

General Licensing Committee

Suggested changes to the terms of reference of the General Licensing Committee are set out below:

- Item 1 changed to: To review and make decisions upon policy in licensing matters under the Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1982 Schedule 3 (Sex Establishments) and Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1982 Schedule 4 (Street Trading) and the statement of principles.
- Item 7 changed to: To make decisions on matters relating to the Council's responsibilities in respect of Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicles and Drivers.
- Item 8 to be deleted: This can be deleted as all concessionary fares issues are now dealt with by KCC.

The current terms of reference are set out below for ease of reference:-

1. To review and make recommendations to Council upon policy in licensing matters under the Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1982 Schedule 3 (Sex Establishments) and Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1982 Schedule 4 (Street Trading) and the statement of principles;
2. To discharge the Council's functions as a Licensing Authority under the Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1982, within agreed policies;
3. To arrange for the delegation of any of the licensing functions exercisable by the Committee to an Officer of the Licensing Authority subject to the limitations set out in Schedule 3 and Schedule 4 of the Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1982;
4. To consider enforcement action against Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicle Operators under the Local Government Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1976 and Town Police Clauses Act 1984;
5. To discharge functions under Part C of Schedule 1 of the Local Authorities (Functions and Responsibilities)(England) Regulations 2000;
6. To exercise the Council's functions under any of the relevant statutory provisions relating to Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974, as far as they are the responsibility of the District Council, as specified in Section C of Schedule 1 of the local Authorities (Functions and Responsibilities) (England) Regulations 2000 (as amended).
7. To make recommendations to Council on matters relating to the Council's responsibilities in respect of Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicles.
8. To consider the further issues and implications of the possible introduction of a transport token/voucher scheme.
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