



Noise Nuisance Guidelines

Category	Prohibited Times & Noise Criteria
Building Works (holds a licence under QBSA)	Must not make audible noise from the building work: a) on a Sunday or public holiday, at any time; or b) on a Saturday or a business day, before 6:30am or after 6:30pm
Regulated Devices (lawn mower, power tools, etc)	Must not operate a regulated device in a way that makes audible noise: a) on a Sunday or public holiday, before 8am or after 7pm; or b) on a Saturday or a business day, before 7am or after 7pm
Spa Blower and Pool Pumps	Must not use or allow use: a) Before 7am or after 10pm on any day if the noise is audible b) From 7am to 7pm on any day if the noise is more than 50dB(A); or c) From 7pm to 10pm on any day if the noise is more than 5dB(A) above background
Air-Conditioning	Must not use or allow use: a) From 7am to 10pm on any day if the noise is more than 50dB(A); or b) Before 7am or after 10pm on any day if the noise is more than the higher of 40dB(A) or 5dB(A) above background.
Refrigeration Equipment	Must not use or allow use a) Before 7am or after 10pm on any day if the noise is more than the higher of 40dB(A) or 5dB(A) above background; or b) From 7am to 10pm on any day if the noise is more than 50dB(A)
Indoor Venues	Must not use or allow use: a) Before 7am on any day if the noise is audible; or b) From 7am to 10pm on any day if the noise is more than 50dB(A); or c) After 10pm on any day if the noise is more than the lesser of 45dB(A) or 10dB(A) above background
Open-Air Event	Must not use or allow use: a) Before 7am on any day if the noise is audible; or b) From 7am to 10pm on any day if the noise is more than 50dB(A); or c) After 10pm on any day if the noise is more than the lesser of 45dB(A) or 10dB(A) above background
Amplifier Devices	Must not use or allow use: a) Before 7am on any day if the noise is audible; or b) From 7am to 10pm on any day if the noise is more than 70dB(A); or c) After 10pm on any day if the noise is more than the lesser of 50dB(A) or 10dB(A) above background d) On a business day from 7am to 10pm if the noise is more than 10dB(A) above background
Power Boat Sports	May not use or allow use: a) Saturday, Sunday or public holidays before 8am or after 6pm if the noise is audible; or b) Saturday, Sunday or public holidays from 8am to 6pm if the noise is more than 10dB(A) above background; or c) On a business day before 7am or after 10pm if the noise is audible
Power Boat Engine on Premises	Must not use or allow use: a) On a Sunday or public holiday before 8am or after 6:30pm or; b) On a Saturday or business day before 7am or after 7pm.