

Minutes of the meeting of the **LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE** held as a Teams Live Event on Tuesday, 16 February 2021 at 10.00 am.

Present:

Sub-Committee:

Chairman: Councillor D P Murphy

Councillors: M Bates
O C de R Richardson

Officers:

Legal Adviser: Contentious and Regulatory Lawyer
Licensing Officer: Licensing Team Leader
Administrator: Democratic Services Officer
Democratic Services Officer

Persons attending in connection with the Hearing

As shown on the Notice of Determination (NOD/2021/0002).

9 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

There were no apologies for absence.

10 APPOINTMENT OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

There were no substitute members appointed.

11 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest made.

12 EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

It was moved by Councillor O C de R Richardson, duly seconded and

RESOLVED: That, under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the remainder of the business on the grounds that the items to be considered involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part I of Schedule 12A of the Act.

13 LICENSING ACT 2003 - PERSONAL LICENCE HOLDER IN RECEIPT OF CONVICTIONS SINCE THE ISSUE OF THE LICENCE

The Sub-Committee considered the report of the Licensing Team Leader containing details of a Personal Licence holder, licensed by Dover District Council as the licensing authority, and who had been convicted of a relevant offence (as defined in Schedule 4 of the Licensing Act 2003). In accordance with Section 132A(4) of the Licensing Act 2003 a Notice was served. The Licensing Sub-Committee was to determine what action, if any, should be taken in regard to the Personal Licence.

The Sub-Committee considered the representations of the applicant and their supporting person and took into account the relevant legislation, regulations and policy as follows:

- (i) The Licensing Act 2003 and in particular guidance given under Section 182 of the Act.
- (ii) Section 132A of the Licensing Act 2003.
- (iii) Dover District Council's Licensing Policy.
- (iv) Article 6 of the Human Rights Act (Right to a fair trial).
- (v) Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 (Duty to consider crime and disorder implications).

RESOLVED: That the Personal Licence be revoked.

The meeting ended at 11.15 am.