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Dear Sir/Mdm,

FIRE SAFETY REQUIREMENTS FOR OUTDOOR REFRESHMENT AREAS

In recent years, outdoor refreshment areas (ORAs) have gained popularity locally and been accepted as local dinning culture by the public. ORAs, which are outdoor extensions to the food and beverage (F&B) establishments, may compromise fire safety if they are not properly managed.

- 2. In view of the above, SCDF has formulated a set of Fire Safety Requirements (FSR) for ORAs (see attached FSR 6: 2010) to take care of the fire safety of such areas. This set of FSR is expected to take effect together with URA's guidelines for ORAs in second quarter of 2011. In the meantime, QPs may wish to familiarise themselves with these requirements in advance and advise their clients when needs arise. The effective date of this FSR will be announced at a later date.
- 3. Please convey the contents of this Circular to members of your Institution/Association/Board. The Circular is also available in CORENET-e-Info: http://www.corenet.gov.sg/einfo.
- 4. For any inquiry or clarification, please contact: Mr. Lee Wee Keong at Tel: 68481445 or Email: LEE_Wee_Keong@scdf.gov.sg.









Yours faithfully,

(transmitted via e-mail)
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