

**FALKIRK COUNCIL**

**Subject: CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982; NEW  
RESOLUTION**  
**Meeting: FALKIRK COUNCIL**  
**Date: 3 October 2007**  
**Author: DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES**

**1. PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1 On 12 June 2007 the detailed report attached as Appendix 1 was considered by the Policy and Resources Committee. This Committee agreed the recommendations and agreed to recommend them to Falkirk Council for approval. The report was then considered at Falkirk Council on 27 June 2007 and the Committee agreed the recommendations detailed in paragraph 3 of the covering report dated 27 June 2007, which is attached as Appendix 2.
- 1.2 In accordance with paragraph 3(2) of the report of 27 June 2007 a notice was published in the Falkirk Herald on 5 July 2007 to which no representations were received.
- 1.3 If Council approves the resolution today a further notice will be published in the Falkirk Herald on 11 October 2007 indicating that the new resolution will come into operation on 1 August 2008 and that the resolutions of 27 September 1983 and 22 November 1983 will be revoked on 31 July 2008. The notice will also state that, with effect from that date, (1 August 2008) it will be an offence under section 7(1) of the 1982 Act to do without a licence whatever the resolution specifies as being an activity that requires to be licensed and that applications for licences in respect of the activity will be considered by the authority after the expiry of one month after the date of making the resolution.

**2. RECOMMENDATIONS**

**That Council:-**

- 2.1 makes a new resolution in terms of the report and appendices approved by Policy and Resources Committee on 12<sup>th</sup> June 2007 and Falkirk Council on 27 June 2007.
- 2.2 approves the publication of a notice in the Falkirk Herald on 11 October 2007, which notice shall inter alia identify the date of coming into operation of the resolution as 1<sup>st</sup> August 2008.

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**Director of Development Services**

**Date:**

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**LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS**

NIL