

Public Service of Alcohol Youth Bill 2008

Amendments during consideration in detail to be moved by
The Honourable the Minister for Health

1 After clause 11 (Advertising)

At page 9, after line 17—

insert—

‘Part 5 Licensing

‘12 Responsible Consumption of Alcohol Permit

‘In order to consume alcohol on licensed premises individuals must—

- (a) be aged at least 16 years; and
- (b) obtain a Responsible Consumption of Alcohol Permit (a *RCAP*).

‘13 Persons must produce RCAP

‘Staff employed to serve alcohol in licensed premises are authorised to request persons to produce a RCAP before supplying them with alcohol.

‘14 Requirement to carry RCAP

- ‘(1) Persons issued with a RCAP must carry it at all times.
- ‘(2) It is an offence to consume alcohol in licensed venues without being the holder of a RCAP.
Maximum penalty—\$500 and additional penalties with a maximum penalty of \$1500 for the use of a fake RCAP.
- ‘(3) It is an offence to fail to produce a RCAP when requested by staff employed in licensed premises.
Maximum penalty—\$300 and the suspension of the person’s RCAP.

‘15 RCAP regulations

- ‘(1) Applicants must successfully complete the RCAP course conducted by the authority to obtain a permit.
- ‘(2) Successful completion of the course is dependent on passing a written examination held at the end of the course.
- ‘(3) The course must include information about—
 - (a) the long and short term effects of alcohol use; and
 - (b) standard drink size; and
 - (c) current Queensland alcohol laws; and
 - (d) responsible drinking.
- ‘(4) Permits are valid for 5 years and may be renewed for a further 5 years subject to successful completion of a renewal course that ensures that permittees are—
 - (a) aware of updates in Queensland alcohol laws; and
 - (b) reminded of the negative effects of binge drinking.

‘16 Information on RCAP

- ‘A RCAP must contain the following information—
- (a) name;
 - (b) date of birth;
 - (c) photo identification;
 - (d) residential address;
 - (e) individual RCAP number;
 - (f) any other information as decided by the authority.’.