

Appendix 3 - Compliance and Enforcement Activity Data

Compliance and Enforcement Activity	2025/2026	2024/2025	2023/2024	Trend
Inspections	102	n/a	n/a	New Baseline
Enforcement Visits	27	n/a	n/a	New Baseline
Test Purchase Operations	16	3	1	↑ Increasing
Written Advice	31	n/a	n/a	New Baseline
Written Warnings	38	n/a	n/a	New Baseline
Simple Cautions	0	0	0	→ Stable
Fixed Penalty Notices	0	0	0	→ Stable
Suspensions	21	5	16	↑ Increasing
Revocations	2	0	1	↑ Increasing
Prosecutions	0	0	0	→ Stable
Licence Reviews	1	3	2	↓ Decreasing
Expedited Reviews	1	0	1	→ Stable
Appeals Lodged	3	1	3	↑ Increasing
Appeals Determined	3	n/a	n/a	New Baseline
Appeals Successfully Defended	3	n/a	n/a	New Baseline
Costs Awarded to the Council	3	n/a	n/a	New Baseline
Joint Operations with Other Agencies	22	n/a	n/a	↑ Increasing
Closure Notices	0	0	0	→ Stable
Closure Orders	0	0	0	↓ Fluctuating
Enquiries / Complaints Received	741	922	875	↓ Fluctuating
Complaints Investigated	741	922	875	↓ Fluctuating
Out-of-Hours Operation visits	29	65	63	↓ Decreasing
Partnership Meetings Attended	4	4	4	→ Stable
Safety Advisory Group Meetings Attended	12	12	12	→ Stable
Joint Intelligence Meetings Attended	24	24	24	→ Stable
Totals	1824	1961	1877	↓ Fluctuating

Trend	Year-on-Year	
→ Stable = no material change or unchanged across years	2023/24 → 2024/25:	+4.5%
↑ Increasing = consistent upward trend	2024/25 → 2025/26:	- 7.0%
↓ Decreasing = consistent downward trend	Overall increase since 2023/24:	-2.8%
↕ Fluctuating = rises and falls between years		
New Baseline = no historic comparison available		

