

SHOP HOURS ACT

(Cap. 43:04)

SHOP HOURS REGULATIONS, 1988

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REGULATION

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SCHEDULE

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred upon the Minister of Commerce and Industry by section 3 of the Shop Hours Act, the following Regulations are hereby made —

Citation and commencement	1. These Regulations may be cited as the Shop Hours Regulations, 1988, and shall be deemed to have come into operation on 31st December, 1987.
Limits of opening hours	2. The type of shops specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall, on the days of the week specified against that type of shop in the second column of the said Schedule, be entitled to remain open for any length of time between the hours of each day set out against that type in the third column of the Schedule.
Hours optional	3. The hours set out in the Schedule are hours within which the various types of shops may remain open, and not hours during which they must remain open.
Customers convenience paramount	4. Shopowners shall, in determining the hours during which they will open their shops, have regard to the convenience of their customers.
Display of opening hours	5. The hours of opening of each shop shall be prominently displayed at the shop and in such manner as to be visible even when the shop is closed.
Revocation of S.I. 138 of 1987	6. The Shop Hours Regulations are hereby revoked.

SCHEDULE

<i>Type</i>	<i>Day</i>	<i>Time</i>
Pharmacy	Monday to Saturday	6.00 a.m. — 10.00 p.m.
	Sunday and Public	
	Holidays	10.00 a.m. — 10.00 p.m.
Fresh Produce and General Dealer (excluding franchise and chain store operations)	Monday to Sunday	6.00 a.m. — 10.00 p.m.

Supermarket (including General Dealer operating under franchise and chain stores)	Monday to Friday Saturday	7.00 a.m. — 7.00 p.m. 7.00 a.m. — 1.00 p.m.
Specialised Dealer	Monday to Friday Saturday and Sunday and Public Holidays	6.00 a.m. — 7.00 p.m. 6.00 a.m. — 1.00 p.m.
Wholesale/Specialised Wholesale	Monday to Saturday	6.00 a.m. — 6.00 p.m.
Garage/Workshop	Monday to Saturday Sunday and Public Holidays	6.00 a.m. — 6.00 p.m. No fixed times
Restaurant/Restaurant Liquor	Monday to Sunday including Public Holidays	6.00 a.m. to 12 midnight

Provided that no liquor shall be served in restaurants except between the hours of 12 noon and 2.30 p.m. and between 6.00 p.m. and 11.00 p.m.

Agent	Monday to Sunday and Public Holidays	No fixed hours
Actioneer	Monday to Friday Saturday, Sunday and Public Holidays	No fixed hours
External Representative	All times	No fixed times
Hairdresser	Monday to Sunday	6.00 a.m. — 10.00 p.m.
Travel Agent	All days	No fixed times
Motor Dealer	Monday to Friday Saturday	6.00 a.m. — 6.00 p.m. 6.00 a.m. — 1.00 p.m.
Dry Cleaner	Monday to Sunday and Public Holidays	No fixed hours
Exporter/Importer	Monday to Sunday	No fixed hours
Driller Licence	Monday to Sunday.	No fixed hours

DATED this 21st day of January, 1988.

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Minister of Commerce and Industry.

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