

**EXTRACT OF MINUTE OF PLANNING, PROTECTIVE SERVICES AND LICENSING  
COMMITTEE 20 JUNE 2018**

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\* **16. ANIMAL DEALER LICENSING REGIME**

Consideration was given to report outlining the Council's arrangements for the licensing of animal dealers including puppy farms and seeking approval for the revised standards conditions. The licensing remit is a statutory duty on the Council under the Licensing of Animal Dealers (Young Cats and Young Dogs) (Scotland) Regulations 2009, and is consistent with the other animal related licensing regimes regulated by Regulatory Services.

**Decision**

The Committee agreed:-

1. that the licensing regime continues to be regulated by Regulatory Services and more specifically environmental health, given their current involvement in other animal related licensing regimes;
2. to endorse the use of the mandatory and standards conditions for use within the Council's licensing regime; and
3. to recommend to Council the fee structure detailed in section 4.2 of the Executive Director's report.

(Reference: Report by Executive Director – Development and Infrastructure Services dated 4 May 2018, submitted)