

Gambling Act 2005 Occasional Use Notice

Occasional use notices are used to permit licensed betting operators with the appropriate permission from the Gambling Commission to use tracks for short periods of betting at events which are temporary or infrequent.

The notices can only be used for eight days or less in a calendar year.

You can serve this kind of notice to us if you are the person responsible for the organisation of events on the track or an occupier of the track.

The notice, which should specify which day it relates to, must be served on us at the address above and copied to the chief officer of police for the area in which the track is located (see address below). Consecutive days can be specified on the notice but the overall limit of eight days per calendar year should not be exceeded.

If the criteria is met for the occasional use notice, there is then no need for a betting premises licence for the track and when the notice is served there is no opportunity for counter-notices or objections to be submitted. The Gambling Act 2005 does not prescribe an application form for this but applicants may wish to use our application form below.

There is no charge for an Occasional Use Notice.

Contact Details for Cleveland Police are:

Divisional Licensing Unit
Middlesbrough Police Station
Bridge Street West
Middlesbrough. TS2 1AB
Telephone: (01642) 302360
e-mail: stockton.licensing@cleveland.pnn.police.uk

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Notice Under Section 39 Of The Gambling Act 2005 Occasional Use Of Track For Purpose Of Betting

Name	
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(Named person must be (a) responsible for the administration of event on the track, or (b) an occupier of the track)

Address	
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Telephone Number	
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Address of Track	
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Date of Event	
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(Occasional use notices may only be granted in respect of a track for a maximum of 8 days per calendar year)

Number of occasional use notices applied for in respect of this track in the current year	
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Checklist	
I shall (please mark the appropriate boxes with an "x"):	
Send a copy of this notice to the licensing authority for the area in which the track is located	
Send a copy of this notice to the chief officer of police for the area in which the track is located	
Sign the declaration below	

How We Collect And Use Information

The information collected, on this form and from supporting evidence, by Stockton on Tees Borough Council will be used to process your application. The information may be passed to other enforcement agencies as permitted by law.

We may check information provided by you, or information about you provided by a third party, with other information held by us. We may also get information from certain third parties, or give information to them to check the accuracy of information, to prevent or detect crime, or to protect public funds in other ways, as permitted by law. These third parties include government departments and local authorities.

We will not disclose information about you to anyone outside Stockton on Tees Borough Council nor use information about you for other purposes unless the law permits us to.

Stockton on Tees Borough Council is the data controller for the purposes of the Data Protection Act 1998. If you want to know more about what information we have about you, or the way we use your information, you can ask at:
Licensing Services, Municipal Buildings, Church Road, Stockton on Tees, TS18 1LD

Declaration

- (i) The information contained in this form is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
- (ii) I understand that it is an offence:
- Without reasonable excuse to give to the licensing authority information which is false or misleading;
 - To use premises, or causes or permit premises to be used to provide facilities for betting (whether by making or accepting bets, by acting as a betting intermediary or by providing other facilities for making or accepting bets) in contravention of this notice.

And that a person guilty of either of the above shall be liable on summary conviction to imprisonment not exceeding 51 weeks, a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale or both.

- (iii) Only those persons / companies holding a betting operating licence from the Gambling Commission will be allowed to provide betting facilities during the period of the Notice.
- (iv) I am a person responsible for the:

Administration of events on the track Or an occupier of the track

(tick either or both boxes as appropriate)

Signature		Date	
Print Name			