

Licensing Act 2003 and Gambling Act 2005 Committee (Statutory Licensing Committee)

26 January 2026
12.15 - 12.30 pm

Present: Councillors McPherson (Chair), Bick, Blackburn-Horgan, Clough, Divkovic, Lokhmotova, Moore, Swift and Wade

Officers

Strategic Environmental Health and Public Safety Lead: Yvonne O'Donnell

Env Health & Licensing Support Team Leader: Wangari Njiiri

Legal advisor: Ian Hawkings

Committee Manager: James Goddard

Meeting Producer: Sarah Michael

RECOMMENDATION TO COUNCIL

Statement of Licensing Policy

Recommendations of the Licensing Act 2003 and Gambling Act 2005 Committee (Statutory Licensing Committee, which met on 26 January 2026, are outlined below:

Licensing Act 2003 and Gambling Act 2005 Committee (Statutory Licensing Committee) **resolved unanimously** to approve the recommendations on to Full Council.

Accordingly, Council is recommended to:

1. Consider the results of the public consultation exercise as summarised in Appendix B and C of the Officer's report
2. Approve the Statement of Licensing Policy as attached at Appendix E of the report. Appendix D included tracked changes showing the amendments that have been made as part of the consultation and additional changes following consultation responses