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Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Employment
Royal Government of Bhutan

MINISTER

MoICE/DoI/CSIPD-01/2023/232

August 3, 2023

Notification

Re: Repeal of Section VI of Circular MTI/III-7/274 of January 1999 for Places of Entertainment under Category A

In continuation to the notification issued vide MoICE/DoI/CSIPD-01/2023/222 dated 4 th July 2023, the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Employment would like to notify that the places of entertainment under category A (Karaoke, Discotheque, Live Music and Snooker/Billiard) shall be allowed to operate on Tuesdays henceforth.

With the issuance of this notification, Section VI of the above mentioned circular which states "Tuesdays shall be observed as dry day all over the country and bars shall remain closed. Restaurants and hotels also shall not serve alcohol on the said dry day" shall cease to be in effect.

The Ministry issues this notification for information of the general public and relevant agencies.

(Karma Dorji)
MINISTER

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