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Dear Councillor

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a meeting of the **LICENSING** Committee will be held at these Offices on Tuesday 20 April 2010 at 10.00 am when the following business will be transacted.

Members of the public who require further information are asked to contact Pauline Hodding on (01304) 872305 or by e-mail at paulinehodding@dover.gov.uk.

Yours sincerely

Chief Executive

Licensing Committee Membership:

Councillor P S Le Chevalier Councillor B W Butcher Councillor C M Edwards Councillor R Frayne Councillor A Friend Councillor C E Kirby Councillor P A Lodge Councillor S C Manion

(Chairman) (Vice-Chairman) Councillor V J Revell Councillor D G Smallwood Councillor A R Smith Councillor C J Smith Councillor J M Smith Councillor R J Thompson Councillor R S Walkden

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<u>AGENDA</u>

1. APOLOGIES

2. APPOINTMENT OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

To note appointments of Substitute Members.

3. MINUTES (Page 3)

To consider the attached Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 9 February 2010.

4. LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE MINUTES (Pages 4-6)

To receive the attached Minutes of the meetings of the Licensing Sub-Committee held on 9 February 2010.

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Minutes of the meeting of the **LICENSING** Committee held at the Council Offices, Whitfield on Tuesday 9 February 2010 at 9.30 am.

Present:

Chairman: Councillor P S Le Chevalier

- Councillors: B W Butcher C M Edwards P A Lodge V J Revell A R Smith J M Smith R J Thompson R S Walkden
- Officers Licensing Manager Senior Democratic Support Officer

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors A Friend, C E Kirby, D G Smallwood and C J Smith.

399 <u>MINUTES</u>

The Minutes of the meetings of the Committee held on 10 November 2009 and 25 November 2009 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

400 MINUTES OF LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEES

RESOLVED: That the Minutes of the Sub-Committees held on 10 November, 12 November, 25 November,10 December, 21 December, 23 December 2009 and 19 January 2010 be received.

The meeting ended at 9.35 am.

Minutes of the meeting of the **LICENSING** Sub-Committee held at the Council Offices, Whitfield on Tuesday 9 February 2010 at 10.40 am

Present:

Sub-Committee

Chairman: Councillor B W Butcher

Councillors:	A R Smith
	J M Smith

Officers

Legal Advisor:Solicitor to the CouncilLicensing Officer:Licensing ManagerAdministrator:Senior Democratic Support Officer

Persons attending in connection with the Hearing

None.

An apology for absence was received from Councillor V J Revell.

27 <u>APPOINTMENT OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS</u>

It was noted that Councillor A R Smith had been appointed as substitute for Councillor V J Revell.

28 <u>LICENSING ACT 2003 – APPLICATION FOR REVIEW OF THE PREMISES</u> <u>LICENCE IN RESPECT OF THE AFYON CHARCOAL GRILL, 5 BEAUCHAMP</u> <u>AVENUE, DEAL CT14 9EX</u>

The Sub-Committee was advised that the applicant for the Review, Responsible Authority Local Planning Authority, had withdrawn the request for a review as the Licence Holder had recently submitted a planning application to address the issues originally raised.

RESOLVED: That it be noted that the application for review of the premises licence in respect of the Afyon Charcoal Grill, Beauchamp Avenue, Deal had been withdrawn by the applicant.

29 <u>LICENSING ACT 2003 - APPLICATION FOR REVIEW OF THE PREMISES</u> <u>LICENCE IN RESPECT OF RIVALS/ACADEMY, QUEEN STREET, DEAL</u> <u>CT14 6EY</u>

Members were reminded that an application for review of a premises' licence under Section 51 of the Licensing Act 2003 had originally been made by two interested parties and heard on 3 April 2007. That Sub-Committee had imposed conditions on the premises licence including the installation and maintenance of a gate to the alleyway beside the premises in order to restrict access onto Queen Street by patrons leaving the premises and had also reduced the hours of operation for a period of three months. Subsequently the licence holder had appealed to the Magistrates' Court against the reduction in hours and the appeal had been held in abeyance until such time as the gate had been installed and the effects monitored. The appeal had now been remitted to the Licensing Authority for a new hearing.

On 25 November 2009 the Licence holder had successfully applied for variation of the hours of operation to match those permitted by the Local Planning Authority.

This hearing was in respect of a request to remove the reduction in opening hours as the operation of the gate had been successful and the applicants for the 2007 review and other interested parties had withdrawn their objections.

RESOLVED: That the three months' reduction in opening hours in respect of Rivals/Academy, Queen Street, Deal be removed and the licence terms and conditions be as set out in Notice of Determination No 003/2010.

The meeting ended at 11.10 am.

Minutes of the meeting of the **LICENSING** Sub-Committee held at the Council Offices, Whitfield on Tuesday 9 February 2010 at 10.45 am.

Present:

Sub-Committee

Chairman: Councillor P A Lodge

Councillors:	B W Butcher
	R S Walkden

Officers

Legal Advisor:Barrister (Litigation & Regulation)Licensing Officer:Licensing ManagerAdministrator:Senior Democratic Support Officer

Persons attending in connection with the Hearing

As set out in the Notices of Determination.

30 <u>LICENSING ACT 2003 – APPLICATION FOR REVIEW OF THE PREMISES</u> <u>LICENCE IN RESPECT OF THE GRANVILLE ARMS, 13 CAMBRIDGE ROAD,</u> <u>WALMER, DEAL CT14 7HG</u>

The Sub-Committee considered an application for review of the premises licence in respect of the Granville Arms, Walmer which had been requested by the Responsible Authority Kent Police.

In accordance with the approved procedure evidence was heard from the applicant for the review and their witnesses, the licence holder's legal representative, the licence holder, their witnesses and interested parties.

RESOLVED: That conditions be imposed on the premises licence in respect of the Granville Arms, 13 Cambridge Road, Walmer CT14 7HG as set out in Notice of Determination No 004/2010.

The meeting ended at 1.50 pm.