

Licensing Committee

Powers and Duties

Subject to the Council's Constitution, the discharge of its functions as set out below:

- Licensing functions set out in the Licensing Act 2003 and any amendments thereto
- Licensing functions set out in the Gambling Act 2005 and any amendments thereto
- Hackney Carriages and Private Hire Vehicles, Drivers and Operators, Licensing and Registration.
- Caravan site, moveable dwelling and campsite licensing.
- Licensing of sex shops, sex cinemas, sexual entertainment venues and performances of hypnotism.
- Health & Safety at Work Enforcement:
- Animal control and welfare licensing including killing, selling and dealing in Game.
- Slaughterhouses, rag flock filling premises, scrap yards, meat products, dairy and egg production premises, food preparation premises, poultry packing stations and knacker's yards registration and licensing.
- House-to-house and street collections licensing.
- To hear representations from
 - (i) applicants, in cases where the application for a Street Trading Consent has been refused by the Head of Housing, Health and Communities
 - (ii) the holder of a Street Trading Consent which has been revoked by the Head of Housing, Health and Communities.
- To hear representations from
 - (i) applicants, in cases where the application for a Licence to place tables and chairs on the highway has been refused by the Head of Administration or has been issued with conditions
 - (ii) the holder of a licence to place tables and chairs on the highway which has been suspended by the Head of Administration
- To authorise Officers identified in the Council's Scheme of Delegation to enter land or premises and to carry out any act included in the legislation pertaining to the above Powers and Duties.