

RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNCIL LICENSING COMMITTEE

Minutes of the virtual meeting of the Licensing Committee held on Tuesday, 7 December 2021 at 5.00 pm.

County Borough Councillors - Licensing Committee Members in attendance:-

Councillor A Fox (Chair)

Councillor D Williams
Councillor S Powderhill
Councillor S Morgans
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Councillor D Williams

Officers in attendance:-

Ms L Davies, Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services
Mr P Nicholls, Service Director, Legal Services
Ms R Hope, Head of Public Protection and Regulatory Services
Mr M Owen, Assistant Licensing Manager
Mr N Evans, Licensing Enforcement Officer
Ms K Trilloe, Health Protection And Licensing Manager

64 Declaration of Interest

In accordance with the Council's Code of Conduct, the following declaration were made pertaining to the agenda:

 County Borough Councillor S. Bradwick declared an interest in Item 4 of the agenda: 'I know one of the Applicants'.

65 Human Rights Act and Crime and Disorder Act

It was **RESOLVED** to note that when Members determine the licensing and registration matters before them, they have a duty not to act in a manner that is incompatible with the convention on Human Rights and the Crime and Disorder Act.

66 Minutes

It was **RESOLVED** to approve the minutes of the 2nd November 2021 as an accurate reflection of the meeting.

To consider the Licences & Registrations issued under the provision of Delegated Powers for the period: 18.10.21 - 21.11.21

The Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services

presented Members with details of licences and registrations issued during the period 18th October 2021 to 21st November 2021.

It was **RESOLVED** to acknowledge the update.

To consider passing the following Resolution:

It was **RESOLVED** that the press and public be excluded from the meeting under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 13 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

69 Summary of Licences issued under provision of Delegated Authority for the period 18.10.21 - 21.11.21

The Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services provided Members with the report outlining the Licences and/or Registrations issued under provisions of Delegated Authority for the period 18th October 2021 to 21st November 2021.

The Committee **RESOLVED** to acknowledge the update.

70 Enforcement Summary (Including Appeal/Prosecution Data) for the period 20.10.21 - 24.11.21

The Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services provided Members with the report outlining the most recent enforcement activity, including any prosecution and appeals updates for the period 20th October 2021 to 24th November 2021.

The Committee **RESOLVED** to acknowledge the update.

71 Urgent Business

The Director, Public Health, Protection and Community Services provided Members with a verbal update in relation to spiking of drinks which is a noted concern of the trade and patrons.

Members were advised that a report has recently been presented to the Crime and Disorder Committee regarding further measures being implemented in Rhondda Cynon Taf to keep women and girls safe in public places and that a further report regarding spiking of drinks would be presented to Committee at the next meeting.