

Licensing Sub-Committee Agenda



**2.00 p.m., 9th December, 2008,
Committee Room No. 1
Town Hall, Darlington**

Members appointed to the Sub-Committee : Councillors Dunstone, Hartley and Nutt.

Members of the Public are welcome to attend this Meeting.

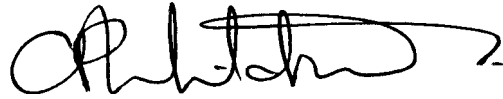
1. Election of Chair.
2. Attendance at Meeting.
3. Declarations of Interest.

EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS

4. To consider the exclusion of the Public and Press :-

RECOMMENDED - That, pursuant to Sections 100A(4) and (5) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the ensuing items on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in exclusion paragraphs 1 and 7 of Part I of Schedule 12A of the Act.

5. Application for Personal Licence – Director of Corporate Services (report enclosed)
(Exclusion Paragraphs 1 and 7).



Paul Wildsmith
Director of Corporate Services

1st December, 2008

Town Hall,
Darlington.

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Arabic

إذا رغبت الحصول على هذه النشرة بلغة أخرى غير اللغة الإنجليزية نرجو الاتصال بنا على رقم الهاتف التالي 01325 388351 مع ذكر رقم الإشارة.

Bengali

যদি আপনার ইংরেজী ছাড়া অন্য কোন ভাষায় এই প্রকাশনাটির দরকার থাকে, তাহলে নম্বরে যোগাযোগ করুন এবং সূত্র নম্বর উল্লেখ করুন। 01325 388351

Cantonese

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Hindi

यदि आप यह प्रकाशन अंग्रेज़ी के अलावा अन्य भाषा में चाहते हैं तो कृपया संदर्भ नम्बर (रेफरन्स नम्बर) बताकर निम्नलिखित 01325 388351 पर संपर्क करें।

Punjabi

ਜੇ ਇਹ ਪਰਚਾ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਅੰਗਰੇਜ਼ੀ ਤੋਂ ਬਿਨਾਂ ਕਿਸੇ ਹੋਰ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਵਿਚ ਚਾਹੀਦਾ ਹੈ, ਤਾਂ ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਸਾਨੂੰ ਨੰਬਰ 01325 388351 'ਤੇ ਫੋਨ ਕਰੋ ਅਤੇ ਰੈਫਰੈਂਸ (ਹਵਾਲਾ) ਨੰਬਰ ਦੱਸੋ।

Urdu

اگر آپ کو یہ کتابچہ انگریزی کے علاوہ کسی دوسری زبان میں درکار ہو تو براہ مہربانی ٹیلیفون نمبر 01325 388351 پر فون کر کے حوالہ نمبر بتائیں۔

Polish

Jeśli chciał(a)by Pan(i) otrzymać polską wersję językową tego dokumentu, proszę zadzwonić pod numer 01325 388351 i podać numer identyfikacyjny dokumentu.

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Access to information and meetings

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All meetings shall be adjourned immediately on hearing the sound of the fire alarm. The alarm is a continuous siren. On hearing the alarm please leave the building by the nearest emergency exit. There are emergency exits at each end of the Committee Suite. On leaving the building please assemble in St. Cuthbert's Churchyard next to the Town Hall. Please do not return to the building until you are told to do so by a Council employee.

Toilets

There are male, female and disabled toilets in the Committee Suite area on the first floor.

Access for Disabled People

There are allocated car parking spaces adjacent to the main entrance to the Town Hall and also at the rear of the Town Hall for people with disabilities. The Committee Suite is located on the first floor and the entrance to the Public Gallery is on the second floor. Lifts are available to both floors, however if you require assistance please do not hesitate to ask for assistance at the Reception Desk. There is also an induction loop system in the Council Chamber.

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Representation

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