Licence to publicly perform music during concerts at Exhibitions or Fairs where additional admission is charged

Quick Facts

Licence period: per concert

Fee: 3% of gross ticket receipts less adult general admission and taxes

Deadline: immediately after the close of the exhibition

Music Licence Form: socan.ca/form/5B

Licence fee calculation

Fee per concert: 3% of gross receipts from ticket sales, exclusive of sales and amusement taxes and adult general grounds admission (if included in the ticket price.)

EXAMPLE:

Fair ABC holds a concert where the concert ticket allows the purchaser access to the fair grounds on the day of the concert. Each ticket for the concert costs $50. The adult grounds admission is $10. 2000 people bought concert tickets

Total Fee: 2000 people x (ticket price of $50 – adult grounds admission of $10) = $80,000 x 3% = $2,400 + taxes

Calculate your licence: socan.ca/calculator/5B

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