

LICENSING AND GAMBLING ACTS SUB-COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 23 JULY 2026

Present: Cllrs Derek Beer (Chair), Jill Haynes and Emma Parker

Officers present (for all or part of the meeting):

Philip Crowther (Legal Business Partner - Regulatory), Kathryn Miller (Senior Licensing Officer) and Joshua Kennedy (Democratic and Governance Officer)

Others (for all or part of the meeting): Fiona Smyth (Home Office)

7. Election of Chair and Statement for the Procedure of the Meeting

Proposed by Cllr Haynes and seconded by Cllr Parker.

Decision:

To elect Cllr Beer as Chair for the duration of the meeting.

8. Apologies

No apologies for absence were received at the meeting.

9. Declarations of Interest

No declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests were made at the meeting.

10. Application to Review The Premises Licence for Surfside Diner, 31 New Street, Weymouth

The Licensing officer outlined the report. An application had been made to review the late-night refreshment premises licence for Surfside Diner, 31 New Steet, Weymouth. The application had been out to public consultation. A licensing Sub-Committee had to consider the application and representation at a public hearing.

It was explained that an email had been received from the license holder requesting an adjournment to allow the applicant to address the committee properly and with the relevant paperwork.

Decision:

To adjourn the item and to reconvene on the 18th of August 2026.

11. Urgent items

There were no urgent items.

12. **Exempt Business**

There was no exempt business.

Duration of meeting: 11.30 - 11.41 am

Chairman

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