

**LICENSING COMMITTEE
(LICENSING ACT 2003)**

15 June 2011

Present: Councillor J Brown (Chair)
Councillor Hastrick (Vice-Chair)
Councillors Brodhurst, Connal, Crout, Derbyshire, Jeffree, Leslie,
Qureshi, D Scudder, L Scudder and Walford

Officers: Environmental Health and Licensing Section Head
Licensing Manager
Environmental Health Manager (East)
Committee and Scrutiny Support Officer (JK)

LA1- **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE/COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP**
11/12

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Dhindsa and Mortimer.

Absent without apologies: Councillor Taj.

LA2- **DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST**
11/12

There were no disclosures of interest.

LA3- **MINUTES**
11/12

The minutes of the meeting held on 8 November 2010 were submitted and signed.

LA4- **SEX ESTABLISHMENTS AND SEXUAL ENTERTAINMENT VENUES**
11/12 **POLICY**

The Committee received a report of the Head of Environmental Services asking Members to consider an amendment to the Sex Establishment Licensing Policy 2010 prior to public consultation.

The Licensing Manager reported that last year the Committee had approved the Sexual Entertainment Venue policy in which an appropriate number of such venues were agreed for different localities.

There had been one sexual entertainment venue in the Parade and the policy reflected this, however the venue no longer offered sexual entertainment and the policy could be changed to reflect this.

If Members wished to change the policy to 'nil' in this locality, officers would undertake a public consultation and would report back any negative comments to the Committee.

RESOLVED –

that officers publicly consult on an amendment to paragraph 7.6 of the Sex Establishment Licensing Policy 2010 for the appropriate number of Sexual Entertainment Venues in The Parade, High Street to be nil; and

1. to consider any comments in favour of the proposal with the Chair of the Licensing Committee and to amend the policy accordingly or
2. report any negative responses to such consultation to the Committee's next meeting.

Chair
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The meeting started at 8.50 p.m.
and finished at 8.55 p.m.

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