## **LICENSING ACT 2003**

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

## **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

**PART 4: Clubs** 

Section 79 - Theft, loss etc. of certificate or summary

142. Subsection (1) provides that a club may apply to the licensing authority for a copy of a club premises certificate or summary if that certificate or summary has been lost, stolen, damaged or destroyed. Subsection (3) provides that if the licensing authority is satisfied of the veracity of such an application, it must then issue a certified copy of that certificate. Where a certificate has been lost or stolen, there is an additional requirement that the club has reported this to the police. A fee may be prescribed for the issue of replacement documents. The Act applies in relation to a copy in the same way as it applies to the original.