

Decision Schedule



Licensing Sub-Committee

TO ALL MEMBERS OF NEWPORT CITY COUNCIL

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The Licensing Sub-Committee took the following decisions on 18 November 2019, which became effective immediately.

Councillors D Davies (Chair), H Thomas and J Hughes

Part 2 Exempt of Confidential Items

To consider whether to exclude the press and public during consideration of the following items on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt or confidential information as defined in Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

LIC SUB 07/19

Decision

Application under Section 117 Licensing Act 2003 for the grant of a Personal Licence

The Sub-Committee had considered the application and evidence before them both in writing and orally from the Licensing Authority, from Heddlu Gwent Police and from CB. They decided that CB would not be granted a Personal Licence. The Sub-Committee accepted the Police objection as CB had a conviction in February 2014 for an offence committed in September 2011 which is relevant under the Licensing Act 2003 and which would not become spent under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 until February 2025. There was insufficient evidence to show that CB had become a fit and proper person since his release from custody in 2016. The grant of a personal license to CB at this time would not promote the licensing objective of the prevention of crime and disorder. The Sub-Committee therefore refused CB's application for a Personal Licence. They appreciated CB had worked hard to turn his life around but, as a Licensing Sub-Committee, had a duty to uphold the law and protect the public.

Consultation

Implemented by: 18 November 2019

Implementation Timetable: Immediate