



Useful Websites:

The websites below will be able to advise you on all different aspects of the licensed retail trade. From information about licensed trade organisation to qualifications, to assistance choosing the right premises for you.

Licensed Trade Organisations

www.flva.co.uk - The FLVA is a members' organisation looking after the business interests of self-employed licensees in the licensed trade

<http://www.almr.org.uk/> - The *ALMR* is the network of entrepreneurial retailers and industry suppliers that champions the smaller independent companies that own and operate pubs, bars and restaurants in UK

www.beerandpub.com – BBPA - The BBPA is the leading organisation representing the UK beer and pub sector.

www.familybrewers.co.uk – Independent Family Brewers of Britain – They are a trade body for family brewers, that promotes the unique heritage of family brewing.

www.siba.co.uk – Society of Independent Brewers Association - Small Independent Brewers' Association, who represent the interests of the emerging new wave of microbrewers.

www.camra.org.uk - CAMRA, the Campaign for Real Ale, is an independent, voluntary, consumer organisation which campaigns for real ale, real pubs and consumer rights.

www.caskmarque.co.uk – Cask Marque provide accreditation of beer quality.

Starting/ Running a Pub

www.mypublife.com/ - Finding pub businesses, information on running your own pub, hints and tips

www.startups.co.uk/6678842909381265085/starting-a-pub.html - Information on starting a pub

www.caterer.com/Content/CareerAdvice/RunningAPub.html - Information on running a pub

www.paramount-investments.co.uk/running-a-pub.htm - investment and development brokerage – Information on running a pub, buying a pub, leasing a pub or renting a pub

www.findmypub.com - To help make the process of finding and running a pub to rent/lease/buy or manage a smooth one.

Legislation

www.businesslink.gov.uk – Legislation and practical advice for businesses

www.fsb.org.uk – Federation of Small Businesses

Other Useful Websites

www.bii.org – BII – Membership, services and benefits, qualifications, industry information and news

www.biiab.org – BIIAB – Qualifications, industry information and news

www.disclosurescotland.co.uk – Criminal Records Check (CRB)

www.food.gov.uk – The Food Standards Agency - An independent Government department set to protect the public's health and consumer interests in relation to food.

www.hse.gov.uk – Health & Safety Executive – Information, legislation, prevention and procedures

www.rics.org – Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors

www.nationalpubwatch.co.uk - National Pubwatch is a voluntary organisation set up to support existing pubwatches and encourage the creation of new pubwatch schemes with the aim of achieving a safer social drinking environment in all licensed premises throughout the UK.

www.barzone.co.uk – BII's job board, aimed at everyone looking for employment opportunities in, or employing staff within, the licensed retail sector.

Licensed Trade News

www.morningadvertiser.co.uk - magazine

www.thedrinksbusiness.com - magazine