

Revision History

8 November 2007

Original Release

9 November 2007

1) Figures added for 3 Licensing Authorities incorrectly classed as non-responding:

- East Dorset (figures for 24-hour licences only had been included originally)
- Greenwich
- Wokingham

Impact: As the majority of figures are a count of licences/activities across all Licensing Authorities in England and Wales, the totals shown throughout the publication are affected. Those that remain unchanged do so because the additional 3 LAs recorded zero or blank responses to the question. This revision changes the figures in the main bulletin, aggregate tables and also the individual licensing authority tables so all files have been updated. However, the totals for England and Wales have not increased significantly (e.g. the increase in total premises licences and certificates in force in England and Wales is less than 1%).

2) Wording within the commentary associated with all the figures affected has been checked and amended accordingly.

3) The response rates on which all numbers are based have been updated to take account of the inclusion of the above additional Licensing Authorities.

4) The footnote on Page 26 of the bulletin that lists the non-responding authorities has been amended in the following way:

- The list now shows the 51 non-responding authorities (down from 54)
- Greenwich has been removed from the list
- East Dorset and Wokingham (whose responses had also been incorrectly excluded from the totals) had been missed off the list originally, and therefore remain off it
- Bridgnorth and Bromsgrove, whose figures had been included in the totals, but who had been incorrectly included as non-responding authorities, have been removed from the list

5) A grammatical error in the third bullet on Page 9 of the bulletin has been corrected (to remove an unnecessary "in" from the second sentence).

6) A grammatical error in the second bullet on Page 13 has been corrected (to more accurately phrase the second sentence about 24-hour supermarkets and stores in London).

7) The response rate on which the bottom bullet on Page 13 of the bulletin (Cumulative Impact Areas) has been added.

15 January 2008

8) The number of 'Cumulative Impact Areas' published for two Licensing Authorities were incorrect:

- Melton Licensing Authority had recorded the wrong number of cumulative impact areas as six; it has been amended to zero.
- Warwick's number of cumulative impact areas was incorrectly inputted as four; this has been corrected to two.

Impact: The total number of cumulative impact areas in England and Wales has been amended from 79 to 71. This revision changes the figures in the main bulletin, aggregate tables and also the individual licensing authority table on cumulative impact areas, so all files have been updated. The response rate to this question has not changed.

9) As a result of the amendments to the number of cumulative impact areas, the percentages stated on page 13 of the bulletin report have also been updated.

13 October 2008

10) The number of 'Personal Licences' published for one Licensing Authority was incorrect:

- Arun Licensing Authority had recorded having 1,053 personal licenses; this figure has been amended from zero.

Impact: The total number of personal licences in England and Wales has been amended from 254,343 to 255,396. This revision changes the figures in the main bulletin, aggregate tables and also the individual licensing authority table on personal licences, so all files have been updated. The response rate to this question has not changed.

11) As a result of the amendment to the number of personal licences, a percentage stated on page 16 of the bulletin report has also been updated.

12) Following validation work for the 2008 collection, a comment has been made to the online tables on 'Q1 - Number of Premises Licences, Club Premises Certificates and Personal Licences by fee band', 'Q2 - Number of Premises Licences and Club Premises Certificates by licensable activity authorised' and 'Q3 - Number of premises with 24-hour alcohol licences by premise type'. The comment was:

- Tewkesbury's figures are only for licences granted in 2006/07 and not the total number of licences in force on 31st March 2007.