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## **Licensing Act 2003 Survey**

### **The impact of the Licensing Act 2003 on your club**

The CCPR is campaigning to reduce the cost and impact of the new Licensing Act on sport and recreation clubs. Our current focus is on gathering evidence of the impact the new licence scheme has on sport and recreation to be used in our ongoing campaign and to be presented to the Independent Fees Review Panel.

In September 2005 the CCPR presented initial evidence to the Independent Fees Review Panel, which is charged with reviewing the licensing fee structure. The licensing fee review will continue over the coming months and CCPR has been assured that further evidence will be accepted by the panel during the review process. In order to strengthen its case the CCPR would be grateful, therefore, if you would complete this short questionnaire.

The CCPR's involvement with the Independent Fees Review Panel represents a valuable opportunity to successfully achieve a fairer fee structure for sports clubs. Your clubs cooperation in gathering the required information will add further weight to our campaign and increase our chance of success.

The questionnaire can be completed electronically by clicking the grey areas and then emailed to CCPR at [BNicholas@ccpr.org.uk](mailto:BNicholas@ccpr.org.uk).

Alternatively you can print the following pages and complete the questionnaire by hand and post or fax the completed document to:

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Please return the completed questionnaire by **20 March 2006**.

I thank you in advance for your assistance. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

## **Section One – Club Details**

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2	National Governing Body	<input type="text"/>								
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## **Section Two – Licences (Place an “x” where appropriate)**

5 Does your club operate a bar?  Yes  No

***If the answer to question 5 is “No” you do not need to complete questions 6,7 and 8***

6 Has your club converted to the new licensing scheme?  Yes  No

***If the answer to question 6 is “No”, please go to question 8***

7a What was the cost of your club’s licence?  
*(Cost of the Application Fee and Renewal Fee)*

7b What were the additional costs of converting to the new licensing scheme? *(eg. Newspaper ad, HR time, any other costs )*

***This question is very important for the CCPR campaign***

8 What fee band does your club fall in the new licensing scheme?

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<input type="checkbox"/>	B	<input type="checkbox"/>	E
<input type="checkbox"/>	C		

### **Section Three – Impact on Club**

**9a** How would you describe your experience in dealing with the licensing authority?  Good  Bad

Indifferent

**9b** Explain (How is this different to the previous scheme?)

**10a** Has the administrative burden increased greatly (e.g. are people no longer willing to do the necessary work to get a licence, run a bar)?  Yes  No

**10b** Explain

**11** Has your club changed opening hours as a result of the new licence?  Yes  No

**Thank you for participating in this survey.**

**If you have any further comments you would like to make please feel free to include them on a separate page.**