

AGENDA

LICENSING COMMITTEE

Tuesday 4 September 2018 at 6.00 pm Committee Room A, Royal Tunbridge Wells, Kent TN1 1RS

Members: Councillor Backhouse (Chairman), Councillors Woodward (Vice-Chairman), Bulman,

Mrs Cobbold, Heasman, Hill, Huggett, Noakes, Nuttall, Podbury, Pope, Thomson

and Williams

Quorum: 4 Members

1 Chairman's Introduction

Announcement on procedural matters.

- 2 Apologies for Absence
- 3 Declarations of Interest:

To receive any declarations of interest by members in items on the agenda. For any advice on declarations of interest, please contact the Monitoring Officer.

4 Notification of Visiting Members wishing to speak (in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 18):

Members should indicate which item(s) they wish to speak on and the nature of their concern/question/request for clarification.

- 5 Minutes of the Previous Meeting dated 5 June 2018 (Pages 5 6)
- 6 Reports of Head of Environment and Street Scene
 - (A) Review of Animal Licensing Conditions (attached) (Pages 7 88)
 - (B) Revised Statement of Licensing Principles for Gambling Act 2005 Policy (attached) (Pages 89 160)
 - (C) Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Testing Contract (attached) (Pages 161 164)
 - (D) Annual Report for the Licensing Partnership (attached) (Pages 165 196)
- 7 Urgent Business:

To consider any other items which the Chairman decides are urgent, for the reasons to be stated, in accordance with Section 100B(4) of the Local Government Act 1972.

8 Date of Next Meeting

The next Licensing Committee meeting to be held on Tuesday 4 December 2018, at 6pm.

Cheryl Clark Democratic Services Officer

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