCE** means a food primary licence issued pursuant to the *Liquor Control and Licensing Act*.

**KARAOKE BOX ROOM**

means an area in which karaoke equipment is provided for the use of patrons for the purpose of participating in, or listening to karaoke entertainment within a **business** establishment.

**LIQUOR PRIMARY LICENCE**

means a liquor primary licence or liquor primary club licence issued pursuant to the *Liquor Control and Licensing Act*.

- 3. This Bylaw is cited as “**Business Regulation Bylaw No. 7538, Amendment Bylaw No. 8156**”.

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