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Establishments Division,  
Ministry of Public Administration  
and Home Affairs,  
Independence Square,  
Colombo 7, 27 February, 1979.

To: All Secretaries of Ministries,  
Heads of Departments & Statutory Bodies.

Issue of Licences for sale of liquor in Social,  
Recreation and Sports Clubs in Government Depts.,  
Statutory Boards, Corporations and Local Government  
Institutions.

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The Cabinet at its meeting held on 7th February, 1979 has  
decided that :-

- (i) the sale or availability of liquor be completely  
prohibited in Social, Recreation and Sports Clubs in  
Government Departments, Statutory Boards, Corporations  
and Local Government Institutes where such Clubs are  
situated in the building of the offices of such  
institutions or in the same premises as the office  
building of such institutions ; and

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(ii) there be no interference with the sale of liquor in such clubs which are not situated as indicated in (i) above.

2. Therefore please ensure that the decision in para (i) is complied with and action is pursued with the licencing authority for the cancellation of the relevant licences already issued.

Sgd: V.T.Navaratne  
Director of Establishments

Sgd: D.B.I.P.S.Siriwardhana  
Secretary,  
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