## NORTH SOMERSET COUNCIL

## **Licensing Sub-Committee**

Procedure to be followed for meetings of the Licensing Sub-Committee when reviewing Street Trading Consents/Licences

- (1) The Chairman introduces members of the Sub-Committee and officers present, and explains the procedure to be followed
- (2) The Chairman invites the Licensing Authority's representative to outline the reasons for the review. All parties may then ask questions
- (3) The Chairman invites the applicant or his/her representative to respond. All parties may then ask questions
- (4) The parties are then invited to sum up.
- (5) The Sub-Committee withdraws to consider the submissions and to make its deliberations
- (6) On returning to the meeting with all parties present, the Chairman/Legal Adviser to the Sub-Committee announces the decision

## Please note: -

The Chairman appointed for the meeting shall have absolute control of the Hearing and the ruling of the Chairman shall be final.

The Legal Advisor to the Sub- Committee can assist the Chairman during the Hearing and may interrupt proceedings when it is considered necessary to ensure that the Sub-Committee is able to determine the application fairly.