

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE LICENSING COMMITTEE HELD AT
FOLLATON HOUSE, TOTNES ON THURSDAY 8 NOVEMBER 2018**

MEMBERS

* Cllr D W May - Chairman

* Cllr T R Holway - Vice-Chairman

* Cllr K Baldry	∅ Cllr R J Foss
* Cllr J I G Blackler	∅ Cllr P W Hitchins
* Cllr D Brown	* Cllr N A Hopwood
* Cllr B F Cane	∅ Cllr K Pringle
* Cllr P K Cuthbert	∅ Cllr R Rowe

* Denotes attendance

∅ Denotes apology for absence

Officers in attendance and participating:
Licensing Specialist; Deputy Monitoring Officer and Senior Specialist – Democratic
Services

Also in attendance and participating:
Cllr J A Pearce

L.09/18 **MINUTES**

The minutes of the meeting of the Licensing Committee held on 23 August 2018 were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

L.10/18 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Members were invited to declare any interests in the items of business to be considered during the course of the meeting, but there were none made.

L.11/18 **THREE-YEARLY REVIEW OF GAMBLING STATEMENT OF
LICENSING PRINCIPLES**

Consideration was given to a report that sought to recommend approval of the draft Statement of Principles.

During her introduction, the Licensing Specialist outlined the summary of proposed changes and the consultation responses that had been received.

In discussion, the following points were raised:-

- (a) A number of Members wished to thank the lead officers for producing an excellent piece of work. Of particular credit was felt to be the 'Children and Vulnerable Persons' section of the draft Statement of Principles. Furthermore, thanks were also extended to Ivybridge Town Council for submitting a response to the consultation exercise;
- (b) The view was expressed that the 'Health, Safety and Wellbeing Implications' in the published agenda report should have been populated to reflect the fact that this criterion had been given serious consideration during the review.

It was then:

RECOMMENDED

That Council be **RECOMMENDED** to adopt the amended Draft Statement of Principles (as attached at Appendix A of the presented agenda report) for the period 31 January 2019 to 30 January 2022.

L.12/18

SUMMARY OF NEW / VARIATION PREMISES LICENCES AND CLUB PREMISES CERTIFICATES ISSUED BETWEEN 1 OCTOBER 2017 TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2018

Members were presented with a paper that provided them with a summary of the licences that had been issued between 1 October 2017 and 30 September 2018.

When questioned, officers confirmed that two of the applications that had initially been withdrawn (Sea Change Festival, Dartington and Bellinis Bar, Dartmouth) had been re-submitted and granted by officers.

It was then:

RESOLVED

That the summary of licences issued between 1 October 2017 and 30 September 2018 be noted.

L.13/18

RESULT OF THE CONSULTATION EXERCISE ON A PROPOSAL TO ADOPT A NEW TAXI RANK AT CLIFTON PLACE, SALCOMBE

A report was considered that presented the outcome of the consultation exercise that had been undertaken on a proposal to adopt a new Traffic Regulation Order to create a 'no waiting except for Taxis' bay on Clifton Place, Salcombe.

In her introduction, the Licensing Specialist highlighted that two representations had been received and the key issues (as outlined in full at Appendix B of the presented agenda report) were summarised.

In the ensuing debate, reference was made to:-

- (a) the two representations. Some Members expressed their surprise that the consultation exercise had only generated two representations;
- (b) the views of a local Ward Member. The local Ward Member in attendance confirmed that she had no objections to the proposed taxi stand;
- (c) the proposed 11.00am to 1.00am operating hours. The Licensing Specialist clarified that the 11.00am start time had been proposed to minimise any potential disruption to early morning delivery times.

It was then:

RESOLVED

That, in accordance with Section 63 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976, the proposed Taxi Stand at Clifton Place, Salcombe be appointed with immediate effect.

(Meeting commenced at 12.05 pm and concluded at 12.35 pm).

Chairman

