



LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

Date and Time: **Tuesday, 15 December 2009 7.30 pm**

Venue: **Assembly Hall, Lambeth Town Hall, Brixton Hill, SW2 1RW**

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MEMBERS:

Three members drawn from the Licensing Committee:

Councillors FEWTRELL, FITZPATRICK, LUMSDEN, MCGLONE, MCKENNA,
S. MALLEY, MALONE, PALMER, WALKER and J. WHELAN

AGENDA

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HEARING PROCEDURE FOR LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

Full information on the procedure is sent to all parties to the hearing. The information below is a précis of that information.

Parties to the hearing must notify Licensing Services within prescribed timescales (these vary according to the type of hearing) that they intend to attend and/or be represented at the hearing and whether any witnesses will be attending on their behalf.

The hearing will operate as follows (subject to the discretion of the Chair)

- In the form of a discussion led by the Committee; cross examination will not normally be permitted.
- A total of 3 minutes speaking time is normally allowed for each party. Any preliminary points will be treated separately.
- Where there is more than one representation raising the same or similar grounds, those parties should consider nominating a single representative to address the Sub-Committee on their behalf at the hearing.
- Parties to the hearing may be permitted to ask questions of any other party or witness.
- Parties to the hearing may be required to answer specific questions from members of the committee seeking clarification of information.
- The typical order of the hearing will be as follows:
 1. Chair will ask all parties and witnesses to introduce themselves and this should include a brief explanation of the purpose of their attendance.
 2. Officers present the report.
 3. Committee members ask questions of officers.
 4. Applicant speaks.
 5. Applicant's witnesses speak (with permission of Chair).
 6. Committee members ask questions of applicants and their witnesses (only applies to witnesses who have been given permission to speak).
 7. Other parties speak.
 8. Other parties' witnesses speak (with permission of Chair).
 9. Committee members ask questions of the other parties to the hearing and their witnesses (only applies to witnesses who have been given permission to speak).

10. Applicant (with exception and with permission of Chair) asks questions of the other parties to the hearing and their witnesses.
11. Other parties to the hearing (with exception and with permission of Chair) ask questions of the applicant/other parties to the hearing and their witnesses.
12. Chair's closing remarks.
13. Committee retires to make their decision.
14. Legal adviser informs the hearing of any advice that they have given to the committee during the decision making process.
15. Committee announces decision and gives reasons.
16. After the hearing officers will write to all parties to confirm the committee's decision.