

**LICENSING COMMITTEE**  
**30 January 2020**



Report sponsor: Richard Antcliff – Director of Public Protection and Streetpride

**ITEM 05**

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## **General Licensing Fees and Charges 2020/21**

### **Purpose**

- 1.1 The Public Protection Service annually reviews its fees and charges across the range of services it provides. This is to ensure that they reflect the cost of delivering services and that any inflationary cost increases are taken into account.
- 1.2 The proposed fees and charges for 2020/21 commencing 1 April 2020 are set out in Appendices 1 and 2. Appendix 3 outlines the fees that are set wholly by statute. The amounts charged are either set by statute or are based on recovering the costs incurred.
- 1.3 All charges are outside the scope of VAT.

### **Recommendations**

- 2.1 To approve the proposed fees and charges for 2020/21 set out at Appendix 1 and Appendix 2.
- 2.2 To note the statutory fees and charges made under the Licensing Act 2003 set out at Appendix 3.

### **Reason**

- 3.1 To ensure that the fees and charges for services provided during the next administrative year comply with and can be justified on the basis of statutory cost recovery principles, where applicable.

## **Supporting information**

4.1 As part of the 2020/21 budget preparation, the Public Protection Service has reviewed their fees and charges. This annual review is necessary to ensure that:

- Any additional costs (or efficiencies) of providing the service are incorporated
- Fees and charges reflect the cost of delivering the service

The proposed general licensing fees and charges for 2020/21 are set out in the appendices set out in the report.

4.2 Appendix 1 sets out the proposed fees for a number of different licence, registrations and permits the service administers and are based on cost recovery and inflationary cost increases.

4.3 Appendix 2 sets out the proposed fees chargeable under the Gambling Act 2005. Licence fees, where permitted, are based on cost recovery and inflationary cost increases up to the maximum permitted level. Some of these fees and charges are set by statute.

4.4 Appendix 3 sets out all fees chargeable under the Licensing Act 2003. All these fees and charges are set in statute.

## **Public/stakeholder engagement**

5.1 None applicable.

## **Other options**

6.1 None.

## **Financial and value for money issues**

7.1 The proposed fees and charges are either statutorily set or calculated on the basis of recovering the cost of running the service.

7.2 All charges are outside the scope of VAT.

**Legal implications**

8.1 Unless otherwise stated, the fees and charges set out in Appendices 1 and 2 are not fixed in statute and are set at the discretion of the local authority. With the exception of discretionary services, the generally applicable principle is that non-statutorily prescribed fees and charges must be set at a level that properly reflects the cost of delivering the service.

**Other significant implications**

9.1 None arising from this report.

**This report has been approved by the following people:**

<b>Role</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Date of sign-off</b>
<b>Legal</b>	Olu Idowu	13/01/20
<b>Finance</b>	Amanda Fletcher	17/01/20
<b>Service Director(s)</b>	n/a	
<b>Report sponsor</b>	Richard Antcliff	20/01/20
<b>Other(s)</b>	-	

## Appendix 1

### Proposed General Licensing Fees and Charges for 2020/21

Licence / Registration Type	Current Fee 2019/20	Proposed Fee 2020/21
<b>Providing or Arranging Boarding for Cats or Dogs</b>		
Boarding for Cats Licence New	£420	£433
Boarding for Cats Licence Renewal	£254	£275
Boarding in Kennels for Dogs Licence	£420	£433
Boarding in Kennels for Dogs Renewal	£254	£275
Home Boarding for Dogs Licence New	£321	£338
Home Boarding for Dogs Licence Renewal	£208	£227
Day Care for Dogs Licence (Domestic Premises) New	£321	£338
Day Care for Dogs Licence (Domestic Premises) Renewal	£208	£243
Day Care for Dogs Licence (Commercial Premises) New	£400	£433
Day Care for Dogs Licence (Commercial Premises) Renewal	£294	£338
<b>Breeding Dogs</b>		
Breeding Dogs Licence (1-5 bitches) New & Renewal (not including vet fees if required)	£340	£370
Breeding Dogs Licence (6-10 bitches) New & Renewal (not including vet fees if required)	£553	£623
Breeding Dogs Licence (11 & above bitches) New & Renewal (not including vet fees if required)	£633	£718
<b>Selling Animals as Pets</b>		
New (not including vet fees if required)	£420	£433
Renewal (not including vet fees if required)	£254	£275
<b>Hiring out Horses</b>		
Horses 10 and under New & Renewal (not including vet fees)	£633	£742
Horses 11 and above New & Renewal (not including vet fees)	£700	£821
<b>Re-score Inspection for all animal licensing activities listed above</b>	£80	£155
<b>Keeping or Training Animals for Exhibition (3yr licence)</b>		
Keeping or Training Animal for Exhibition Licence New	£228	£267
Keeping or Training Animal for Exhibition Licence Renewal	£188	£219
<b>Dangerous Wild Animals</b>		
New & Renewal (not including vet fees if required)	£433	£481
<b>Skin Piercing</b>		
Skin Piercing - Premises	£128	£132
Body Piercing - Personal	£208	£219
Tattooing - Personal	£208	£219

