TARIFF 19 FITNESS AND DANCE

Licence to play (publicly perform) music for fitness activities and dance instruction (dancercize, aerobics, body building, etc.)

Quick Facts

Licence period: one year (Jan. to Dec.)

Annual fee:

\$2.14 times the average number of participants per week per room (\$64 min. fee)

Deadline:

Jan. 31 of the licensed year (music licence form and payment)

Music Licence Form: socan.ca/form/19



Current licensees: 1.866.944.6223 New licensees: 1.866.944.6210 licence@socan.ca socan.ca

Licence fee calculation

How to figure out the annual average number of participants: take the total number of participants in each room over a full calendar year and divide this by the number of weeks of operation.

EXAMPLE 1:

A dance studio with one room has a total of 2534 participants to its dance classes over 46 weeks (Jan. to Nov.). The average number of participants per week is $2534 \div 46 = 55.09$

Fee: $55.09 \times \$2.14 = \117.89 . The dance studio's licence for the year is \$117.89 + taxes

EXAMPLE 2:

A gym has 3 rooms in which exercise classes are held. Room 1 has an average of 20 users/week, Room 2 has an average of 55 users/week, and Room 3 has an average of 60 users/week.

Fee: Room 1 (\$64 min. fee) + Room 2 (\$117.70) + Room 3 (\$128.40) = \$310.10 + taxes

EXAMPLE 3:

A personal trainer holds an exercise class consisting of 10 people once a week. In this case, the minimum fee of \$64 for the tariff applies.

Fee: \$64.00 + taxes

Calculate your licence: socan.ca/calculator/19

If you have any additional music uses, please contact SOCAN or try the Licence Finder at **socan.ca**

Other tariffs that may apply:

- 15B (music on hold over the phone)
- 18 (dance floor or similar setting)
- 8 (single event with or without dancing)
- 9 (competitions)
- 7 (rink open to the public for skating)

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