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Licensing Committee

Friday, 17th May, 2013

PRESENT: Councillor G Hyde in the Chair

Councillors N Buckley, B Gettings,
T Hanley, M Harland, A Khan, C Townsley
and G Wilkinson

119 Exempt Information - Possible Exclusion of the Press and Public

RESOLVED – That the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of that part 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 public were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information so designated in Appendix 1 of the report referred to in minute 121 both in terms of the Licensing Procedure Rules and Access to Information Procedure Rule 10.4 (3), and on the grounds that it is not in the public interest to disclose the contents as the information therein pertains to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).

120 Declaration of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

There were no declarations of interest

121 Large Casino

Further to minutes 101 to 106 of the meetings held 13th and 14th May 2013 respectively, the Head of Licensing and Registration submitted a report presenting the finalised Schedule 9 Agreement between Leeds City Council and the Authority's preferred applicant. The signed Schedule 9 Agreement was presented as Appendix 1 of the report.

RESOLVED –

- a) That the contents of the finalised and signed legal agreement with the preferred applicants which secures the benefits offered under Schedule 9 of the Gambling Act 2005 be noted
- b) That, having considered which of the competing applicants would, in the authority's opinion be likely if granted to result in the greatest benefit to the authority's area, the Licensing Committee determined to grant the provisional statement to Global Gaming Ventures and to reject the submission from Leeds United Football Club

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