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**Notification**

The ongoing COVID-19 pandemic has considerably affected all business operations and in particular the entertainment centres, and tourism and travel related businesses have been grievously affected.

In view of this, the Ministry of Economic Affairs would like to notify the license holders of entertainment centers (Karaoke, *Drayang*, Discotheque and Cinema) as well as tourism, travel and ticketing related businesses that the requirement to renew business license for the year 2021 and 2022 have been exempted and deferred to 2023 without any penalties.

However, if the COVID-19 pandemic situation improves and such businesses are able to resume their operations before 2023, the license holders may renew their licenses anytime as usual. This notification does not exempt businesses from adhering or complying with other applicable rules and regulations for operations of businesses.

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