

LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE (STREET TRADING) PROCEDURE

- 1. The Chair will ask everyone present to introduce themselves.
- 2. The Chair will briefly explain the procedure to members of the public.
- 3. The Licensing Officer will open the hearing with an outline of the relevant details of the application.
- 4. The applicant or his/her representative will be invited to present his/her case, at the conclusion of which he/she, together with any witnesses he/she may have called, may be questioned by Members of the Sub-Committee.
- 5. The Sub-Committee may then invite comments from Officers and, if appropriate, representatives of such bodies as the Police and Fire Authority, following which any objectors, and others wishing to make representations in respect of the application, will be invited to make their submissions. Members of the Sub-Committee may ask questions of all those present.
- 6. The applicant will then be allowed to make a final statement in response to any objections that have been raised.
- 7. At the conclusion of the hearing, the stage at which the Sub-Committee will wish to deliberate upon the application, the applicant will be asked to withdraw together with all other parties present. If it is necessary to recall any party to provide further information or clarification all parties at the hearing must be invited to return.
- 8. When the Sub-Committee has reached its conclusions, the parties will be recalled and its decision will be announced to the applicant, accompanied by, as appropriate, a description of any conditions which are to be attached to the grant of a Licence/Consent.