

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY COUNCIL
COMMODITIES REGULATION

**REGULATIONS MADE BY THE COUNCIL PURSUANT TO SECTION 25(3B) OF THE LONDON
LOCAL AUTHORITIES ACT 1990 (AS AMENDED) PRESCRIBING THE PROCEDURE FOR
DETERMINING APPLICATIONS**

- i. All types of commodities, which are not prohibited by the London Local Authorities Act 1990 – Part III (as amended), Food Safety Act 1990, Consumer Protection Act 1987, or the Trade Descriptions Act 1968, are eligible to be licensed in Hackney’s markets.
- ii. Commodities are divided into categories: Licence holders may trade up to three commodities from one category on their street trading Licence (Existing traders will retain their current commodities but should a request for commodity variation be made, they will comply with this regulation. Only the licensed commodities must be displayed or offered for sale.
- iii. Where a market is divided into trading zones there will be a maximum of 4 permanent licences holders per category per zone. The Council reserves the right to extent the 4 permanent licences holders per category per zone on a case by case basis.
- iv. All requests for Commodities will be considered on a case by case basis where it is outside of this regulation.
- v. The licensed commodities must be specified, both on the trader’s Licence and on the Pitch Card, which must be displayed on the stall at all times.
- vi. Commodities are traded under the two pitch rule (with the exception of visiting specialist markets). The two pitch rule requires that there is separation of a minimum of two clear pitches in either direction, between traders selling the same commodities. These commodity regulations are applied during consideration of all new Licence grants, requests for pitch transfers and requests for commodity variation and also when allocating pitches for daily (casual) street trading Licences.
- vii. Commodities rules apply to both permanent licence holders and casual traders.
- viii. Existing permanent licence holders will be given priority in commodity allocation.

NOTE: Seasonal event commodities (e.g. Christmas trees) will not be one of the commodities on the regular licence, but can be added for a period of 6 weeks on grant of a temporary street trading licence.

Categories and Banding of Commodities:

Licence holders (permanent/casual) may trade up to three commodities from one category.

Category	Commodity
1. Womens Clothing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Women's clothing including jeans (15+ years) b) Women's Sportswear (15+ years) c) Women's Coats/Jackets d) Adults' Hats/Gloves/Scarves/ e) Other (must be specified)
2. Mens Clothing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Men's clothing including jeans (15+ years) b) Men's Sportswear (15+ years) c) Men's Coats/Jackets d) Adults' Hats/Gloves/Scarves/ e) Other (must be specified)
3. Children/Baby Clothing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Children's clothing (3 - 15 years) b) Babywear including Baby Sportswear (0 – 36 months) c) Baby/Children's Coats/Jackets d) Baby/Children's Hats/Gloves/Scarves/Ties/Belts e) Other (must be specified)
4. Underwear/Nightwear	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Women's/Girl's Underwear (bras, knickers, lingerie, socks, tights, stockings knee highs and thermals) b) Men's/Boy's Underwear (vests, pants, socks and thermals) c) Baby/Children's Underwear (knickers, socks, tights and thermals) d) Women's/Girl's Nightwear/Dressing Gowns/Bathrobes e) Men's/Boy's Nightwear/Dressing Gowns/Bathrobes/Pyjamas f) Baby/Children's Nightwear (dressing gowns/bathrobes/sleepsuits, pyjamas) g) Other (must be specified)
5. Footwear	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Women's shoes/sandals/mules/boots/slippers/trainers/ b) Sports shoes c) Men's shoes/boots/slippers/trainers/sports shoes d) Children's Shoes/slippers/trainers/sports shoes e) Women's matching shoe/handbag sets f) Shoe Repairs and key cutting service g) Accessories (in-soles/heel grips/shoe horns/protector/laces/polish etc.) h) Other (must be specified)

