
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Gambling Act 2005 (Licensing Authority Policy Statement)(England and Wales) Regulations 2006

Procedure to be followed in preparing or publishing a statement or revision

- 7.—(1) Before a statement or revision comes into effect, the authority that prepared it must—
- (a) publish the statement or revision in accordance with paragraph (2); and
 - (b) advertise the publication of the statement or revision by publishing a notice in accordance with paragraphs (3) and (4).
- (2) The statement or revision must be published by being made available for a period of at least 4 weeks before the date on which it will come into effect—
- (a) on the authority's internet website; and
 - (b) for inspection by the public at reasonable times in one or both of the following places—
 - (i) one or more public libraries situated in the area covered by the statement or revision;
 - (ii) other premises situated in that area.
- (3) The notice referred to in paragraph (1)(b) shall specify—
- (a) the date on which the statement or revision will be published;
 - (b) the date on which the statement or revision will come into effect;
 - (c) the internet address where the statement or revision will be published in accordance with paragraph (2)(a); and
 - (d) the address of the library or other premises at which the statement or revision may be inspected in accordance with paragraph (2)(b).
- (4) That notice shall be published no later than the first day on which the statement or revision is published in accordance with paragraph (2)—
- (a) on the authority's internet website, and
 - (b) in or on one or more of the following places—
 - (i) a local newspaper circulating in the area covered by the statement;
 - (ii) a local newsletter, circular, or similar document circulating in the area covered by the statement;
 - (iii) a public notice board in or near the principal office of the authority;
 - (iv) a public notice board on the premises of public libraries in the area covered by the statement.