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# DLCA RESUMES NORMAL OPERATING HOURS

***U.S. Virgin Islands*** – The Department of Licensing and Consumer Affairs (DLCA) Commissioner, Richard T. Evangelista, Esq. is informing the public that the department has resumed its normal operating hours from 8 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

DLCA also continues its commitment to the safety and protection of our internal and external customers in preventing the spread against COVID-19. When visiting DLCA lobbies, we **advise** that you continue following the Virgin Islands Department of Health's recommended safety procedures of handwashing, social distancing, and wearing of masks in large crowds especially when in enclosed environments.

To beat the line and reduce your wait time, DLCA **highly** encourage utilizing our online website at www.dlca.vi.gov for business license renewals or applying for a new business license as well as filing a consumer complaint.

In addition, DLCA licensing staff no longer has access to government issued cell phones. If you have any questions, concerns or issues, kindly contact us at 340.713.3522 on St. Croix; 340.714.3522 on St. Thomas or St. John at 340.693.8036. If you are experiencing difficulties with reaching any DLCA staff through our main lines, you may contact the Office of the Commissioner at 340-713-6900 or 340.725.5129 via mobile. You may also reach us at consumerawareness@dlca.vi.gov.

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