

D&S IFCA BYELAW & PERMITTING SUB COMMITTEE (B&PSC) MEETING

Venue: Exeter Racecourse, Exeter, EX6 7XS

Date: Thursday 26th June 2025 (1230hrs to 1630hrs)

Public Meeting:

The B&PSC meeting is open to the public who can observe proceedings. Members of the public may submit written questions or comments for consideration at the meeting. These must reach the Chief Officer by 12:00hrs two working days before the meeting. The questions or comments should concern an item on the agenda for the meeting. Please contact D&S IFCA's Office for details.

Introduction:

Welcome to the meeting.

Action Items

1. Appointment of the B&PSC Chair
2. Appointment of B&PSC Vice Chair
3. Apologies for absence
4. Declarations of interest
5. To consider and approve the draft minutes of the B&PSC meeting held on 27th February 2025
6. Matters requiring urgent attention
7. Members of the public – questions for the meeting

Potting:

8. That Members note the responses to the Formal Public Consultation regarding the proposal to prohibit vessels fishing within the District that have a vivier tank or tanks fitted that exceeds an aggregate volume of 2m³.
9. That Members consider changes to the Potting Permit Conditions.
10. That Members note the Officers' paper regarding potting for cuttlefish on seagrass within Torbay MCZ.
11. That Members note the Officers' paper regarding the influx of Octopus into the South of the D&S IFCA's District and actions taken by D&S IFCA.
12. Date of Next Meeting

The date of the next meeting will be confirmed via email correspondence.