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## Minutes of a meeting of the Licensing Committee on Monday 6 September 2010 at City Hall, Bradford

Commenced 1010

Concluded 1155

### PRESENT – Councillors

CONSERVATIVE	LABOUR	LIBERAL DEMOCRAT
Townend	Amin	Ahmed
Walls	Dredge	
	Sajawal Hussain	
	Ruding	

Apologies: Councillors Chadwick, L'Amie and Pullen

### Councillor Ruding in the Chair

#### 5. DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

No disclosures of interest in matters under consideration were received.

#### 6. MINUTES

##### Resolved -

- (1) That the minutes of the Committee meeting held on 7 June 2010 be signed as a correct record (previously circulated).
- (2) That the minutes of the Licensing Panel held on the following date be signed as a correct record (previously circulated):

##### **Bradford Licensing Panel**

16 August 2010

#### 7. INSPECTION OF REPORTS AND BACKGROUND PAPERS

There were no appeals submitted by the public to review decisions to restrict documents.



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Suzan Hemmingway, Assistant Director Corporate Services (City Solicitor)



## 8. LICENSING ACT 2003 – HOME OFFICE CONSULTATION

The Assistant Director, Corporate Services (City Solicitor) presented the Home Office Consultation '*Rebalancing the Licensing Act – A Consultation on Empowering Individuals, Families and Local Communities to Shape and Determine Local Licensing*' (Appendix 1 to Document "A").

Members were requested to provide comments on the proposed views formulated by the Assistant Director, Corporate Services (City Solicitor) prior to the preparation of a formal response.

During the discussion a number of points were raised and the appropriate proposed responses were amended in accordance with Members' comments.

### **Resolved –**

**That the Assistant Director, Corporate Services (City Solicitor), be requested to prepare a response to the Home Office Consultation document '*Rebalancing the Licensing Act – A Consultation on Empowering Individuals, Families and Local Communities to Shape and Determine Local Licensing*' paying due regard to the comments of Members.**

**ACTION: Assistant Director Corporate Services (City Solicitor)**

Chair

**Note: These minutes are subject to approval as a correct record at the next meeting of the Committee.**

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