COUNCIL MEETING – 22 JANUARY 2019

REPORT OF THE FULL LICENSING (LICENSING ACT) COMMITTEE

18 December 2018

Present: Councillors Ekins (Chairman), Harrington (Vice-Chairman), Aslam, Griffiths, Lloyd, Morrall, Scarbororough, Simmons, V Waters and Ward.

Also present: Mrs A Wilcox (Principal Environmental Health Manager) and Mrs C A Mundy (Democratic Services Officer).

The meeting commenced at 3.30pm.

1. **APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMAN**

   **RESOLVED** that Councillor Ekins be appointed as chairman for this full committee.

2. **APOLOGIES**

   Apologies were received from Councillors Bell, Maguire and Walia.

3. **DECLARATIONS**

   There were no declarations made.

4. **GAMBLING ACT 2005 STATEMENT OF LICENSING POLICY: THREE YEARLY REVIEW**

   The annexed circulated report of the director of place and strategic growth was received to seek approval to adopt the reviewed Gambling Act 2005 Policy Statement which was appended to the report.

   Councillor Griffiths referred to the resolution made by the full licensing committee in September and asked the principal environmental health manager, to pass on the council’s support to the government in relation to its actions in reducing the maximum stake on fixed odds betting terminals.

   **R1 RECOMMENDED** that the Gambling Act 2005 Policy Statement as appended to the report be adopted.

The meeting concluded at 3.40pm.

Chairman