

GENERAL LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE12 March 2015

ITEM 4

Report of the Strategic Director of Neighbourhoods

Application for the variation of a premises licence to specify an individual as designated premises supervisor at: Maypole Inn 42 Brook Street Derby DE1 3PH

SUMMARY

- 1.1 If a Premises Licence authorises the supply of alcohol the holder may request to vary the Premises Licence to specify an individual as a Designated Premises Supervisor.
- 1.2 If the Chief of Police is satisfied that the exceptional circumstances of the case are such that granting the application would undermine the crime and disorder licensing objective he can give the licensing authority a notice stating the reason he believes this to be the case.
- 1.3 Where the notice is not withdrawn a hearing must be held to consider the notice issued by Derbyshire Constabulary.
- 1.4 The General Licensing committee can decide to:
 - Grant application
 - Reject application

RECOMMENDATION

2.1 To consider the information in the report, consider the application and any relevant notice to determine the application to vary a premises licence to specify:

Adam William Dakin as a Designated Premises Supervisor at: Maypole Inn 42 Brook Street Derby DE1 3PH.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

3.1 To ensure that the four licensing objectives are upheld in relation to the application for a Designated Premises Supervisor variation at: Maypole Inn 42 Brook Street Derby DE1 3PH.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- 4.1 An application to vary a Designated Premises Supervisor at: Maypole Inn 42 Brook Street Derby DE1 3PH was received by Derby City Council's Licensing Team on: 06 February 2015 from: Trust Inns Ltd . A copy of the application is attached at Appendix 1.
- 4.2 The relevant licensable activities are:

Performance of indoor sporting events (indoors)

Performance of live music (indoors)

Playing of recorded music (indoors)

Entertainment of a similar description to that falling within a performance of live music, any playing of recorded music or a performance of dance (indoors)

The sale by retail of alcohol

- 4.3 The supply of alcohol is for consumption on and off the premises.
- 4.4 A consent form signed by, the proposed Designated Premises Supervisor is attached at Appendix 2.
- 4.5 A notice was received by the Licensing Team at Derby City Council from the Chief of Police on 16 February 2015. A copy of which is attached at Appendix 3.
- 4.7 A copy of the current premises licence is attached at Appendix 4.
- 4.8 A location map is attached at Appendix 5.
- 4.9 The Committee is obliged to determine this objection notice with a view to promoting the licensing objectives which are.
 - the prevention of crime and disorder;
 - public safety;
 - the prevention of public nuisance;
 - the protection of children from harm.
- 4.10 In making its decision, the Committee is also obliged to have regard to national Guidance issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003 and the Council's own Licensing Policy.
- 4.11 The Council recognises the importance of securing proper integration with and attaching relevant conditions that reflect local strategies.
- 4.12 The Council has a duty to act in a manner which is compatible with the Human Rights Act 1998.

4.13 A Licence is regarded as property for the purposes of the Human Rights Act 1998. Article 1 of the First Protocol states that:

"Every natural or legal person is entitled to the peaceful enjoyment of his possessions. No one shall be deprived of his possessions except in the public interest and subject to the conditions provided for by law and by the general principles of international law.

"The preceding provisions shall not, however, in any way impair the right of a State to enforce such laws as it deems necessary to control the use of property in accordance with the general interest or to secure the payment of taxes or other contributions or penalties."

- 4.14 The Committee must also take into account the effect on local residents. Article 8 states:
 - Everyone has the right to respect for his private and family life, his home and his correspondence.
 - There shall be no interference by a public authority with the exercise of this
 right except such as is in accordance with the law and is necessary in a
 democratic society in the interests of national security, public safety or the
 economic well-being of the country, for the prevention of disorder or crime, for
 the protection of health or morals, or for the protection of the rights and
 freedoms of others.
- 4.15 Three stage test to be applied:
 - Is the interference in accordance with the law?
 - Is the interference necessary in a democratic society in pursuit of one of the legitimate aims set out above?

Is the decision proportionate ie. Striking a fair balance between the demands of the general interests of the community and the requirement to protect the individual's fundamental rights?

OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED

5.1 Not Applicable

This report has been approved by the following officers:

Legal officer	Not Applicable for Sub Committee
Financial officer	Not Applicable for Sub Committee
Estates/Property Officer	Not Applicable for Sub Committee
Human Resources officer	Not Applicable for Sub Committee
Service Director(s)	Not Applicable for Sub Committee
Other(s)	Not Applicable for Sub Committee

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Background papers:	None
List of appendices:	Appendix 1 – Application

Appendix 2 – Consent of DPS Appendix 3 – Notice from the Chief of Police Appendix 4 – Premises Licence Appendix 5 – Location Map	
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