

Committee: Licensing Committee

Date: Monday 21 October 2013

Time: 5.00 pm

Venue Bodicote House, Bodicote, Banbury, Oxfordshire

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## Membership

Councillor Fred Blackwell (Chairman) Councillor Diana Edwards (Vice-Chairman)

Councillor Colin Clarke Councillor Michael Gibbard

Councillor Tony llott Councillor Ray Jelf

Councillor Kieron Mallon
Councillor G A Reynolds
Councillor Gordon Ross
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Councillor Councillor Douglas Webb

## AGENDA

## 1. Apologies for Absence and Notification of Substitute Members

## 2. Declarations of Interest

Members are asked to declare any interests and the nature of that interest which they may have in any of the items under consideration at this meeting.

#### 3. Petitions and Requests to Address the Meeting

The Chairman to report on any requests to submit petitions or to address the meeting.

#### 4. Urgent Business

The Chairman to advise whether they have agreed to any item of urgent business being admitted to the agenda.

### **5. Minutes** (Pages 1 - 4)

To confirm as a correct record the Minutes of the meetings of the Committee held on 3 April 2013 and 15 May 2013.

## 6. Sex Entertainment Licensing Policy and Procedure (Pages 5 - 54)

Report of Head of Community Services

## Summary

The report outlines the changes made in Section 27 of the Policing and Crime Act 2009 amending Schedule 3 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1982 which enable local authorities to be able to determine applications for sex establishment venues (SEV's) and seek approval for the Council's policy in dealing with such matters.

#### Recommendations

The meeting is recommended to:

- 1.1 Agree that the proposed policy setting out the Councils approach to governing the operation of Sexual Establishment Venues as set out at Appendix 1 be adhered to when determining all applications for such venues.
- 1.2 Agree that the proposed conditions within the attached policy governing the operation of Sexual Entertainment Venues be approved and attached to all licences issued by the Council.
- 1.3 Agree that the proposed amendments as a result of the consultation responses as attached at Appendix 5 be incorporated into the final policy.
- 1.4 Note that the finalised policy will be published on 6 January 2014.
- 1.5 Authorise the Head of Community Safety in consultation with the Chairman of the Licensing Committee, to set and make any minor alterations to the setting of fees in relation to the processing of applications for sexual entertainment venues.

#### 7. **Licensing Department Updates** (Pages 55 - 58)

Report of Head of Community Services

#### Summary

The report advises the Licensing Committee of current and future developments within the Licensing Department.

#### Recommendation

The meeting is recommended:

1.1 To note the report.

# Councillors are requested to collect any post from their pigeon hole in the Members Room at the end of the meeting.

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