

**MAIDSTONE BOROUGH COUNCIL**  
**LICENSING ACT 2003 COMMITTEE**  
**MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON**  
**THURSDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2009**

**Present:** Councillor Mrs Parvin (Chairman), and  
Councillors FitzGerald, Mrs Gibson, Mrs Joy, Marshall,  
Naghi, Sellar, Warner and Yates

27. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Hinder and Mrs Hinder.

28. NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

There were no Substitute Members.

29. NOTIFICATION OF VISITING MEMBERS

There were no Visiting Members.

30. DISCLOSURES BY MEMBERS AND OFFICERS

There were no disclosures by Members or Officers.

31. DISCLOSURES OF LOBBYING

There were no disclosures of lobbying.

32. EXEMPT ITEMS

RESOLVED: That the Items on Part II of the Agenda need not be discussed and the remaining Items be held in public as proposed.

33. MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 27 AUGUST 2009

RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the Meeting held on 27 August 2009 be approved as a correct record and signed.

34. GAMBLING ACT 2005 - DRAFT STATEMENT OF LICENSING PRINCIPLES

The Committee considered the report of the Democratic Services Manager regarding the revised Statement of Licensing Principles.

RESOLVED:

1. That the Council be recommended to agree the Gambling Act 2005 Statement of Licensing Principles, subject to the following:-
  - i) Page 9 - the link to be corrected and the date of Council approval to be inserted when known.
  - ii) Page 39 - correct addresses for Council offices
2. That the Democratic Services Manager notifies all Parish Councils with regard to the legislation on temporary use notices.

35. LICENSING PARTNERSHIP

This matter had been discussed at the earlier Licensing Committee meeting and there were no further issues to discuss.

36. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC FROM THE MEETING

RESOLVED: That the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business because of the likely disclosure of exempt information for the reason specified:-

**Head of Schedule 12A  
and  
Brief Description**

Oral Report of the Democratic Services Manager - Enforcement Policy	5 - Legal 7 - Crime
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37. ENFORCEMENT POLICY

This matter had been discussed at the earlier Licensing Committee meeting and there were no further issues to discuss.

38. DURATION OF MEETING

8.50 p.m. to 9.02 p.m.