Appendix C: Proposed amendments to the Council's Constitution

Proposed additions are set out in bold italics. Proposed removals are struck through.

5.7 (b) Who carries out the responsibility?

Council sets policies on licensing and registration.

The General Purposes Licensing Committee:

- reviews and recommends policies on licensing and registration to Council
- reviews and recommends to Council fees and charges as necessary in line with the relevant legislation
- agrees a charity collections scheme
- appoints a General Purposes Licensing Casework Sub-committee to:
 - o decide sex establishment licence applications when there are objections
 - decide *new* street trading applications that are for longer than three months
 - o decide applications to renew street trading permission when there has been a complaint about the trader or the trader has broken the conditions of their street trading permission in the past year or where there is competition for a vacant approved site.
 - Where a trader is in breach of condition as a result of being in arrears, the Head of Regulatory Services and Community Safety has discretion only to refer significant debt that they feel is not being managed to the General Purposes Licensing Casework Sub-Committee for determination of Consent renewal.
 - decide whether to suspend, extend a period of suspension, end a suspension, vary or revoke a Street Trading Consent for cases referred to the Sub-Committee by the Head of Regulatory Services and Community Safety.