6. Food	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Pre-packed Groceries b) Raw/Uncooked Meat or Fish and Eggs c) Fruit/Vegetables and Salads d) Dried fruit & Pulses (peas, beans, seeds, nuts, raisins, dates etc.) e) Pre-packed Confectionary f) Pre-packed Cheese & dairy products & Eggs g) Deli Food (unpacked cheese, olives, unpacked cold cooked/cured meat and fish, natural h) health foods, dips and salads) i) Hot or Cold Prepared/Cooked Food j) Hot or Cold Non Alcoholic Beverages/Smoothies/ Freshly pressed fruit juices k) Fresh and/or Pre-packed Ice Cream l) Other (must be specified)
7. Flowers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Cut/Uncut Flowers and Plants b) Artificial Flowers c) Topiary d) Plant pots/bulbs/seeds/Plant food e) Christmas Trees/Holly/Mistletoe (Seasonal) f) Other (must be specified)
8. Household Goods/ Toiletries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Cleaning products/Laundry products/Washing products b) Cleaning utensils/Storage Containers/Step ladders etc c) Light bulbs, plugs, multi-sockets, fuses d) Ornaments, vases, pictures, clocks, mirrors/candles, etc. e) Toiletries (Toothpaste, soap, deodorant, hair remover, body-lotion, shower gels, bath oils etc.) f) Hair care (Shampoo, conditioner, hair-dye, hair spray, perm/straightening products, hair g) Mousse/grease/lotion/oil etc) h) Other (must be specified)
9. Soft Furnishings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Beddings/Bed nets/Blankets/Mattress protectors b) Towels, Bath mats/shower curtains/toilet seat covers c) Blinds/Curtains/Net Curtains/Curtain poles d) Duvets, Pillows, Pillow covers/Cushions/cushion covers e) Carpets, Floor Mats/Rugs/Lino f) Tablecloths, furniture protectors, chair covers, etc. g) Other (must be specified)
10. Kitchen/Dining	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Tableware/Crockery/Table mats/ b) Glassware/Chinaware c) Kitchen Utensils/Plastics d) Other (must be specified & not electrical)

11. Cosmetics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Skin and Body Care Products/Hair Dyes/ b) Make-up and Nail care products c) Perfume/Cologne/Aftershave/Eau de toilette/Shaving gel/creams d) Other (must be specified)
12. Electrical	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Audio Equipment and Accessories b) Visual Equipment and Accessories (E.g. TVs, DVDs, Blu-Ray Player/Recorders, including associated aerials, batteries, adapters etc.) c) Computer Hardware and Accessories d) Small Kitchen Appliances (<i>toaster, kettle, microwave</i>) (not second-hand) e) Landline Telephones and Accessories f) Cable/Satellite TV Services g) Small household Electrical items (<i>vacuum cleaner, lamps, electric blanket</i>) (not second hand) <i>Health & Personal Care (e.g. Foot Spa, Hair Straighteners, Electric Shavers, Electric Toothbrush</i> h) Electrical Repairs i) Other (must be specified)
13. Mobile Phones	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Mobile Phones/Mobile Phone Accessories b) Phone Cards/Mobile Phone Repairs c) Other (must be specified)
14. Jewellery & Accessories <i>Jewellery & Fashion Accessories & Repairs</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Costume Jewellery b) Genuine Hallmarked Jewellery c) Hair/Head Clips, bands, Hair pins/Head scarves etc. d) Watches, watch accessories, watch repairs e) Sunglasses/Reading Glasses (including cases and neck bands) f) Handbags/Belts/Wallets/Purses/Ties/Belts/Cufflinks g) Clocks, clock accessories and repairs h) Other (must be specified)
15. Travel Accessories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Luggage/Sport bags/passport covers b) Umbrellas/walking sticks c) Other (must be specified)
16. Stationary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Office Supplies (Paper, pens, files, etc.) b) Invitations, Greeting Cards, Wrapping Paper and Gift bags/boxes/Festive decorations/ Party bags c) Newspapers, Periodicals and Magazines d) Reading and Educational Books e) Other (must be specified)

