

At an extraordinary meeting of the REGULATORY COMMITTEE held in the CIVIC CENTRE on MONDAY, 3rd JUNE 2012 at 2.00 p.m.

Present:-

Councillor Wilson in the Chair

Councillors Bell, Bonallie, Farthing, P. Gibson, Macknight, Marshall, Mordey, D. Smith, Thompson and Wiper.

Declarations of Interest

Sunderland Stadium of Light – Application for a special safety certificate

Councillor Bell declared that he was a Sunderland AFC Season Ticket Holder

Councillor A. Wilson declared that she had tickets for the concerts.

Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were submitted to the meeting on behalf of Councillors Emerson, Richardson and Waller.

Sunderland Stadium of Light – Application for a Special Safety Certificate

The Deputy Chief Executive submitted a report (copy circulated) which recommended that the Committee approve the application from Sunderland Association Football Club for 3 concerts taking place at the Sunderland Stadium of Light on the 13th, 20th and 22nd June 2013.

(For copy report – see original minutes)

Ken Scott, Development Manager, presented the report and advised that there was still a lot of work needed to be done and that should Members agree to grant the certificate it would not be handed over until the matters such as temporary structures had been fully evaluated and inspected by the Council.

1. RESOLVED that:-
 - a. Approval be given to the granting of a Special Safety Certificate for the concerts at the Sunderland Stadium of Light to serve as an addendum to the existing General Safety Certificate. The maximum spectator capacities to be set at 42703 in respect of Bon Jovi on 13th June 2013,

57556 for Rhianna on 20th June, 2013 and 31726 for North East Live on 22nd June, 2013.

- b. The grant be subject to full compliance with the conditions contained within the General and Special Safety Certificates, the conclusion of the multi agency safety planning process and satisfactory construction and completion of all temporary structures.

The Chairman advised that this meeting was Mr Scott's last meeting; on behalf of the Committee she thanked him for all of his hard work over the years and wished him well for the future.

The Chairman then thanked everyone for their attendance and closed the meeting.

(Signed) A. WILSON,
Chairman.