

Licensing Sub Committee

Tuesday 4 July 2017

PRESENT:

Councillor Dr Mahony, in the Chair.
Councillor Rennie, Vice Chair.
Councillors Dreaan (fourth member) and Parker-Delaz-Ajete.

Also in attendance: Sharon Day (Lawyer), Marie Price (Licensing Officer) and Helen Rickman (Democratic Support Officer).

The meeting started at 10.05 am and finished at 12.50 pm.

Note: At a future meeting, the committee will consider the accuracy of these draft minutes, so they may be subject to change. Please check the minutes of that meeting to confirm whether these minutes have been amended.

16. **Appointment of Chair and Vice-Chair**

Agreed that Councillor Dr Mahony is appointed as Chair and Councillor Rennie is appointed as Vice Chair for this meeting.

17. **Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest in accordance with the code of conduct.
(Councillor Dreaan left the meeting after this item)

18. **Chair's Urgent Business**

There were no items of Chair's Urgent Business.

19. **Exempt Business**

Agreed that under Regulation 14(2) of the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearing) Regulations 2005 it was in the public interest to exclude the press and public as to hear the matter in public risked prejudicing any ongoing investigations and any court proceedings.

20. **Expedited Premises Licence Review - Clarence, 31 Clarence Place, Stonehouse, Plymouth PL1 3JP**

The committee considered the application made by the Police under section 53A of the Licensing Act 2003 and heard from the Premises Licence Holder and the General Manager of the premises.

The committee agreed that it was necessary to take interim steps pending the outcome of the final review hearing and as a result the following conditions were added to the licence:

- I. in the absence of the General Manager, Mr Wills, a Personal Licence Holder

must be present on the premises during opening hours and must actively manage the premises in Mr Wills' absence;

2. the Premises Licence Holder must take steps to train his staff in the Licensing Act 2003 and dealing with disorderly behaviour. Evidence of the steps taken must be provided to the committee at the final review hearing on a date to be set.