

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

(Civic Centre, Port Talbot)

Members Present:

21st May, 2009

Chairman: Councillor E.V.Latham

Vice Chairman: Councillor A.P.H.Davies

Councillor: H.N.James

Officers in Attendance: J.Sullivan, I.Davies and Miss G.Cirillo

**Representatives of the
Police Authority:** Chief Inspector A.Kingdom, Inspector M.Lenihan
and P.C. J.Williams

**Representatives of
Jimmy's Bar:** Mr.J.Hall and Ms.M.McCook

Report of the Head of Legal and Democratic Services

1. **APPLICATION FOR A SUMMARY LICENCE REVIEW –
PREMISES LICENCE – JIMMY'S BAR, 33 STATION ROAD,
PORT TALBOT**

The Sub Committee was asked to consider an application for a Summary Licence Review of a Premises Licence under Section 53A of the Licensing Act 2003 (Premises Associated with Serious Crime and Disorder) regarding the above premises.

Mr.J.Hall (Premises Licence Holder) and Ms.M.McCook were in attendance.

The Licensing Manager, Mr.J.Sullivan, informed the Committee that an application for a Summary Licence Review from the South Wales Police Authority had been received on the 20th May 2009, in respect of Jimmy's Bar.

Mr. Sullivan gave an overview to the Sub Committee of the application for a Summary Licence Review.

The police provided detailed evidence of the incidents referred to in the review application which related to serious crime and serious disorder.

The premises licence holder was given an opportunity to ask questions and make representations.

After hearing all parties the Sub Committee considered whether it was necessary to implement one or more of the following interim steps prior to the review of the licence:-

- (i) modify the conditions of the existing licence;
- (ii) exclude the sale of alcohol;
- (iii) remove the designated premises supervisor;
- (iv) suspend the licence.

The Sub Committee then adjourned to consider its decision.

RESOLVED: that after serious consideration the Sub Committee decided under Section 53A of the Licensing Act 2003, to take the interim step, pending the review, to suspend the Premises Licence with immediate effect.

CHAIRMAN