

Item No 4

Report of a meeting on Youth Consultation held 12th January 2012 at EUSA

Present: Michael Baron, Rosaleen Harley, Philippa Faulkner

It was agreed that it was unrealistic for the forum to run the event as originally conceived. The Licensing Forum did not have the resources to do this. However, it may be possible in partnership with another organisation. It was felt that one of the most likely partners was Young Scot and the group agreed to contact the organisation to see if this was possible.

PF suggested that Edinburgh University Students Association (EUSA) could get together a group of students for a focus group on the issues. This was felt to be an excellent idea. It would enable the Forum to get some feedback on the issues and would be a chance to see how interested/responsive a group of young people would be to the issues raised. PF would try and get a date - sometime towards the end of February was mooted. MB would put together a draft set of questions. It was suggested that a facilitator be found to run the event. MB would investigate if funds were available from the Forum for some refreshments at the event.

Post Meeting

I have spoken to John Loudon about the refreshment and he feels a budget of £50 would be reasonable.