

SOUTH CAMBRIDGESHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

REPORT TO: Licensing Committee

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DESIGNATION OF CONSENT STREETS – ADDING NEW ROADS TO VILLAGES

Purpose

1. This report is to inform members of the procedure surrounding additional roads being added to Consent Street status villages, under the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982.

Background

2. At the last licensing Committee, a Member requested information regarding whether the Council would be required to re-advertise when new roads had been added after Consent Street status had been granted to a village.
3. After gaining clarification from the Council's Legal Officer it can be confirmed that it would be legally necessary to re-advertise for any new streets/roads required to be added to an original Order.

Legal Implications

4. The Council has a legal obligation to ensure that correct procedures are carried out in accordance with the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982, and cannot deviate from this.

Conclusions/Summary

5. In conclusion the Council cannot add wording to any advertising, to allow the scope for future new streets to be included in that Order. It will therefore be a requirement to designate additional streets as and when necessary with a new application process for designation.

Recommendation

6. It is recommended that Members note the information contained in this report.

Background Papers: the following background papers were used in the preparation of this report: None

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