

Notice of a meeting of Licensing Committee

Wednesday, 6 March 2019 6.00 pm Pittville Room - Municipal Offices, Promenade

Membership		
Councillors:	David Willingham (Chair), Paul McCloskey (Vice-Chair), Tim Harman, Diggory Seacome, Angie Boyes, Mike Collins, Roger Whyborn, Dennis Parsons, Jo Stafford and Simon Wheeler	

The Council has a substitution process and any substitutions will be announced at the meeting

Agenda

1.	APOLOGIES	
2.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	
3.	PUBLIC QUESTIONS These must be received no later than 12 noon on the fourth working day before the date of the meeting	
4.	MINUTES OF LAST FULL COMMITTEE MEETING To approve the minutes of the last meeting held on 5 th December 2018.	(Pages 3 - 10)
5.	MINUTES OF SUB COMMITTEE MEETINGS To approve the minutes of the Miscellaneous Licensing Sub Committee held on 2 nd January 2019 and the Alcohol and Gambling Licensing Sub Committee held on 4 th February 2019.	(Pages 11 - 18)
6.	APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO PLACE AN OBJECT ON THE HIGHWAY Miss Casey Mann - 18/02791/OBJAX	(Pages 19 - 26)
7.	MAKE-UP OF LICENSING COMMITTEE Report of the Licensing Team Leader	(Pages 27 - 28)
8.	REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE BRIEFING NOTE	(Pages 29 - 34)
9.	DEPARTMENT FOR TRANSPORT CONSULTATION	(Pages

REPORT	35 - 72)
Report of the Licensing Team Leader	
GOVERNMENT CONSULTATION ON TAXI AND PRIVATE HIRE LICENSING	
REVIEW OF PREVIOUS DECISIONS	
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DATE OF NEXT MEETING 5th June 2019.	
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