Permits Conditions for smoking in temporary tents during the month of Ramadan

Scope of applications:
These conditions shall apply to temporary tents in 4 and 5 starts hotels to obtain smoking areas temporary permits.

Technical Rules & conditions:

1. The tent should be within the boundaries of the hotel, isolated and completely closed.
2. The decor plan of the tent must be approved by Dubai Municipality, showing the size and number of persons (2 square meters per person) and the place to prepare the shisha (it should be isolated from the tent.
3. NOC from Civil Defense should be obtained to serve cigarettes smoking or shisha inside temporary tents.
4. Temporary tents should have FAHU, ventilation and air conditioning schemes established based on the rules and conditions of Anti-tobacco and Anti-smoking laws.
5. The service should be provided in the temporary tents during the month of Ramadan and days of Eid plus 5 working days to remove tents/ modify locations.
6. All other requirements for the issuance of smoking areas permits shall be complied with.

1. يجب أن تكون الخيمة رمضانية ضمن حدود الفندق ومؤزولة ومعغلة تماماً.
2. يجب اعتماد المخطط المكتبيي بلدية دبي للخيمة رمضانية المؤقتة موضع بالمساحات والأبعاد وعدد الأشخاص (مترين مربع لكل شخص) ومكان تحضير الشيشة (يجب أن يكون معزول عن الخيمة).
3. يجب الحصول على موافقة إدارة الدفاع المدني بتقديم خدمة الشيشة داخل الخيمة رمضانية المؤقتة.
4. يجب توفير منظومة التهوية والتكيف حسب الاشتراطات واللوائح وقوانين مكافحة التبغ والتدخين.
5. تقديم الخدمة في الخيمة الرمضانية المؤقتة يكون خلال شهر رمضان وأيام العيد فقط بالإضافة لخمسة أيام عمل لتعديل الأوضاع/ إزالة الخيمة/ إزالة الوضع إلى ما كان عليه.
6. يتم الالتزام بكافة الاشتراطات الأخرى لخدمة إصدار تصريح الأماكن المخصصة للتدخين.
General instructions:

- The permit shall be considered null and void, regardless of the period of validity of the permit in the event of any complaint or the occurrence of damage or inconvenience.
- The permit is not valid in case of violation of one of the requirements of Federal Law No. 15 of 2009 on Tobacco Control and its Executive Regulation No. 24 of 2013.
- The municipality reserves the right to cancel or revoke the permit for reasons related to updating the health policies in the Emirate and the maintenance of public health.
- A "no smoking" sign should be placed in all locations where smoking is clearly prohibited.
- Clear signs must be placed at the entrances indicating the smoking and the non-smoking areas.
- Persons under the age of 18 years are not allowed to enter and a warning sign indicating that must be placed at the entrance.
- Ashtrays should be removed from all non-smoking areas.
- Seats of smokers must be at least three feet away from non-smokers. The location of smokers is determined so as to not adversely affect the comfort of non-smokers (take into account the direction of air current in the area).

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The smoking area must be at least 25 feet away from the entrances or exits of buildings, windows and air conditioning and ventilation systems. The number of persons present at the same time should not exceed the allowed number. Doors must be self-closing and kept closed at all times except when entering and leaving. Exhausted air must be externally discharged by mechanical means and ventilation should be maintained throughout working hours. The place should not contain services needed by non-smokers (such as telephone, entertainment, games...). Provide an emergency exit and clear signs to be identified. Training the personnel on emergency situations and safety conditions and providing fire extinguishers in a clear location in addition to providing a first aid kit. Do not cause any inconvenience to the building, neighborhood or area in general, traffic or public parking. Disposable mouth pieces should be used. It is prohibited to serve shisha inside cabins which are closed from three or more sides. Shisha can not be provided outside the tent (shisha delivery service to offices, homes or cars). All employees must have valid occupational health cards.
- To comply with the federal specifications that include the validity of the product (Almeassel tobacco), which states that the shelf life of this product shall not exceed six months from the date of production).
- The permit is not valid in the event of any change in the location or adjacent sites.
- Rules and conditions listed in federal law no. 15 of 2009 on tobacco control and its executive regulation no. 24 of 2013 should be complied in addition to what listed above.
- Hard copy of the permit must be placed in a visible place in the establishment.

Important Note:

Non-compliance with the above listed rules and conditions will be result in legal action as per the enforced rules.