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**Licensing Committee** 

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Monday, 25 March 2013

#### LICENSING COMMITTEE

25 March 2013 10.00 - 10.05 am

**Present**: Councillors Rosenstiel (Chair), Benstead (Vice-Chair), Brierley, Gawthrope, McPherson, Meftah, Pippas, Saunders and Stuart

#### **Officers Present:**

Head of Tourism and City Centre Management – Emma Thornton Legal Advisor – Carol Patton Committee Manager – Martin Whelan

# FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE COUNCIL

### 13/11/LIC Apologies for absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Hart.

#### 13/12/LIC Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

### 13/13/LIC Minutes of the previous meeting

The minutes of the meeting held on 28<sup>th</sup> January 2013 were approved as a true and accurate record.

#### 13/14/LIC Public Questions

There were no public questions.

## 13/15/LIC Approval of Street Trading Fees 2013/14

The committee received a report from the Head of Tourism and City Centre Management regarding the approval of street trading fees for 2013/14.

It was noted that the fees for future years may need to be reviewed in light of a recent court case, which has considered the issue of whether enforcement costs could or could not be included in the cost recovery calculation.

In response to a question regarding the response rate to the consultation, the Head of Tourism and City Centre Management advised that virtually all the street traders had attended the previous meeting of the Licensing Committee, and were very supportive of the proposals.

# Resolved (Unanimously) to

- i. Note the response to the consultation.
- ii. Approve the fees (as per the committee report) for street trading consents for the year 2013-2014

The meeting ended at 10.05 am

**CHAIR**