

Licensing Committee Agenda

Date: Monday 7th March 2011

Time: 2.00 pm

Venue: Committee Suite 1,2 & 3, Westfields, Middlewich Road,

Sandbach CW11 1HZ

The agenda is divided into 2 parts. Part 1 is taken in the presence of the public and press. Part 2 items will be considered in the absence of the public and press for the reasons indicated on the agenda and at the foot of each report.

PART 1 – MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITH THE PUBLIC AND PRESS PRESENT

1. Apologies for Absence

2. Declarations of Interest

To provide an opportunity for Members and Officers to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interests in any item on the agenda

3. Public Speaking Time/Open Session

In accordance with Procedure Rules Nos.11 and 35 a total period of 10 minutes is allocated for members of the public to address the Committee on any matter relevant to the work of the Committee.

Individual members of the public may speak for up to 5 minutes but the Chairman will decide how the period of time allocated for public speaking will be apportioned where there are a number of speakers.

Members of the public are not required to give notice to use this facility. However, as a matter of courtesy, a period of 24 hours' notice is encouraged.

Members of the public wishing to ask a question at the meeting should provide at least three clear working days' notice in writing and should include the question with that notice. This will enable an informed answer to be given.

4. **Minutes of Previous meeting** (Pages 1 - 6)

To approve the Minutes of the meeting held on 10 January 2011.

5. **Minutes of Licensing Sub-Committees** (Pages 7 - 14)

To receive the minutes of the Licensing Act Sub-Committee meeting held on 10 January 2011 and the General Licensing Sub-Committee meeting held on 2 February 2011.

6. Sexual Entertainment Venues - Schedule 3 Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 (as amended) (Pages 15 - 70)

To consider a report detailing the additional consultation responses received in relation to the draft policy on the licensing of sexual entertainment venues and asks the Committee to determine the content of the policy and to determine the fee levels to apply in relation to sexual entertainment venue applications

7. **Review of Hackney Carriage Service** (Pages 71 - 202)

To consider a report which details the responses received in relation to the recent consultation exercise carried out regarding the hackney carriage service and requests the Committee to make resolutions in relation to a number of issues

8. Licence Fees - Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicles, Drivers and Operators (Pages 203 - 208)

To consider a report on the current fees charged for hackney carriage and private hire licences and consider whether any variation should be made to the fees charged by Cheshire East Borough Council in relation to the issue of hackney carriage and private hire vehicles, drivers and operators licences