Acupuncture - Personal	£188	£196
Ear Piercing Only - Personal	£155	£156
Electrolysis - Personal	£188	£196
Semi-Perm Skin Col. - Personal	£210	£219
<b>Hypnotism</b>		
Hypnotism Licence	No Charge	No Charge
<b>Sex Establishments</b>		
Sex Establishment (New)	£1,061	£1,163
Sex Establishment (Renewal)	£239	£280
Sex Establishment (Amendment to Licence/Conditions)	£865	£930
<b>Caravan Sites</b>		
Caravan Site - New	£1,399	£1,555
Caravan Site - Annual Fee	£350	£399
Caravan Site - Amendment or Transfer	£1,227	£1,353
Depositing of Site Rules	£13	£9
Enforcement Costs * per hour	£80	£95
<b>Scrap Metal</b>		
Site Licence	£360	£403
Collectors Licence	£269	£301
Variation - Site Manager (requiring a suitability test)	£900	£975
Variation - Site Manager (not requiring a suitability test)	£36	£42
Variation – Change to Site Address	£36	£42
Conversion form a Site to a Collectors Licence	£36	£42
Conversion from a Collectors to a Site Licence	£36	£42
Change of Name and / or Address (admin change)	£23	£27
Replacement Licence	£16	£18
Addition of a New Site onto an existing Site Licence	£124	£141
<b>Distribution of Free Printed Literature</b>		
Annual Fee per permit	£132	£150
14 day per permit	£69	£77
Replacement Permit	£23	£27
<b>Exhumation</b>		
Exhumation	£372	£443
<b>Street Trading</b>		
Street Trading Licence/Consent*	£284	£310
*may be subject to change following review of policy		

## Appendix 2

### Proposed Gambling Fees and Charges for 2020/21

Gambling Fees by Licence / Permit Type – (NB. some fees are maximum permitted set by statute)	Current Fee 2019/20	Maximum Permitted Or Statutory Amount	Proposed Fee 2020/21
<b>Casinos</b>			
Casino (Existing) - Annual Fee	£558	£3,000	£646
Casino (Existing) - Variation	£1,363	£2,000	£1,487
Casino (Existing) - Transfer	£1,236	£1,350	£1,343
Casino (Existing) - Reinstatement	£1,260	£1,350	£1,350
Casino (Existing) - Copy Licence	set by statute	£25	£25
Casino (Existing) - Notification of Change	set by statute	£50	£50
Casino - Regional - New (none permitted)	n/a	n/a	n/a
Casino - Large - New (none permitted)	n/a	n/a	n/a
Casino (Small) - New	£1,575	£8,000	£1,740
Casino (Small) - Annual Fee	£558	£5,000	£646
Casino (Small) - Variation	£1,469	£4,000	£1,621
Casino (Small) - Transfer	£1,469	£1,800	£1,621
Casino (Small) - Provisional Statement (P.S)	£1,363	£8,000	£1,487
Casino (Small) - Licence following PS	£567	£3,000	£645
Casino (Small) - Reinstatement	£1,086	£1,800	£1,165
Casino (Small) - Copy Licence	set by statute	£25	£25
Casino (Small) - Notification of Change	set by statute	£50	£50
<b>Bingo Club</b>			
New	£1,425	£3,500	£1,585
Annual Fee	£562	£1,000	£655
Variation	£1,349	£1,750	£1,499
Transfer	£1,200	£1,200	£1,200
Reinstatement	£1,037	£1,200	£1,137
Provisional Statement	£1,060	£3,500	£1,160
Licence following PS	£532	£1,750	£606
Copy Licence	set by statute	£25	£25
Notification of Change	set by statute	£50	£50
<b>Betting Premises (excluding tracks)</b>			
New	£1,425	£3,000	£1,585
Annual Fee	£562	£600	£600
Variation	£1,349	£1,500	£1,499
Transfer	£1,200	£1,200	£1,200

Reinstatement	£944	£1,200	£1,026
Provisional Statement	£1,266	£3,000	£1,416
Licence following PS	£567	£1,200	£645
Copy Licence	set by statute	£25	£25
Notification of Change	set by statute	£50	£50

### **Betting Premises (Tracks)**

New	£1,213	£2,500	£1,347
Annual Fee	£539	£1,000	£629
Variation	£1,250	£1,250	£1,250
Transfer	£950	£950	£950
Reinstatement	£950	£950	£950
Provisional Statement	£1,018	£2,500	£1,123
Licence following PS	£526	£950	£586
Copy Licence	set by statute	£25	£25
Notification of Change	set by statute	£50	£50

### **Adult Gaming Centres**

New	£1,366	£2,000	£1,519
Annual Fee	£539	£1,000	£629
Variation	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000
Transfer	£1,200	£1,200	£1,200
Reinstatement	£1,037	£1,200	£1,137
Provisional Statement	£995	£2,000	£1,097
Licence following PS	£532	£1,200	£606
Copy Licence	set by statute	£25	£25
Notification of Change	set by statute	£50	£50

