## MINUTES OF LICENSING PANEL MEETING - TUESDAY, 10 FEBRUARY 2015

Present:		
Councillor (in the Chair)		
Councillors		
G Coleman	Green	O'Hara
In Attendance:		
Lennox Beattie, Executive and Regulatory Support Manager Sharon Davies, Head of Licensing Service		
Apologies:		
Councillors		
1 APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMAN		
Resolved:		

## **2 DECLARATION OF INTEREST - LICENSING**

There were no declarations of interest on this occasion.

That Councillor Green be appointed Chairman for the meeting.

### **3 PROCEDURE FOR THE MEETING**

The Chairman explained the procedure for the meeting and that a time limit of fifteen minutes had been allocated for all parties.

# 4 APPLICATION FOR THE VARIATION OF A PREMISES LICENCE- NEW SANDRINGHAM COURT HOTEL

The Panel considered an application for the variation of the premises licence in respect of the New Sandringham Court Hotel, 65-69 Reads Avenue to allow regulated entertainment and amending conditions on the licence.

In attendance was the Mr Steven Hopkins of the applicant, Blackpool Party Hotel Limited, and the applicant's solicitor Mr Michael Woosnam in support of the application. Mr Christopher Fox, a local hotelier, spoke in objection to the variation.

The Panel also considered the written submission in objection by Mr and Mrs Noble who were not in attendance.

The Panel considered carefully the evidence submitted by all parties. It noted concern about the circumstances leading to the previous review of the premises but also noted that the current licence holder had not been the licence holder at that time. It sought to agree a compromise between the needs of the licence holder and local residents'

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concerns within the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy.

## Resolved:

That the application in respect of variation of the licence the New Sandringham Court Hotel be granted to allow regulated entertainment on Fridays and Saturdays 11.00am to midnight and 11.00am to 1.00am New Year's Eve. That the restriction on the licence that the licence holder cannot organise subject events be removed in respect of those days.

### Chairman

(The meeting endedTime Not Specified)

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