Time commenced - 10.00 am Time finished - 12.25 pm

LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE B 17 MARCH 2004

Present: Councillor R Skelton (Chair) Councillors Bolton, Brown, J Hickson, Jackson, Jones and MacDonald

42/03 Apologies

An apology for absence was received from Councillor Redfern.

43/03 Late Items Introduced by the Chair

There were no late items.

44/03 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

45/03 Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on 17 December 2003 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

46/03 Application for a New Public Entertainments Licence – Casa Café Bar/The Vaults, Iron Gate, Derby

A report of the Director of Corporate Services was considered, which gave details of an application for a new Public Entertainments Licence for Casa Café Bar/The Vaults, Iron Gate, Derby. Although invited to the meeting, Mr N Moore did not attend.

Resolved to refuse the application for a new Public Entertainments Licence on the grounds that verbal contact had been made by Mr N Moore indicating that he did not wish to pursue the application, works required by the Council had not been completed and CCTV had not been installed as required by the Police Authority.

47/03 Application to Renew the Public Entertainments Licence – The Greyhound, Village Street, Derby

A report of the Director of Corporate Services was considered which gave details of an application to renew the Public Entertainments Licence at The Greyhound, Village Street, Derby. Mrs J Rigby and Mr A Holland attended the meeting to address the Sub Committee.

It was noted that objections had been received from local residents who were concerned about the increase in noise levels and disruption in the area. A further letter of objection had been received along with a small petition, which were both circulated at the meeting. There had also been an objection from Pollution Control in reference to the suitability of the premises for public entertainment. There were no objections reported from the Police Authority.

Mr Lowndestoole, in objection to the application, also addressed the Sub Committee.

Resolved to defer the application for a Public Entertainments Licence to allow the following to be carried out:

- A plan of the area showing the exact location of the Greyhound to be obtained.
- A layout plan of the venue to be obtained.
- The Applicants to provide written confirmation of the nights to be the subject of the Public Entertainments Licence.
- The Pollution Control Officer to carry out noise monitoring on a Friday and Saturday night, including the provision of noise level readings to support this.
- The Applicants to carry out all outstanding works, as outlined in Appendix B to the report, be carried out.

At this point, Councillor Brown left the meeting.

48/03 Application to Vary the Public Entertainments Licence – Diva, Gower Street, Derby

A report of the Director of Corporate Services was considered which gave details of an application to vary the Public Entertainments Licence at Diva, Gower Street, Derby. Mr D Brown and Mr M Cooper attended the meeting and addressed the Sub Committee.

It was noted that objections had been received from local residents who were concerned about the increase in noise levels and disruption in the area. A further letter of objection had been received along with two letters of support, which were circulated at the meeting. There were no other objections.

Resolved

1 To approve the application for the variation of the Public Entertainments Licence as set out below, in order to protect the interests of neighbouring residents from being unreasonably disturbed by noise:

Sunday	12.00 noon	12.30 am
Monday	11.00 am	1.00 am
Tuesday	11.00 am	1.00 am
Wednesday	11.00 am	1.00 am
Thursday	11.00 am	1.00 am
Friday	11.00 am	2.00 am
Saturday	11.00 am	2.00 am

2 To increase the capacity from 300 to 420 people.

MINUTES END