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# CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER

## DEPARTMENT OF EXCISE AND LICENSE

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CLASS OF LICENSE	APPLICATION FEES				CITY LICENSE FEES	STATE LICENSE FEES
	New City	New State	Δ In Owner City	Δ In Owner State		
Brew Pub (CRS 12-47-415)	\$750	\$1,025	\$750	\$1,025	\$75.00	\$750.00

- Brew Pub is a retail establishment that manufactures no more than 1,860,000 gallons of beer on its premises each year.
- Sale, service and consumption of beer, wine, and liquor by the drink for on premises consumption; manufacture of beer on the licensed premises and may:
  - ◊ Furnish manufactured beer for consumption on the licensed premises.
  - ◊ May sell the manufactured beer to independent wholesalers for distribution to retailers.
  - ◊ May sell the manufactured beer by the package for off-premises consumption.
  - ◊ Off-premises consumption sales of manufactured beer are prohibited on Sundays (same as with retail liquor stores and liquor licensed drug stores).
  - ◊ May sell the manufactured beer at wholesale to licensed retailers in amounts of up to 300,000 gallons per calendar year.
- Hours of operation: Seven days a week = 7 a.m. ⇒ 2 a.m.
- Must have a full kitchen with adequate equipment to prepare meals; meals must be available between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m.; sandwiches and light snacks after 8 p.m.
  - ◊ Meals must be prepared on the licensed premises, unless prepared at a licensed kitchen under the licensee's exclusive management and control.
  - ◊ At least 15% of the gross on-premises food and drink income of the business must be from the sale of food.
- Multiple ownership is allowed with this class of liquor license (Multiple ownership is legal with other brew pub licenses, vintner's restaurant licenses, hotel and restaurant and tavern liquor licenses, hotel and restaurant w/optional premises, retail gaming tavern licenses, racetrack licenses; arts licenses, beer and wine licenses, club licenses, public transportation system license, and 3.2% beer licenses.)
- The names of all managers of brew pubs must be provided to the local and state licensing authorities whether a principal to the licensee manages the licensed premises or someone else manages. Any changes in managers of brewpub licenses must be reported to both the City and the State within thirty days of the change in manager.
- A 500 foot distance restriction from colleges, universities, and seminaries does not apply to new brew pub applications. (This is by rule and regulation of the Department of Excise and Licenses.)

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