



Gambling Act 2005

2005 CHAPTER 19

^{F1}PART 8

PREMISES LICENCES

Determination of application

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- (1) On considering an application for a premises licence (whether at a hearing or not) a licensing authority shall—
 - (a) grant it, or
 - (b) reject it.
- (2) A licensing authority shall not determine an application for a premises licence made in reliance on section 159(3)(b) until the relevant operating licence has been issued (in a form which authorises the applicant to carry on the activity in respect of which the premises licence is sought).

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 163 modified (1.9.2007) by [Gambling Act 2005 \(Horserace Totalisator Board\) Order 2007](#) (S.I. 2007/2102), arts. 1, 4

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 163 in force at 21.5.2007 for specified purposes by [S.I. 2006/3272](#), art. 2(2)(3), [Sch. 2](#), [Sch. 3](#) (with arts. 7-11, 7-12, [Sch. 4](#)) (as amended by [S.I. 2007/1157](#), arts. 3(3), 4)
- I2** S. 163 in force at 21.5.2007 for specified purposes by [S.I. 2006/3272](#), art. 2(3), [Sch. 3](#) (with arts. 7-11, 7-12, [Sch. 4](#)) (as amended by [SI 2007/1157](#), art. 3(3), 4(2))
- I3** S. 163 in force at 1.9.2007 for specified purposes by [S.I. 2006/3272](#), art. 2(4)(5), [Sch. 3B](#) (with arts. 7-11, 7-12, [Sch. 4](#)) (as inserted by [S.I. 2007/2169](#), arts. 3, 6, [Sch.](#))
- I4** S. 163 in force at 20.5.2008 for specified purposes by [S.I. 2008/1326](#), art. 2, [Sch.](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Gambling Act 2005, Section 163.