

Licensing Functions delegated by Licensing Committee

<p>Subject to the exceptions listed below, the Director of Resources is authorised to discharge the licensing functions¹ of the licensing authority.</p> <p><u>Exceptions:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • any licensing function² reserved to full Council³; and • any licensing function where full Council has referred a matter to a committee other than the Licensing Committee⁴; and • any licensing function within the terms of reference of the Licensing Sub-committees⁵; and • to object when the Authority is consultee and not the relevant authority considering an application under the 2003 Act <p>The Director of Resources is authorised to appoint members to vacancies during the period between the local elections and the Annual Council meeting, in consultation with appropriate whips, in order to secure that meetings necessary to be held during that period can proceed with adequate and appropriate membership levels.</p>	<p>Licensing Act 2003 and the Gambling Act 2005.</p>
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Functions related to the Licensing Functions delegated by Licensing Committee⁶

Subject to the exceptions listed below, the Director of Resources is authorised to discharge the functions set out in the following table that are delegated to the Director of Resources by Licensing Committee

(a)	To license hackney carriages and private hire vehicles	(a) As to hackney carriages, the Town Police Clauses Act 1847 as extended by section 171 of the Public Health Act 1875 and section 15 of the Transport Act 1985 and sections 47, 57, 58, 60 and 79 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 (b) As to private hire vehicles, sections
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¹ "Licensing functions" means functions under the 2003 Act and the 2005 Act.

² "Licensing functions" means functions under the 2003 Act and the 2005 Act.

³ Part 3, Section 2A of the Constitution sets out licensing functions reserved to full Council, as licensing authority under the 2003 Act.

⁴ Under the provisions of Section 7(5)(a) of the 2003 Act

⁵ Except where a Licensing sub-committee has arranged for the discharge of any of their functions by an Officer

⁶ These functions were delegated to the Licensing Committee by full Council on 14 July 2010

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		48, 57, 58, 60 and 79 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976
(b)	To license drivers of hackney carriages and private hire vehicles	Section 51, 53, 54, 59, 61 and 79 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976
(c)	To license operators of hackney carriages and private hire vehicles	Sections 55 to 58, 62 and 79 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976
(d)	* To licence sex shops and sex cinemas and sexual entertainment venues.	The Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982, Section 2, Schedule 3, the Policing and Crime Act 2009, Section 27.
(e)	To license performances of hypnotism.	The Hypnotism Act 1952
(f)	* To license persons to collect for charitable and other causes	Section 5 of the Police, Factories etc (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1916 and section 2 of the House to House Collections Act 1939

Exceptions

The Director of Resources is not authorised to discharge those functions marked * above where objections have been received.