

6. CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982 - PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT AND THEATRE LICENSING

The Council Executive considered a report (copies of which had been circulated) by the Head of Corporate Services advising of changes to legislation regarding theatre licensing which will impact on the public entertainment licensing scheme.

It was recommended that Council Executive :-

1. Notes the new legislative power for the council as Licensing Authority regarding theatre licensing which will impact on the public entertainment licensing scheme;
2. Notes that the public entertainment licensing resolution requires to be amended in light of other new legislation;
3. Considers authorising the Chief Solicitor to undertake a full review of the council's public entertainment licensing scheme including public consultation regarding proposed changes to the terms of the resolution, licensing conditions and application fees; and
4. Notes that a report containing the responses to the consultation would be referred to the Environment Policy Development and Scrutiny Panel for its comments before a report recommending changes to the public entertainment licensing scheme was considered by the Council Executive.

Decision

1. To note the contents of the report; and
2. To instruct the Chief Solicitor to undertake a full review of the council's public entertainment licensing scheme including public consultation regarding proposed changes to the terms of the resolution, licensing conditions and application fees.