

Department Public Safety
Liquor Control Act

Keg Beer

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This notice is intended to provide information respecting alcoholic beverage kegs for Special Occasion Permits or Special Event Licences.

Permanent Liquor Licensees and Special Event Licensees

- ▶ Kegs of beer may be purchased by holders of a permanent liquor licence or a Special Event Licence.
- ▶ Kegs of beer can only be purchased at a NB Liquor store or Agency store.
- ▶ NB Liquor stores or Agency stores are responsible for the sale of keg beer. However, they do not stock or handle kegs.
- ▶ Kegs of beer must be ordered through a NB Liquor Corporation retail outlet and paid for by the licensee not later than the day of delivery.
- ▶ The payment must be in the form of an up-to-date letter of guarantee, certified cheque or cash.

Special Occasion Permits

- ▶ Special Occasion Permit holder may purchase keg beer.
- ▶ NB Liquor stores or Agency stores are responsible for the sale of keg beer. However, they do not stock or handle kegs.
- ▶ A Special Occasion Permit holder must give the Liquor/Agency Store forty-eight hours notice so the keg (s) can be ordered from the brewer who sells the product being requested.
- ▶ The Corporation will advise the permit holder whether the keg(s) will be delivered by the Brewer or picked up by the licensee.
- ▶ The Liquor/Agency store will invoice the permit holder when the order is picked up and paid for.
- ▶ A deposit for the keg(s) and pump mechanism may be required by the Brewer.

Manufacturer's Agency Store

(Brewer licensed to sell only the beer they manufacture)

- ▶ Kegs of beer can be sold to the general public by a Brewer who holds a Manufacturer's Agency Store Licence, for consumption by the purchaser in a residence.
- ▶ A deposit may be required for the keg(s) and the pump mechanism by the Brewery.
- ▶ A Brewer who holds a Manufacturer's Agency Store licence cannot sell his products directly to a Licensee or a Permit holder.

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