### **Family Entertainment Centres**

New	£1,366	£2,000	£1,519
Annual Fee	£539	£750	£629
Variation	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000
Transfer	£950	£950	£950
Reinstatement	£922	£950	£950
Provisional Statement	£995	£2,000	£1,097
Licence following PS	£532	£950	£606
Copy Licence	set by statute	£25	£25
Notification of Change	set by statute	£50	£50

### **Permits**

#### **UFEC Gaming Machine**

New Application (10 year duration)	set by statute	£300	£300
Renewal (10 year duration)	set by statute	£300	£300
Transitional Application	set by statute	£100	£100
Change of Name	set by statute	£25	£25
Copy of Permit	set by statute	£15	£15

#### **Prize Gaming**

New Application (10 year duration)	set by statute	£300	£300
Renewal (10 year duration)	set by statute	£300	£300
Transitional Application	set by statute	£100	£100

Change of Name	set by statute	£25	£25
Copy of Permit	set by statute	£15	£15
<b>Gaming Machine</b>			
Transitional Application	set by statute	£100	£100
New	set by statute	£150	£150
Annual Fee	set by statute	£50	£50
Variation	set by statute	£100	£100
Transfer / Change of Name	set by statute	£25	£25
Copy of Permit	set by statute	£15	£15
Gaming Machine Notification (2 or less machine)	set by statute	£50	£50
<b>Club Gaming</b>			
Renewal & Transitional (10 year duration)	set by statute	£100	£100
New (10 year duration)	set by statute	£100	£100
Annual Fee	set by statute	£50	£50
Variation	set by statute	£100	£100
Copy Permit	set by statute	£15	£15
<b>Club Machine</b>			
Renewal & Transitional (10 year duration)	set by statute	£100	£100
New Application (10 year duration)	set by statute	£100	£100
Annual Fee	set by statute	£50	£50
Variation	set by statute	£50	£50
Copy of Permit	set by statute	£15	£15
<b>Small Society Lottery Registration</b>			
Registration	set by statute	£40	£40
Renewal	set by statute	£20	£20
<b>Temporary Use Notice</b>			
Temp Use Notice (TUN)	£513	n/a	£520
Modification of TUN	£13	£13	£13
<b>Occasional Use Notice</b>			
Occasional Use Notice (OUN)	set by statute	No Charge	No Charge

## Appendix 3

### Licensing Act 2003 Fees and Charges for 2020/21

<b>Premises Licences and Club Premises Certificate</b>		<b>Statutory Fee</b>
<b>New or Variation</b>		
Premises with a rateable value of £0 - £4300	Band A -	£100
Premises with a rateable value of £4301 - £33,000	Band B -	£190
Premises with a rateable value of £33,001 - £87,000	Band C -	£315
Premises with a rateable value of £87,001 - £125,000	Band D -	£450
Premises with a rateable value of £125,001 and over	Band E -	£635
<b>Annual Fees</b>		
Premises with a rateable value of £0 - £4300	Band A -	£70
Premises with a rateable value of £4301 - £33,000	Band B -	£180
Premises with a rateable value of £33,001 - £87,000	Band C -	£295
Premises with a rateable value of £87,001 - £125,000	Band D -	£320
Premises with a rateable value of £125,001 and over	Band E -	£350
<b>Other Fees</b>		
Minor variation to club certificate or premises licence		£89
Copy of premises licence		£10.50
Copy of club premises certificate		£10.50
Change of premises name		£10.50
Change of name or address of licence holder		£10.50
Transfer of premises licence		£23
Interim authority notice		£23
Notification of interest in premises		£21
Change of relevant registered address of club		£10.50
Notification of change of name or alteration of club rules		£10.50
Application to vary an individual as designated premises supervisor		£23
Disapplication of DPS in community premises		£23
Provisional statement		£315
<b>Temporary Event Notices</b>		
Temporary event notice		£21
Copy of temporary event notice		£10.50

**Personal Licence**

New	£37
Change of name or address	£10.50
Copy of personal licence	£10.50

**Exceptionally Large Events Application / Variation Application  
(based on capacity)**

5,000 - 9,999	£1,000
10,000 – 14,999	£2,000
15,000 – 19,999	£4,000
20,000 – 29,999	£8,000
30,000 – 39,999	£16,000
40,000 – 49,999	£24,000
50,000 – 59,999	£32,000
80,000 – 89,999	£56,000
90,000 and over	£64,000

**Exceptionally Large Events Annual Fee (based on capacity)**

5,000 - 9,999	£500
10,000 -14,999	£1,000
15,000 -19,999	£2,000
20,000 - 29,999	£4,000
30,000 - 39,000	£8,000
40,000 - 49,000	£12,000
50,000 - 59,999	£16,000
60,000 - 69,999	£20,000
70,000 – 79,999	£24,000
80,000 – 89,999	£28,000
90,000 and over	£32,000