**Title:** Special Treatment Regulations  

**Report of the Service Manager Public Protection**  

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**Summary**

The Council, as the Licensing Authority, is responsible for the licensing of special treatments premises offering the following:

- massage, manicure, pedicure, nail extensions, facial, acupuncture, tattooing, body piercing, cosmetic piercing, chiropody, light, electric or other special treatment of a kind such as sunbeds, vapour, sauna or another bath.

The Council is empowered to prescribe its own procedures for the determination of the licence applications and the conditions and restrictions on the treatments or subject to which licences are granted. Under Part II of the London Local Authorities Act 1991, person wishing to provide special treatments at premises within the borough, are obliged to apply to the Council to be granted a licence to do so.

The Council is similarly empowered to make Regulations prescribing standard conditions and restrictions on or subject which licences are in general to be granted, reviewed or transferred.

The Council may also prescribe the information that must be provided by the applicants for the grant, renewal, transfer or variation of a licence, notices applicants must give, including the public advertisement of the application and its own procedure for determining applications.

The legislation applies the licensing system to take appropriate measures to ensure that special treatments are offered and provided without risk to the health, safety and welfare of the public and / or practitioners and in the absence of impropriety or public nuisance.

This report provides an update on the review of the licensing documents, procedures and adaptation of new regulations with effect from 1 April 2019.
Recommendation(s)

The Licensing and Regulatory Board is asked to note the report.

Public Background Papers Used in the Preparation of the Report: None

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Appendix A – Regulations (Standards Conditions) to be effective on 1 April 2019
Appendix B – Rules of Procedures