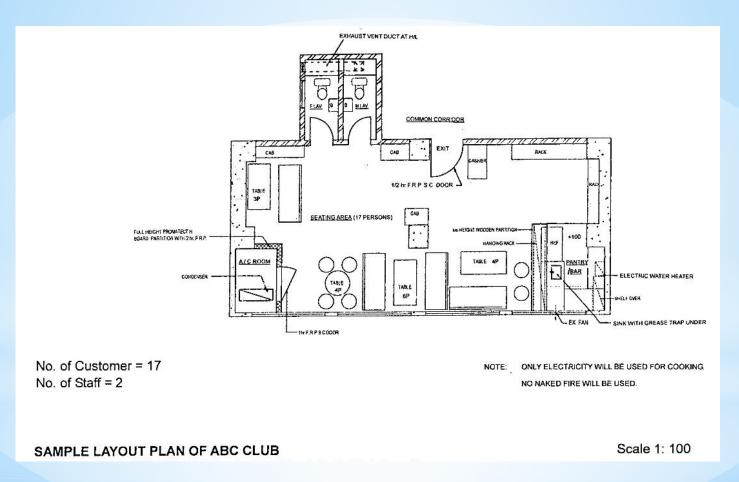
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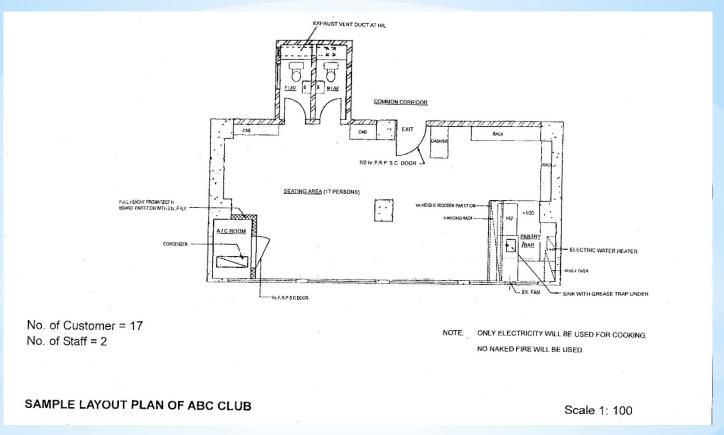


• Aim:

- To provide greater flexibility for the operators to alter their seating layout to suit operation needs
- Common moveable furniture items such as sofas, tables and chairs will no longer be required to be shown on the layuot plan for licensing purpose, as long as the no. of persons to be accommodated in various parts of the proposed licensed area are clearly indicated for vetting.



Current layout plan



- Not require to show moveable furniture
- Clearly indicate the no. of persons to be accommodated in various parts of the proposed licensed area

• Exceptional Case:

In case where the means of escape provisions has become critical, the OLA may require the indication of moveable furniture on the layout plans to ensure effective control on the maximum number of patrons to the club premises/ satisfactory provision escape routes.

Table B2: Minimum number and width of exit doors and exit routes from a room, fire compartment or storey

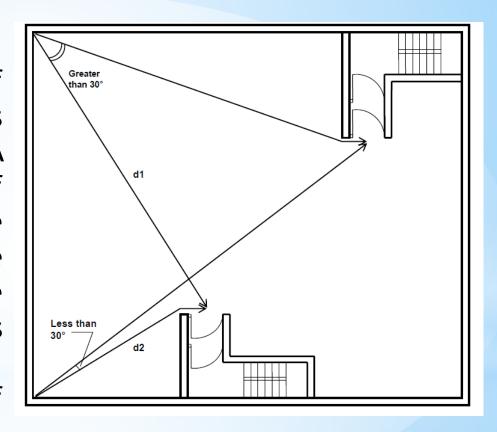
Minimum No. of exit doors or exit routes	Minimum total width (in mm)		Minimum Width (in mm) of each	
	Exit doors	Exit routes	Exit door	Exit route
1			750	1050
2	1750	2100	850	1050
2	2500	2500	1050	1050
2	3000	3000	1050	1050
3	4500	4500	1200	1200
4	6000	6000	1200	1200
5	7500	7500	1350	1350
6	9000	9000	1350	1350
7	10500	10500	1500	1500
8	12000	12000	1500	1500
9	13500	13500	1500	1500
10	15000	15000	1500	1500
11	16500	16500	1500	1500
12	18000	18000	1500	1500
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>3000 persons - the number of exit doors, exit routes and their width to be determined by the Building Authority

Extracted from Code of Practice for Fire Safety in Buildings 2011 published by the Buildings Department

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- Commence since 2nd quarter of 2018
- Facilitate the club operators in the submission of applications and reduce the need for applying for alteration of the seating layout
- Fire safety requirements applicable on furniture remain unchanged

Thank you

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