

FALKIRK COUNCIL

**Subject: CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982; REVISION TO
NEW RESOLUTION**
Meeting: FALKIRK COUNCIL
Date: 9 December 2009
Author: DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 On 18 August 2009 the report attached as Appendix A was considered by the Environment & Community Safety 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 7 October 2009 and Council agreed the recommendations detailed in paragraph 3 of the covering report dated 7 October 2009, which is attached as Appendix B.
- 1.2 In accordance with paragraph 3(1) of the report of 7 October 2009 a notice was published in the Falkirk Herald on 15 October 2009 to which no representations were received.
- 1.3 If Council approves the revised resolution today a further notice will be published in the Falkirk Herald on 17 December 2009 indicating that the revised resolution will come into operation on 1 October 2010. The notice will also state that, with effect from that date, (1 October 2010) 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 revised resolution.

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

That Council:-

- 2.1 makes a revised resolution in terms of the report and appendices approved by Environment & Community Safety Committee on 18th August 2009 and Falkirk Council on 7 October 2009.
- 2.2 approves the publication of a notice in the Falkirk Herald on 17 December 2009, which notice shall inter alia identify the date of coming into operation of the revised resolution as 1st October 2010.

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Director of Development Services
Date: 1st December 2009

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LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

NIL