

Report of	Meeting	Date
Corporate Director of Governance	Licensing and Public Safety Committee	03 February 2009

## LICENSING AND REGISTRATION – SUMMARY OF ACTIVITY FROM 01 NOVEMBER 2008 - 09 JANUARY 2009

### PURPOSE OF REPORT

- To inform the Committee of the various licences and permits issued, registrations effected and enforcement activity for the above period.

### RECOMMENDATION(S)

- Members are asked to note the report.

### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY OF REPORT

- This report is for information only.

### CORPORATE PRIORITIES

- This report relates to the following Strategic Objectives:

Put Chorley at the heart of regional economic development in the Central Lancashire sub-region		Develop local solutions to climate change.	
Improving equality of opportunity and life chances		Develop the Character and feel of Chorley as a good place to live	
Involving people in their communities		Ensure Chorley Borough Council is a performing organization	

### BACKGROUND

- This report is for information only.

## LICENSING ACT 2003

6. The table below shows the number of licences/registrations issued during this period under the Licensing Act 2003.

Number of	New	Variations	Change of Name/Address	Transfer of Premises Licence	Change of DPS
Personal Licences	12	N/A	4	N/A	N/A
Premises Licences with alcohol	3	6	1	3	10
Premises Licences without alcohol	0	0	0	1	0
Club with alcohol	0	1	0	0	0
Club without alcohol	0	0	0	0	0
Temporary Event Notice with alcohol	30	0	0	0	0
Temporary Event Notice without alcohol	0	0	0	0	0
Interim Authority Notice	0	0	0	0	0

## REVIEW OF PREMISES LICENCES

7. There has been one review application of a premises licence for The Shanghai Restaurant.

## HEARINGS

8. Five hearings have taken place during this period.

## GAMBLING ACT 2005

9. The table below shows the number of licences/permits issued during this period under the Gambling Act 1995.

Number of	New	Variations	Change of name/address
Betting Premises Licence (other)	0	0	0
Bingo Premises Licence	0	0	0
Adult Gaming Centre	0	0	0
Family Entertainment Centre Premises Licence	0	0	0
PERMITS	0	0	0
Notification of Intent to have 2 Gaming Machines	9	0	0
Small Society Lottery Registration	3	0	0

## HACKNEY CARRIAGES, PRIVATE HIRE REGISTRATIONS

10. The table below shows the number of licences/registrations issued during this period. Generally, renewal of Private Hire/Hackney Carriage Vehicle/Drivers Licences and renewal of Private Hire Operator Licences are now done by the One Stop Shop.

Number of	New	Renewals	Transfers	Vehicle Change
Private Hire Vehicles	5	27	1	4
Private Hire Drivers Licence	13	22	N/A	N/A
Private Hire Operator	1	1	N/A	N/A
Hackney Carriage Drivers Licence	6	6	N/A	N/A
Hackney Carriage Vehicle	0	3	0	1

## SECOND HAND GOODS

11. There have been no applications granted for second hand goods licences during this period.

## HOUSE TO HOUSE COLLECTIONS

12. There have been 4 applications made for a House to House Permit during this period for the following charities.

Name of Charity	Date of Collection
Make a Wish Foundation	16/02/09 – 22/02/09, 11/05/09 – 17/05/09 03/08/09 – 09/08/09 02/11/09 – 08/11/09

## STREET COLELCTION PERMITS

13. There have been 3 applications granted for a Street Collection Permit during this period for the following charities.

Name of Charity	Date of Street Collection
St Marys Church (in aid of Rainbow House)	06/12/08
Bowland Pennine Mountain Rescue	13/06/09
Croston Village Festivities Group	14/12/08

## MOTOR SALVAGE OPERATOR

14. There have been no applications for Motor Salvage Operator Licences during this period.

## ENFORCEMENT/INSPECTION VISITS FOR PERIOD FROM 01 NOVEMBER 2008 – 09 JANUARY 2009

15. There have been 12 enforcement visits for private hire and hackney carriage vehicles.

## SUSPENSION OF VEHICLES

16. 5 suspension notices have been issued to taxis on the grounds of public safety.

## JOINT OPERATIONS

17. There have been 3 joint operations with Licensing, Lancashire Police and Trading Standards. 30 visits were made to on and off licensed premises which resulted in 3 failed Test Purchases. These were for on licensed premises. One caution has been administered to the Designated Premises Supervisor for The Swann with Two knecks. Two other offences took place in which individuals have agreed to take further training at Runshaw College at their expense as opposed to receiving a fixed penalty notice.

## COMPLAINTS

18. There have been 3 complaints received during this period.

## IMPLICATIONS OF REPORT

19. There are no implications arising from this report:

Finance		Customer Services	
Human Resources		Equality and Diversity	
Legal		No significant implications in this area	

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There are no background papers to this report.

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