

**KIRKLEES COUNCIL**

**Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982**  
**and Hypnotism Act 1952**

**Application for Consent for an Exhibition, Demonstration or Performance of Hypnotism at a Place Licensed for Regulated Entertainment**

Please Note: Hypnotism for the purpose of this application includes hypnotism, mesmerism and any similar act or process which produces or is intended to produce in any person any form of induced sleep or trance in which the susceptibility of the mind of that person to suggestion or direction is increased or intended to be increased, but does not include hypnotism, mesmerism or any such similar act or process which is self induced.

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1. Name of person by whom the exhibition, demonstration or performance is to be given ('the hypnotist')

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2. Address of Hypnotist:

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3. Please give details of the last (i) Name of Venue .....  
3 performances Date .....  
Description of Act .....  
Tel No(s).....

(ii) Name of Venue .....  
Date .....  
Description of Act .....  
Tel No(s).....

(iii) Name of Venue .....  
Date .....  
Description of Act .....  
Tel No(s).....

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4. Where is the exhibition, demonstration or performance of hypnotism taking place

Date / time

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5. Please describe the nature of the proposed exhibition, demonstration or performance of hypnotism

(a) If the performance includes hypnotising members of the public, will minders YES/NO stay with hypnotised subjects during the show, including the interval?

(b) are you providing a minder for each hypnotised subject? YES/NO

(c) If the answer to (b) is 'no' how many hypnotised subjects will a minder supervise?

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6 (i) Have you every been refused or had withdrawn a consent for hypnotism YES/NO by any licensing authority?

(ii) If YES please give details

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7. (i) Have you ever been convicted of an offence under the Hypnotism Act 1952 YES/NO

(ii) If YES please give details

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8. (i) Have you ever been convicted of an offence involving the breach of a condition regulating or prohibiting the giving of an exhibition, demonstration or performance of hypnotism? YES/NO

(ii) If YES please give details

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9. (i) Have you ever been barred from the Federation of Ethical Stage Hypnotists or the European Guild of Professional Stage Hypnotists or any other similar body? YES/NO

(ii) If YES please give details

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Signed ..... Signed .....  
(Hypnotist) (Licensee)  
Dated ..... Dated .....

Please return to: Kirklees Council Building Control & Licensing Service - Licensing Section, River Bank Court, Wakefield Road, Aspley, Huddersfield HD5 9AA  
Tel: 01484 456862 Fax: 01484 456857 Email [licensing@kirklees.gov.uk](mailto:licensing@kirklees.gov.uk)

No such exhibition, demonstration or performance must take place without the written consent of Kirklees Council.