

LICENSING APPLICATIONS SUB-COMMITTEE 1 MINUTES - 15 SEPTEMBER 2015

Present: Councillors Woodward (Chair), D Edwards and Vickers.

9. MINUTES

The Minutes of the meeting of Licensing Applications Sub-Committee 2 held on 31 July 2015 were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

10. APPLICATION FOR THE GRANT OF AN ADULT GAMING CENTRE LICENCE - 365-367 OXFORD ROAD, READING

The Head of Planning, Development and Regulatory Services submitted a report on an application by Riva Bowl LLP (Gambling Operating Licence 7209) for the grant of an Adult Gaming Centre Licence for premises located at 365-367 Oxford Road, Reading, RG30 1HA.

A copy of Reading Borough Council's statement of Licensing Principles was attached at Appendix I and the Gambling Commission Guidance concerning the Licensing Objectives were attached at Appendix II. A copy of the application form and a plan showing the location of the premises was attached at Appendix III. Representations against the application had been received from local residents and Alok Sharma MP, and were attached to the report at Appendix IV.

The applicant was not present.

Resolved - That the application for the grant of an Adult Gaming Centre Licence under the Gambling Act 2005 in respect of 365-367 Oxford Road, Reading, be deferred until a future meeting of Licensing Applications Sub-Committee 1 to allow the applicant to attend.

(Councillor Vickers declared an interest in this item. Nature of interest: Councillor Vickers knew Alok Sharma MP, who had made a representation against the application).

(The meeting started at 5.00pm and finished at 5.10pm)