

**LICENSING AND GAMBLING ACTS
SUB COMMITTEE
(LICENSING ACT 2003 HEARING)**

(Civic Centre, Port Talbot)

Members Present:

17th December, 2012

Chairman: Councillor H.M.Bebell

Councillors: H.N.James and Mrs.S.Paddison

Officers in Attendance: N.Chapple (Licensing Section);
B.Thorne (Legal Section);
Mrs.T.Davies (Committee Section).

**Representatives of
the Police Authority:** P.C. J.Williams

Report of the Head of Legal Services

1. **LICENSING ACT 2003 (HEARINGS) REGULATION 2005 –
APPLICATION FOR A PERSONAL LICENCE**

The Sub Committee was asked to consider an application for a Personal Licence, from P.B. of Port Talbot.

The applicant attended the meeting.

The Licensing Officer outlined the circulated report. Both the applicant and the police then addressed the Sub Committee and answered questions, concerning the circumstances surrounding the relevant convictions, the applicant's subsequent employment and achievements.

Members noted that the police submitted a representation on crime prevention grounds, as the applicant has relevant, unspent convictions recorded on his basic disclosure, as detailed within the circulated report. Members also noted a personal representation tabled by the applicant, which all parties were given time to read.

After considering all representations, the Sub Committee adjourned to make its decision.

RESOLVED: that given the seriousness of the two relevant unspent convictions, and in order to promote the crime prevention objective, the application by P.B. be refused.

CHAIRMAN