

LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE (SEV'S)

MEETING TO BE HELD IN CIVIC HALL, LEEDS ON FRIDAY, 15TH JUNE, 2012 AT 10.00 AM

MEMBERSHIP

Councillors

S Armitage - Cross Gates and Whinmoor;

B Gettings - Morley North; G Hussain - Roundhay;

P Latty - Guiseley and Rawdon;
B Selby - Killingbeck and Seacroft;

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AGENDA

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		PRELIMINARY PROCEDURAL ISSUES	
		ELECTION OF CHAIR	
		APPEALS AGAINST REFUSAL OF INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS	
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EXEMPT INFORMATION - POSSIBLE EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

To highlight reports or appendices which:

- a) officers have identified as containing exempt information, and where officers consider that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information, for the reasons outlined in the report.
- b) To consider whether or not to accept the officers recommendation in respect of the above information.
- c) If so, to formally pass the following resolution:-

RESOLVED – That the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of those parts of the agenda designated as containing exempt information on the grounds that it is likely, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, that if members of the press and public were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information

2) To note that under the Licensing Procedure rules, the press and the public will be excluded from that part of the hearing where Members will deliberate on each application as it is in the public interest to allow the Members to have a full and frank debate on the matter before them.

LATE ITEMS

To identify any applications as late items of business which have been admitted to the agenda for consideration

(the special circumstances shall be identified in the minutes)

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5			DECLARATION OF INTERESTS
			Members are reminded to declare any interests at the start of the hearing on each application for the purpose of Section 81 (3) of the Local Government Act 2000 and paragraphs 8 to 12 of the Members Code of conduct
6	City and Hunslet;	10.4 (1,2,3)	APPLICATIONS FOR SEX ESTABLISHMENT LICENCES - VARIOUS LOCATIONS
			To determine applications for Sex Establishments within the City and Hunslet ward previously heard by the Sub Committee on 11 th , 12 th , 13 th and 14 th June 2012 respectively.
			Please note that under the provisions of Access to Information Procedure Rule 10.4 (1,2 and 3) the deliberations of the Sub Committee will be held in closed session, the hearings having already been dealt with in open session

CONFIDENTIAL AND EXEMPT ITEMS

The reason for confidentiality or exemption is stated on the agenda and on each of the reports in terms of Access to Information Procedure Rules 9.2 or 10.4(1) to (7). The number or numbers stated in the agenda and reports correspond to the reasons for exemption / confidentiality below:

9.0 Confidential information – requirement to exclude public access

9.1 The public must be excluded from meetings whenever it is likely in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings that confidential information would be disclosed. Likewise, public access to reports, background papers, and minutes will also be excluded.

9.2 Confidential information means

- (a) information given to the Council by a Government Department on terms which forbid its public disclosure or
- (b) information the disclosure of which to the public is prohibited by or under another Act or by Court Order. Generally personal information which identifies an individual, must not be disclosed under the data protection and human rights rules.

10.0 Exempt information – discretion to exclude public access

- 10. 1 The public may be excluded from meetings whenever it is likely in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings that exempt information would be disclosed provided:
 - (a) the meeting resolves so to exclude the public, and that resolution identifies the proceedings or part of the proceedings to which it applies, and
 - (b) that resolution states by reference to the descriptions in Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (paragraph 10.4 below) the description of the exempt information giving rise to the exclusion of the public.
 - (c) that resolution states, by reference to reasons given in a relevant report or otherwise, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.
- 10.2 In these circumstances, public access to reports, background papers and minutes will also be excluded.
- 10.3 Where the meeting will determine any person's civil rights or obligations, or adversely affect their possessions, Article 6 of the Human Rights Act 1998 establishes a presumption that the meeting will be held in public unless a private hearing is necessary for one of the reasons specified in Article 6.
- 10. 4 Exempt information means information falling within the following categories (subject to any condition):
 - 1 Information relating to any individual
 - 2 Information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual.
 - Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).
 - Information relating to any consultations or negotiations, or contemplated consultations or negotiations, in connection with any labour relations matter arising between the authority or a Minister of the Crown and employees of, or officer-holders under the authority.
 - Information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.
 - 6 Information which reveals that the authority proposes
 - (a) to give under any enactment a notice under or by virtue of which requirements are imposed on a person; or
 - (b) to make an order or direction under any enactment
 - Information relating to any action taken or to be taken in connection with the prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime

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