

Appendix C

Criteria for Fit and Proper Person

Before the Council can grant a Licence it must determine if the proposed licence holder or manager of the house is a fit and proper person.

For this purpose the following matters are relevant if any such person has:

- (a) Committed an offence involving fraud, dishonesty, violence, drugs or sexual offences listed in Schedule 3 to the Sexual Offences Act 2003;
- (b) Practised unlawful discrimination on grounds of sex, colour, race, ethnic, or national origins or disability in connection with a business, or
- (c) Contravened any provision of the law relating to housing or of landlord and tenant law, or
- (d) Acted in contravention of any Approved Code of Practice made under the Housing Act 2004.