Decision Schedule



Licensing Committee

TO ALL MEMBERS OF NEWPORT CITY COUNCIL

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The Licensing Sub-Committee took the following decision on 4 August 2015 and they are effective immediately.

Councillors C Suller (in the Chair), E Garland, M Cornelious and C Ferris were in attendance.

Apologies for absence: Councillor Guy

LIC03/15

Gambling Act 2005: Revised Statement of Principles 2015

Options considered/reason for decision:

The Gambling Act 2005 became fully implemented on 1 September 2007 and it created a new system of licensing and regulation for commercial gambling. It required the Council to prepare and publish a Statement of Principles for each successive period of three years, which outlines the principles that the Council would apply in exercising its functions as the Licensing Authority under the Act. The draft revisions to the Statement included in this report have been produced in accordance with Regulations and the Gambling Commission's Guidance to Licensing Authorities.

Statutory consultation must take place prior to the Statement of Principles being determined by full Council.

Decision

That the Licensing Committee agreed the proposed amendments to the Council's Statement of Principles required under the Gambling Act 2005 and authorised the commencement of the required consultation process.

Implemented by: Head of Law & Regulation

Implementation Timetable: The six week consultation will commence from 5 August until 16 September. Following the consultation process and responses, the Policy is required to be presented to Council and approved for consideration and adoption.