Statutory Licensing Committee

Wednesday, 7 June 2006

Present: Councillor Mrs Iris Smith (Chair) (Chair), Councillor Edward Smith (Vice-Chair), Councillors Thomas Bedford, Magda Cullens, David Dickinson, Doreen Dickinson, Anthony Gee, Daniel Gee, Keith Iddon, Hasina Khan, Margaret Lees, Shaun Smith, Ralph Snape and John Walker

06.SL.08 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were submitted on behalf of Councillor Marion Lowe, Thomas McGowan and Mrs Stella Walsh.

06.SL.09 DECLARATIONS OF ANY INTERESTS

No member declared an interest in relation to matters under consideration at the meeting.

06.SL.10 LICENSING ACT 2003 - MEMBERSHIP OF STATUTORY LICENSING SUB COMMITTEES A AND B

The Committee was requested to determine the allocation of the membership of the Statutory Licensing Sub Committee A and B in order to discharge functions under Sections 6 and 7 of the Licensing Act 2003.

RESOLVED - 1) That the membership of the two Sub-Committees comprise of Councillor Mrs I Smith as Chair of Sub-Committee A and Councillor Edward Smith as Chair of Sub-Committee B, the other two members including a reserve, taken from those Councillors on the Statutory Licensing Committee available to attend.

2) That those Councillors new to the Committee attend, when available, as observers and receive formal training before each committee meeting.

06.SL.11 LICENSING ACT 2003 - LICENSES ISSUED FROM 01/01/06 TO 30/04/06

The Committee received a report of the Chief Executive informing the members of the various licences issued and the registration effected under the Licensing Act 2003 for the period from 01/01/06 to 30/04/06.

The report also indicated the number of enforcement visits to premises for the same period.

RESOLVED - That the report be noted.

06.SL.12 ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE GAMBLING ACT 2005

The Committee received a report of the Chief Executive informing and updating the Committee on the Gambling Act 2005 and indicating the planned timetable for its implementation.

RESOLVED - That the report be noted.

Chair