

**Question:**

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Salaam

Can you tell me if it is allowed to enter a Muslim shop if they sell alcohol and can we buy anything from them, or say if we are in a hotel and they sell alcohol, can we pay them to rent a room etc

Wassalam

**Answer:**

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Assalamu Aleikum

Sheikh Omar answered this before as follows:

If any Muslim owns a business (whether a shop or a hotel) which involves anything haram known by necessity then it is prohibited to deal with them in their business. Hence alcohol in a Muslim shop or Muslim hotel will prevent you buying anything from the shop or booking a room in the hotel since Allah (awt) says:

“...do not co-operate in sin and transgression...” [EMQ 2:5]

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