17. Toys and Nursery Equipment	<p>a) Toys (including early years, educational and associated batteries <i>such as radio controlled cars</i>) <i>Soft Toys and Dolls</i></p> <p>b) Board Games/Playing Card games</p> <p>c) Games (not Games Consoles or cartridges or board games)</p> <p>d) Other (must be specified)</p>
18. Souvenirs	<p>a) Music Memorabilia (includes flags, banners, plaques, cups & other novelty items)</p> <p>b) London/UK Memorabilia (includes flags, banners, plaques, cups & other novelty items)</p> <p>c) Ethnic Memorabilia (includes flags, banners, plaques, cups & other novelty items)</p> <p>d) Sport Memorabilia (includes flags, banners, plaques, cups & other novelty items)</p> <p>e) Other (must be specified)</p>
19. Audio/Visual Entertainment	<p>a) Pre-recorded Audio Material/Pre-recorded Visual Material</p> <p>b) Children's Pre-recorded Visual Material/<i>Blu ray</i></p> <p>c) Games consoles (Play Station, X-Box, Nintendo DS, PSP, etc.)</p> <p>d) Games cartridges (For Play Station, X-Box, Nintendo DS, PSP, etc.)</p> <p>e) Musical Instruments (including acoustic & electric)</p> <p>f) Other (must be specified)</p>
20. Textiles	<p>a) Fabrics/Laces/Materials/Yarns/Wools</p> <p>b) Haberdashery (Fastenings/Facing/Instant hem/Thread/Bobbins etc.)</p> <p>c) Knitting/Crochet/Sewing needles</p> <p>d) Other (must be specified)</p>
21. Tools DIY and Gardening	<p>a) Small DIY Tools/DIY gloves</p> <p>b) Small Gardening Tools/Gardening gloves</p> <p>c) Other (must be specified)</p>
22. Bicycles and Outdoor Equipment	<p>a) Bicycles and Bicycle repairs</p> <p>b) Scooters/Skate-boards/Roller skates</p> <p>c) Bikes/ Motor cycle & Car parts/accessories</p> <p>d) Other (must be specified)</p>
23. Furniture & Antiques	<p>a) Small Antique furniture</p> <p>b) Small Antiques (other)</p> <p>c) Vintage Bedroom/Bathroom items</p> <p>d) Vintage Kitchen/Lounge items</p> <p>e) Other (must be specified)</p>
24. Baby Equipment	<p>a) Cots/Prams/Pushchairs/Carry cots, slings</p> <p>b) Highchairs/Bouncers/changing bags <i>baby monitors, safety gates, baby safe bottles</i></p> <p>c) Car Seats/Boosters/Safety Equipment/Nursery Furniture/Walkers</p> <p>d) Other (must be specified)</p>

25. Photographic Equipment & Associated Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Cameras/Digital Cameras/Camcorders/Photo-printers b) Peripherals & accessories (e.g. lenses, tripods, light meters, flash lights, film, photo paper etc.) c) Other (must be specified)
26. Sports Equipment (Excluding Clothing, Trainers and Bags)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Body building/fitness equipment b) Football/Cricket/Rugby/Netball/Hockey accessories c) Tennis/Badminton/Squash/ Golf accessories d) Track & Field accessories e) Other (must be specified)
27. Pet Supplies and Equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Baskets/Cages/Hutches/Aquarium/Scratching poles/Toys/Accessories b) Grooming & Care (Feeding bowls, brushes, shampoo, vitamins, tick & flea treatments Pet food) c) Other (must be specified)
28. Second Hand Goods (not electrical)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Clothing b) Vintage/Recycled Nightwear c) Vintage/Recycled shoes/sandals/mules/boots/slippers/trainers/sports shoes d) Vintage/Recycled Clothing e) Second hand Audio/Visual Equipment/DVD's/Blu Ray/ Videos f) Second hand reading and educational books g) Collectibles (coins, stamps, comics, porcelain dolls etc.) h) Bric-a-brac i) Other (must be specified)
29. Arts & Crafts (original/handmade goods)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Art/Prints (paintings/sculpture/pottery etc.) b) Keepsakes/Commemorative items c) Face painting d) Hand made crafts e) Other (must be specified)
30. Miscellaneous	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Other not in any category above (must be specified)