

# Licensing and Gambling Acts Sub-Committee

**Date:** Tuesday, 1 September 2026  
**Time:** 1.30 pm  
**Venue:** Council Chamber, County Hall, Dorchester, DT1 1XJ

**Members (Quorum: 3)**

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**Chief Executive:** Catherine Howe, County Hall, Dorchester, Dorset DT1 1XJ

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## Agenda

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| 1.   | <b>ELECTION OF CHAIR AND STATEMENT FOR THE PROCEDURE OF THE MEETING</b>                                                                                                                                           | 3 - 6 |
|      | To elect a Chairman for the meeting and the Chairman to present and explain the procedure for the meeting.                                                                                                        |       |
| 2.   | <b>APOLOGIES</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                  |       |
|      | To receive any apologies for absence.                                                                                                                                                                             |       |
| 3.   | <b>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</b>                                                                                                                                                                                   |       |
|      | To disclose any pecuniary, other registrable or non-registrable interests as set out in the adopted Code of Conduct. In making their disclosure councillors are asked to state the agenda item, the nature of the |       |

interest and any action they propose to take as part of their declaration. If required, further advice should be sought from the Monitoring Officer in advance of the meeting.

**4. APPLICATION FOR A NEW PREMISES LICENCE FOR THE CRANBOURNE HUNDRED (SMUGGLERS HAUNT) RINGWOOD ROAD, FERNDOWN.**

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An application has been made for a new Premises Licence for the Cranbourne Hundred, formerly known as the Smugglers Haunt, Ringwood Road, Ferndown. The application has been out to public consultation, and a representation has been received. A Licensing Sub-Committee must consider the application and representation at a public hearing.

**5. URGENT ITEMS**

To consider any items of business which the Chairman has had prior notification and considers to be urgent pursuant to section 100B (4) b) of the Local Government Act 1972. The reason for the urgency shall be recorded in the minutes.

**6. EXEMPT BUSINESS**

To move the exclusion of the press and the public for the following item in view of the likely disclosure of exempt information within the meaning of paragraph 3 of schedule 12 A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended). The public and the press will be asked to leave the meeting whilst the item of business is considered.

**There are no exempt items scheduled for this meeting.**