
Licensing and Protection Panel

Report of the meeting held on 29th October 2013

Matters for Information

7. MODEL CONDITIONS FOR PET VENDING LICENSING 2013

The Committee has approved the adoption of the 'New Model Conditions for Pet Vending Licensing 2013'.

The conditions, which replace those currently used by the Council when issuing licenses to pet vendors, have arisen from the recommendations made by a working group set up by the Chartered Institute of Environmental Health. The conditions set out the basic minimum standards considered necessary to ensure the health, safety and welfare of animals in pet shops and seek to minimise the risk of transmission of disease from animals to humans. The conditions which also require lower stocking densities than have been previously deemed acceptable will be used as a guide by the Council when attaching conditions to the licences it issues to pet vendors under the provisions of the Pet Animals Act 1951.

8. LICENSING AND PROTECTION APPLICATIONS SUB-GROUP.

The Panel has noted details of the three meetings of the Applications Sub-Group that took place on 1st July, 23 July and 22 August 2013.

J W Davies
Chairman