



North Devon Council
Brynsworthy Environment Centre
Barnstaple
North Devon EX31 3NP

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LICENSING COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Licensing Committee will be held in the Barum Room, Brynsworthy Environment Centre, Barnstaple on **TUESDAY 18th APRIL 2017 AT 10.00 A.M.**

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Members of the Committee to be appointed at Annual Council on 5th April 2017.

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence.
2. To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 14th March 2017 (attached).
3. Items brought forward which in the opinion of the Chairman should be considered by the meeting as a matter of urgency.
4. Declarations of Interests. (Please complete the enclosed form or telephone the Member Services Unit to prepare a form for your signature before the meeting. Interests must be re-declared when the item is called, and Councillors must leave the room if necessary).
5. To agree the agenda between Part 'A' and Part 'B' (Confidential Restricted Information).

PART 'A'

6. **Gambling Commission Consultation: Changes to our Enforcement Strategy – Putting the Customer First.** Report by the Public Protection Manager (attached) (Pages 1 to 78).
7. **Introduction of Lead Officer Licensing.** Public Protection Manager to report.
8. **Oxford Grove Taxi Rank.** Public Protection Manager to report.
9. **Now and Next – Course Booking: Confirmation of Members to attend.** Public Protection Manager to report.

PART 'B' (Confidential Restricted Information)

Nil.

Reminder - Members please return your agenda to the Member Services Officer at the end of the meeting

If you have any enquiries about this agenda, please contact Member Services, telephone 01271 388253/388254

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NOTE: Pursuant to Part 3, Annexe 1, paragraph 2 of the Constitution, Members should note that:

"A Member appointed to a Committee or Sub-Committee who:

- (a) Arrives at a meeting during the consideration of an item; or*
- (b) Leaves a meeting at any time during the consideration of an item;*

Shall not:

- (i) propose or second any motion or amendment; or*
- (ii) cast a vote*

in relation to that item if the Committee or Sub-Committee (as the case may be):

- (c) Is sitting in a quasi-judicial capacity in relation to that item; or*
- (d) The item is an application submitted pursuant to the Planning Acts*

and, in such a case, the Member shall also leave the room if at any time the public and press are excluded in respect of that item."



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2. The Chairman of the meeting has absolute discretion to stop or suspend recording if, in their opinion, continuing to do so would prejudice proceedings at the meeting or if the person recording is in breach of these rules.
3. We will ask for recording to stop if the meeting goes into 'part B' where the public is excluded for confidentiality reasons. In such a case, the person filming should leave the room ensuring all recording equipment is switched off.
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Devon. EX31 3NP.

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