Sex Establishment Policy – Summary of changes between old and new policies

Current Policy (Jan 2012)	Revision
Contents	New addition of contents page
1. Introduction	Amended to update and include reference to all types of
	sex establishment
	Minor changes to wording
2. Scope	Amended to include reference to all types of sex
	establishment
	Addition of definitions of sex shop and sex cinema
	Removal of glossary of terms (moved to Appendix B)
	Removal of paragraph excluding sex shops and sex
	cinemas from scope
Transitional Provisions	Removal of entire section
3. Decision making	Clarification of determination powers and reference to
responsibility	licensing committee
4. Determining	Addition of paragraph about considerations.
applications	Amendment of wording
5. General obligations	Amended to include reference to all types of sex
	establishment
	Detail of obligations expanded in relation to Human
	Rights, Equalities Law, Crime and Disorder Legislation.
	Additions to obligations of the Regulators Compliance
	Code and the Provision of Services Regulations.
6. Considering	Removal of reference to Neighbourhood Partnerships as
applications	they are no longer in existence.
	Minor amendment to wording Additional minor amendment to wording
	Addition of EQIA for each valid application
	Change to determination process in that all applications
	will normally be referred to committee.
	Removal of reference to standard objection form
7. Grounds for refusal	Minor change to wording to clarify time period for refusal
	based on previous revocation
	Amended to include reference to all types of sex
	establishment
	Addition of section on general presumption of refusal for
	localities made up of certain types of premises
	Addition of wording clarifying locality and grounds
	Clarification of locality in relation to consideration of
	applications
8. Conditions	Addition of section regarding conditions

10. Waiver	Amended to include reference to all types of sex establishment Removal of sentence regarding likeliness of waiver
Appendix A	Addition of sentence clarifying numbers
Appendix B	Addition of Glossary of terms

Sex Establishment Conditions – Summary of changes since consultation

Proposed conditions on	Revision
consultation	
Entire document	Renumbered all conditions and formatting
Sexual Entertainment	
Venues	
8. Code and Rules	Addition of requirements for completion and retention of
	documents, copies provided to performers
11. Performer interaction	Addition of restrictions in respect of contact with others whilst
	on premises
26. Information to be	Amendment to information to be made available
available to performers	
27. Contact between	Addition of restrictions to social media accounts
performer and customer	
28. Contracts	Addition of wording relating to language, self employment
	rights and contact details retention
30. CCTV	Addition of wording relating to requirement to prevent blind
	spots within premises.
Sex Shops and Sex	
Cinemas	
No changes	