

**Report of the Cabinet Member for Public Protection and Licensing
(Councillor Ian Adams)**

1. Adoption of the amended Statement of Principles for Gambling under the Gambling Act 2005

- (a) The Cabinet Member for Public Protection and Licensing has considered the attached report which is Appendix 7 to this report. The Council is required to adopt a Statement of Licensing Principles every three years. The Council is being recommended to re-adopt the existing Statement of Principles for Gambling with some minor amendments and additions associated with changes in the Gambling Codes of Practice and Guidance.
- (b) Following public consultation and reviewing the responses the final version of the revised Statement of Licensing Principles is attached to the report (Appendix 7). In order to fulfil the Council's statutory duties the Council is recommended to adopt the Statement of Licensing Principles with effect from 31 January 2019 allowing the adopted Statement to be published on 1 December 2018.

The Council is recommended:

To adopt the Statement of Licensing Principles for Gambling attached to the report (Appendix 7) to be published on 1 December 2018, effective from 31 January 2019.

Ian Adams, Cabinet Member for Public Protection and Licensing

Local Government Act 1972 – Background Papers

Report considered by the Cabinet Member for Public Protection and Licensing