§ 3-343. Establishment of barriers or restricted zones by Chief of Police [Formerly § 2-343].

Whenever the Chief of Police of the Metropolitan Police Department, or his or her duly authorized agent, determines that there is or may be a need for controlling the movement of persons attending events being held at the Robert F. Kennedy Memorial Stadium or the District of Columbia National Guard Armory, he or she may establish barriers or restricted zones, as he or she considers necessary, for the purpose of affording a clearing for:

(1) The operation of firemen or policemen;

(2) The movement of traffic;

(3) The exclusion of the public from the vicinity of a riot, disorderly gathering, accident, wreck, explosion, or other emergency; or

(4) The safety and protection of persons and property. (1973 Ed., § 2-1743; Nov. 3, 1977, D.C. Law 2-37, § 4, 24 DCR 4058; 1981 Ed., § 2-343.)

§ 3-343.01. Possession of disposable containers prohibited; exceptions [Formerly § 2-343.1]

(a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, no person shall bring into or have in his or her possession within the Robert F. Kennedy Memorial Stadium any conveniently disposable container made of glass or metal designed primarily to hold or store beverages or liquids of any kind, including, but not limited to, bottles or cans.

(b) Subsection (a) of this section shall not apply to:

(1) Any person duly authorized or licensed by the District of Columbia Sports Commission to possess, sell, give away, transport, or store alcoholic beverages or containers within any portion of the Robert F. Kennedy Memorial Stadium or the District of Columbia National Guard Armory or to any employee or agent acting for any such duly authorized or licensed person; or

(2) Activities of the District of Columbia National Guard as provided in § 3-305.

(c) For the purposes of this section, the term "person" includes any duly authorized or licensed individual, partnership, association, or corporation.

(D.C. Law 2-37, § 4a, as added July 20, 1996, D.C. Law 11-145, § 3, 43 DCR 2842; 1981 Ed., § 2-343.1.)

§ 3-343.02. Unauthorized entry onto stadium playing field prohibited [Formerly § 2-343.2]

Unless expressly authorized by the District of Columbia Sports Commission or its duly authorized agent, no person shall at any time enter onto any portion of the playing field within the Robert F. Kennedy Memorial Stadium. For the purposes of this section, the "playing field" is that area encompassed by the seating facilities within the Stadium as such seating facilities may be arranged from time to time.

(D.C. Law 2-37, § 4b, as added July 20, 1996, D.C. Law 11-145, § 3, 43 DCR 2842; 1981 Ed., § 2-343.2.)

§ 7-1703. Smoking restrictions [Formerly § 6-913].

Smoking shall be prohibited in the following:

(1) Any elevator, except in a single-family dwelling;

(2) Any public selling area of a retail store, except in a tobacco shop or store primarily concerned with selling tobacco and smoking equipment;

(3) Any public assembly or hearing room which is owned or leased by any branch, agency, or instrumentality of the District of Columbia government; this subsection shall not apply to the District of Columbia National Guard Armory or to the Robert F. Kennedy Memorial Stadium;

(4) Any educational facility except as provided in § 7-1702(1);

(5) While transporting passengers within the corporate limits of the District of Columbia, any passenger vehicle owned or operated by the District of Columbia government, or any passenger vehicle for hire regulated under § 47-2829, except that smoking with the prior consent of all occupants of the vehicle shall be permitted when the vehicle is a limousine;

(6) Any area of a health care facility frequented by the general public, including hallways, waiting rooms and lobbies. The operator of a health care facility may designate separate areas as smoking areas.

(A) When a health care facility permits patients to smoke in bed space areas, such facility shall make a reasonable effort to determine a patient's individual nonsmoking or smoking preference and assign patients who are to be placed in bed space areas utilized by 2 or more patients to a bed space area with patients who have a similar smoking preference.

(B) Hospital staff, visitors and the general public shall not smoke in bed space areas utilized by nonsmoking patients. "No Smoking" signs shall be conspicuously posted in such bed space areas.

(7) Any restaurant except as permitted in § 7-1703.01.

(8) Any public or private workplace, except as provided in § 7-1703.02.

(1973 Ed., § 6-823; Sept. 28, 1979, D.C. Law 3-22, § 4, 26 DCR 390; 1981 Ed., § 6-913; Mar. 29, 1988, D.C. Law 7-100, § 2(c), 35 DCR 1182; May 2, 1991, D.C. Law 8-262, § 2(a), 37 DCR 8434.)