

# Agenda

## Licensing & Gambling Acts Casework Sub-Committee



### Gorillas Technologies UK Ltd - Premises Licence

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This meeting will be held on:

Date: **Tuesday 6 July 2021**

Time: **6.00 pm**

Place: **Zoom - Remote meeting**

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## Committee Membership

Councillors: Membership 3: Quorum 3: No substitutes are permitted.

Councillor Mary Clarkson

Councillor Paula Dunne

Councillor Chris Jarvis

Councillor Katherine Miles (reserve)

Apologies and notification of substitutes received before the publication are shown under *Apologies for absence* in the agenda. Those sent after publication will be reported at the meeting. Substitutes for the Chair and Vice-chair do not take on these roles.

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<b>1 Election of Chair for the hearing</b>	
To confirm the Chair of this Sub-Committee for the duration of this hearing.	
<b>2 Procedure for the hearing (held remotely on Zoom)</b>	5 - 10
The hearing procedures are attached. These are written for a physical meeting.	
The following points apply to a virtual meeting:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The parts of the meeting open to the public are streamed to the Council's YouTube channel.</li><li>• Sub-Committee members should join the meeting 15 minutes before the start time.</li><li>• Others taking part should join a few minutes before their hearing starts.</li><li>• When participants join the meeting, they should use a name that</li></ul>	

clearly identifies them.

- Participants will join the waiting room but won't, initially, be able to take part until admitted.
- Microphones should be kept on mute at all times unless asked to speak. Video feed may be kept off or on.
- When it is a participant's turn to speak, the Chair will ask them to speak.
- Once the case has been heard and questions put, the Sub-Committee will go into private session for a short while to consider the application.
- All participants apart from the legal adviser will be put into the waiting room, and may wait, or may leave the meeting and await the video or written decision.
- The meeting will then be re-opened and those waiting will be invited to re-join the meeting to hear the Sub-Committee's decision.

### **3 Gorillas Technologies UK Ltd, Unit 78-81 Magdalen Road, Oxford: Application for a New Premises Licence**

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The Sub-Committee is asked to determine the application for a new premises licence made by Gorillas Technologies UK Ltd, Unit 78-81 Magdalen Road, taking into account the details in the attached report and any representations made at the hearing.

## **Information for those attending**

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The Chair of the meeting has absolute discretion to suspend or terminate any activities that in his or her opinion are disruptive.

### **Councillors declaring interests**

#### **General duty**

You must declare any disclosable pecuniary interests when the meeting reaches the item on the agenda headed "Declarations of Interest" or as soon as it becomes apparent to you.

#### **What is a disclosable pecuniary interest?**

Disclosable pecuniary interests relate to your\* employment; sponsorship (ie payment for expenses incurred by you in carrying out your duties as a councillor or towards your election expenses); contracts; land in the Council's area; licenses for land in the Council's area; corporate tenancies; and securities. These declarations must be recorded in each councillor's Register of Interests which is publicly available on the Council's website.

#### **Declaring an interest**

Where any matter disclosed in your Register of Interests is being considered at a meeting, you must declare that you have an interest. You should also disclose the nature as well as the existence of the interest. If you have a disclosable pecuniary interest, after having declared it at the meeting you must not participate in discussion or voting on the item and must withdraw from the meeting whilst the matter is discussed.

#### **Members' Code of Conduct and public perception**

Even if you do not have a disclosable pecuniary interest in a matter, the Members' Code of Conduct says that a member "must serve only the public interest and must never improperly confer an advantage or disadvantage on any person including yourself" and that "you must not place yourself in situations where your honesty and integrity may be questioned". The matter of interests must be viewed within the context of the Code as a whole and regard should continue to be paid to the perception of the public.

\*Disclosable pecuniary interests that must be declared are not only those of the member her or himself but also those member's spouse, civil partner or person they are living with as husband or wife or as if they were civil partners.