



### Who can apply for an off-premises sales licence?

If approved, the *Liquor Regulations* allow only brewery permit holders to apply for an off-premises sales licence.

### Can they sell hard liquor, spirits, wine or other low alcohol content beverages such as cider to take home?

If approved, a holder of an off-premises sales licence would only be able to sell beer for consumption off-premises.

### Does this apply to communities outside of Iqaluit?

This type of off-premises license applies only to brewery permit holders – currently, there is only one licensed brewery permit holder in Nunavut, which is located in Iqaluit. The result of the vote will only apply in Iqaluit, if a future brewery were to open in another community, a new plebiscite would need to be held before they could sell their product off-premise.

### Why is this plebiscite only in Iqaluit?

The *Liquor Act* requires a local plebiscite to be held any time the NLCB receives an application for a new type of license in that community. There has been an application for a new kind of licence in Iqaluit – an off-premise licence – so the plebiscite is restricted to Iqaluit only.

### Can people from communities outside of Iqaluit buy beer to take home?

Individuals visiting from other communities would be able to buy beer from an Iqaluit brewery with an off-premise sales license, but still need to follow the laws of the community they are transporting it to.

### When would they be able to sell beer off-premises?

If approved, this plebiscite does not guarantee that beer will be permitted to be sold for off-premises consumption. It simply allows brewery permit holders the ability to apply for a license to sell beer for off-premises consumption, and the NLCB to issue that license.

Brewery permit holders would have to apply for an off-premises license through the NLCB. The NLCB would then review and approve the license application before beer could be sold for off-premises consumption.

Under the *Liquor Act* and *Liquor Regulations*, the following rules would apply:

- The Nunavut Liquor and Cannabis Board, as part of the application process, will set hours for the sale of beer, but in no case can the hours extend past 10:00pm; and,
- No beer can be sold off-premises on a Sunday.