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SERVING OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AT SCHOOL OR STAFF FUNCTIONS

This policy relates to the serving of alcohol at staff or school functions on School Board premises. The serving of alcoholic beverages on School Board premises on any other occasion must conform to the regulations contained in the Board's Rental Policy.

1. The school/centre principal may authorize the serving of alcohol at staff functions or at functions involving members of the school and parental groups under the following conditions:
 - a) no student may be within the section of a school or centre where alcoholic beverages are being consumed,
 - b) the serving of alcohol at social functions will be limited to a maximum duration of two hours.
2. The Director General may authorize the serving of alcoholic beverages at functions such as the August social/pedagogical day, a dance organized by the school as a fundraising activity, a school graduation ceremony, etc. under the terms and conditions he/she determines to be appropriate. If such activities involve the selling of alcoholic beverages, a liquor permit must be obtained.

In each case referred to under items 1 and 2 above, the school/centre principal or Board director in charge is responsible for participating in the planning and execution of such functions and will be accountable to the Director General for same.