LICENSING COMMITTEE
Tuesday 4 September 2018 at 7.00 pm

MINUTES

PRESENT: Councillor Linda Bray, Councillor Fred Cowell (Chair) and Councillor Rezina Chowdhury

APOLOGIES:

ALSO PRESENT:

1. ELECTION OF CHAIR
   MOVED by Councillor Linda Bray, SECONDED by Councillor Rezina Chowdhury

   RESOLVED: That Councillor Fred Cowell be elected as Chair of the meeting.

2. DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS
   None were declared.

3. MINUTES
   RESOLVED: That the minutes of the previous meeting held on 6 December 2016 be approved and signed by the Chair as a correct record of the proceeding.

4. THE LICENSING ACT 2003: REVIEW OF LAMBETH STATEMENT OF LICENSING POLICY 2016-19

4(a) DRAFT STATEMENT OF LICENSING POLICY FOR AUTHORISATION FOR PUBLIC CONSULTATION

   The Chair explained that Members had convened as a Licensing Committee to consider this item of business.
Ms Nicole Terrieux, Licensing and Technical Services Manager introduced the report and explained that:

- The Council was required to publish a statement of licensing principles every five years.
- Lambeth’s current policy (2016-2019) expired on 29 January 2019 and was now due for review and renewal.
- The report requests the Committee’s consent to undertake statutory consultation to adopt the revised statement of licensing policy. The consultation would run for approximately 6 weeks, commencing on 10 September 2018.

Dr Matthew Andrews then highlighted the following:

- He outlined the key changes to the draft statement of licensing policy as outlined in the report.
- Key stakeholders and responsible authorities had been consulted regarding the policy.
- Prior to adoption, the policy would be presented to the Council meeting on 6 January 2019.

**RESOLVED:**

1. That the contents of the report be noted.
2. That public consultation upon the draft Statement of Licensing Policy 2019-2024 be approved.
3. That officers be instructed to consult for a period of 6 weeks on the draft policy commencing on 10 September 2018.

The meeting ended at 7.15 pm

CHAIR
LICENSING COMMITTEE
Date Not Specified

Date of Despatch: Thursday 20 September 2018
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