

MAIDSTONE BOROUGH COUNCIL

LICENSING ACT 2003 COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 12 NOVEMBER 2012

Present: Councillor Mrs Joy (Chairman), and
Councillors Barned, Mrs Gibson, Mrs Gooch,
Mrs Grigg, Mrs Hinder, B Mortimer, Naghi, Parvin and
Mrs Parvin

22. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

An apology for absence was received from Councillor Yates.

23. NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

There were no Substitute Members.

24. NOTIFICATION OF VISITING MEMBERS

There were no Visiting Members.

25. DISCLOSURES BY MEMBERS AND OFFICERS

There were no disclosures by Members or Officers.

26. DISCLOSURES OF LOBBYING

There were no disclosures of lobbying.

27. EXEMPT ITEMS

RESOLVED: That the items on the Agenda be taken in public as proposed.

28. MINUTES

RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the Meeting held on 30 July 2012 be approved as a correct record and signed.

29. GAMBLING ACT 2005 - DRAFT STATEMENT OF LICENSING PRINCIPLES

The Committee considered the report of the Head of Democratic Services regarding the statement of licensing principles under the Gambling Act 2005.

RESOLVED TO RECOMMEND TO COUNCIL: That the Gambling Act 2005 Statement of Licensing Principles, as attached to the report of the Head of Democratic Services, be approved.

30. REVIEW OF LICENSING FEES AND CHARGES

The Committee considered the report of the Head of Democratic Services regarding the level of fees to be charged in respect of Statutory set fees relating to Licensing Act 2003 licences and Gambling Act 2005 fees within prescribed bands.

RESOLVED:

1. That the position with regard to the statutory licensing fees for Licensing Act 2003 licences be noted.
2. That the Gambling Act 2005 licence fees be raised, as set out in the Appendix to the report of the Head of Democratic Services, for implementation from 1 April 2013.

31. DURATION OF MEETING

7.16 p.m. to 7.23 p.m.