



**WESTERN CAPE**  
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## 95% OF WESTERN CAPE LIQUOR LICENCES RENEWED FOR 2023

The Western Cape Liquor Authority (WCLA) records a 95% of liquor licence renewals as at 03 March 2023. This renewal rate demonstrates commitment by licensees to comply with regulatory requirements towards a reduction of the widespread harms associated with liquor.

For the 5% of licensees who did not meet the 31 December 2022 deadline to renew, their licence is considered as lapsed and not valid for trading. These licence holders still have the opportunity to renew their licence up until the end of March 2023 (additional penalty charges for late renewal apply). The Western Cape Liquor Authority (WCLA) is making a considerable effort to contact these businesses and enable them to reinstate their liquor licence.

**For a comprehensive guide to automatic licence renewals for 2023, click [here](#).**

Please contact the WCLA on 021 204 9805 or [liquor.enquiries@wcla.gov.za](mailto:liquor.enquiries@wcla.gov.za) for further information or assistance with licence renewals.

### **eLicence Portal**

In 2022, the WCLA introduced an eLicence Portal, which enables online renewal of licences. To access this online platform, go to <https://www.wcla.gov.za/> and click on the '[eLicence Login](#)' button.

**Please contact the WCLA on 021 204 9793 or [eLicence@wcla.gov.za](mailto:eLicence@wcla.gov.za) for assistance on renewing utilising the eLicence Portal.**