

LICENSING COMMITTEE

FRIDAY, 6 JUNE 2014

PRESENT:- Councillors Junab Ali, Abdul Amin, John Ballman, Andrew Bennett, Alan Bishop, Michael Bray, Oliver Donachie, John Haines, Derique Montaut, Stan Pajak, Eric Shaw, Timothy Swinyard, Vera Tomlinson, Peter Watts and Steve Wakefield.

1. Declarations of Interest

The Chair reminded Members of the need to declare any known interests in any matters to be considered at the meeting. No declarations were made.

2. Minutes

Resolved – That the minutes of the meeting held on 23rd September 2013, be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

3. Public Question Time

No public questions were received during the meeting.

4. Local Government Act 1989 - Section 15: Political Balance Arrangements

Resolved – That, further to Minute 13(2) of the Council, and having carried out a review under Section 15 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 this Committee continue to apply political balance arrangements under the Act.

5. Appointment of Sub-Committees and Panel

Resolved – (1) That an Ad Hoc Licensing Sub-Committee be appointed having the functions set out in the document “Swindon Council Constitution 2014/15” and comprising Councillors Abdul Amin, John Ballman, Alan Bishop, Mick Bray, Eric Shaw, Vera Tomlinson and Peter Watts.

(All Councillors serving on the Licensing Committee be appointed as substitutes to their respective political group.)

(2) That a Licensing Panel be appointed having the functions set out in the document “Swindon Council Constitution 2014/15” and comprising three Councillors to be drawn from Members of this Committee.

(3) That a Private Hire/Hackney Carriage Licensing Sub-Committee be appointed having the functions set out in the document “Swindon Council Constitution 2014/15” and comprising Councillors Junab Ali, Andrew Bennett, Oliver Donachie, John Haines, Derique Montaut, Tim Swinyard and Steve Wakefield.

(All Councillors serving on the Licensing Committee be appointed as substitutes to their respective political group.)