



**Meeting:** Licensing and Appeals Committee

Date: Monday 4th March, 2024

**Time:** 7.00 pm

Venue: Council Chamber, Corby Cube, George Street, Corby, Northants, NN17 1QG

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To members of the Licensing and Appeals Committee

Councillor Jonathan Ekins (Chair), Councillor Jennie Bone (Vice-Chair), Councillor Ross Armour, Councillor Lyn Buckingham, Councillor John Currall, Councillor Clive Hallam, Councillor Dorothy Maxwell, Councillor Dr Anup Pandey, Councillor Geoff Shacklock, Councillor Chris Smith-Haynes, Councillor Malcolm Waters, Councillor Keli Watts and Councillor Lee Wilkes

(Substitutes: Cllrs C Brown, S Brown, Carr, K Harrison, Jelley, L Lawman, McEwan, J McGhee, Prentice, Smyth, Sims, Tye and Ward).

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	Proper Officer			
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Members of	If you want to address this committee you will need to give two full	5pm
the public	working days' notice before the meeting.	Wednesday
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statements	You can make a statement which must relate to the agenda item. You will be expected to attend the meeting to read out your statement and will have a maximum of three minutes. Your statement will be considered during the subsequent debate.	

If you wish to register to speak, please contact the committee administrator as detailed above.

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Where a matter arises at a meeting which **relates to** other Registerable Interests, you must declare the interest. You may speak on the matter only if members of the public are also allowed to speak at the meeting but must not take part in any vote on the matter unless you have been granted a dispensation.

Where a matter arises at a meeting which **relates to** your own financial interest (and is not a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest) or **relates to** a financial interest of a relative, friend or close associate, you must disclose the interest and not vote on the matter unless granted a dispensation. You may speak on the matter only if members of the public are also allowed to speak at the meeting.

Members are reminded that they should continue to adhere to the council's approved rules and protocols during the conduct of meetings. These are contained in the council's approved constitution.

If Members have any queries as to whether a Declaration of Interest should be made please contact the Monitoring Officer at – <u>monitoringofficer@northnorthants.gov.uk</u>