

Meeting Commenced:	10.29am
Meeting Adjourned	11.47am
Meeting Reconvened	3:03pm
Meeting Ended	4:14pm

GENERAL LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

28 June 2017

Present: Councillors Barker, A Holmes and Pegg
 Officers: Lucie Keeler (Legal Services), Sandra Mansell (Licensing Officer) and Jody Shelton (Democratic Services Officer)

Applicant: Mr Adam Bus – Chief Executive QUAD
 Mr Rob Newman – QUAD

01/17 Appointment of Chair

Resolved to appoint Councillor Barker as Chair of the General Licensing Sub Committee.

02/17 Apologies

There were no apologies received.

03/17 Late Items to be Introduced by the Chair

There were no late items.

04/17 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

05/17 Application for a Variation of a Premises Licence at Derby Rugby Club Ltd, Haslams Lane, Derby, DE22 1EB

An application for a variation of a premises licence at Derby Rugby Club Ltd, Haslams Lane, Derby, DE22 1EB was received on 5 May 2017 from Mr Robin Falkner. The variation related to the exhibition of films outdoors.

Relevant representations was received from interested parties, comprising of local residents concerned with the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance, the protection of children from harm and public safety.

The Committee were obliged to determine the application with a view to promoting the licensing objectives.

The Sub-Committee has heard representations and evidence from Mrs Sandra Mansell (Licensing team - Derby City Council); Mr Adam Bus, Chief Executive –

Quad, Mr Rob Newman - Quad and has taken into account all representations including written representations received from Gordon Jones, Faye Jones and Stephen Robertson and the supporting information presented by all parties.

Decision

In making its decision, the Sub-Committee has had regard to the Derby City Council Licensing Policy, the guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003 and the Human Rights Act 1998 and has carefully considered all the evidence presented to it.

The Sub-Committee has made this decision to promote the 4 Licensing Objectives:

- (a) Prevention of crime and disorder;
- (b) Public Safety;
- (c) Prevention of Public Nuisance;
- (d) Protection of Children from harm.

The Sub-Committee has resolved to REFUSE the application for a variation of Premises Licence PL10550417 to include the exhibition of films outdoors.

The reasons for this decision are as follows:

1. Having taken into account the 4 licensing objectives, the guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003, the council's licensing policy and the Human Rights Act, the Sub-Committee sought to balance the interests of the applicant and the representations made by the interested parties.
2. The Sub-Committee felt it was reasonable and proportionate to refuse the application for variation in that the Sub-Committee decided it was not able to impose reasonable conditions specifically to overcome the concerns raised by the interested parties.
3. There was insufficient detail within the application form to satisfy the Sub-Committee of the adequacy of the additional steps that the applicant intended to take to promote the four licensing objectives. Whilst further information on actions which were to be taken was provided by the applicant's representatives at the hearing this related only to two proposed events despite the requested variation being for Thursday to Sunday in perpetuity.

MINUTES END