

Housing Channel

Title: Reducing Noise Nuisance

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Don't cause noise nuisance

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No matter inside flats or at common areas

public housing residents should not cause noise nuisance

to their neighbours

Residents should maintain a quiet environment

At all times, we should ensure

the activities we undertake inside our flat

do not disturb our neighbours for example

when watching TV, listening to the radio

using audio equipment, playing mah-jong, etc

When doing so

try to close the doors and windows

Between 11pm and 7am

avoid all activities that make a loud noise

lest you'll breach the Noise Control Ordinance

and be penalised under the Marking Scheme

First-time offenders making noise in their flats

will be given a warning by the estate office

But if they repeat the misdeed, they will be

allotted 5 points under the Marking Scheme

Those making noise in their flats and

breaching the Noise Control Ordinance

once convicted, will be allocated 5 points

by the HD without prior warning

The Noise Control Ordinance also applies

to common areas in public housing estates

Thus, singing loudly in the estate green

talking or playing loudly in estate public areas

causing nuisance between the late night and dawn

can all be prosecuted

One who violates the Noise Control Ordinance

is subject to a fine of up to \$10,000

Be considerate and keep the noise down

Let's create a better living environment for all