

Licensing Committee - 21st February 2006

Report title: Member Training for the Licensing Act 2003

Report of: The Lead Officer Licensing

Ward(s) affected N/A

1. Purpose

To report on the current position of Member training, and the need to train/re-train existing/new Members for the next municipal year.

2. Recommendations

- (i) To task officers to complete an audit of Member training in respect of the Licensing Act 2003 in order to ascertain which members require re-training.
- (ii) To appoint James Button and Co as the preferred supplier of training instructions (either in-house or off-site) for existing and new members.
- (iii) To task members and officers to embark on a comprehensive training programme in line with the introduction of the Gambling Act 2005.
- (iv) Recommendations (i) to (iii) above to be completed in conjunction with the Training and Information Manager, Member Services.

Report authorised by: Robin Payne.....

Assistant Director Enforcement Services

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3. Executive summary

For consideration by Sub Committee under Licensing Act 2003 for a New Premises licence

4. Access to information:

Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985

Background Papers

The following Background Papers are used in the preparation of this Report:

N/A

The Background Papers are located at Enforcement Service, Civic Centre, High Road Wood Green N22

5. REPORT

Background

- 5.1 The last major round of training for members facilitated by the Licensing Service was undertaken between ? and ?, as a result of the new Licensing Act 2003.
- **5.2** All officers involved in the new Act (Environmental Services and Member Services) have been trained
- **5.3** James Button:
- 5.4 James Button & Co., Solicitors
 Public Health Legal Information Unit
 7 Devonshire Drive
 Rowsley
 Matlock
 Derbyshire
 DE4 2HB
- 5.5 COSTS = c£120pp off-site = c£?? in-house

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- 6. RELEVANT REPRESENTATIONS (CONSULTATION)
 - 6.1.
 - 6.2.
 - 6.3.

7.0 Interested Parties

No letters of representation have been received against this application.

8.0 Financial Comments

The fee which would be applicable for this application was £190.00

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