

Time commenced - 10.05 am
Time adjourned - 12.55 pm
Time recommenced- 1.20 pm
Time finished - 2.15 pm

LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE B 17 DECEMBER 2003

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

34/03 Apologies

An apology for absence was received from Councillor Brown.

35/03 Late Items Introduced by the Chair

There were no late items.

36/03 Declarations of Interest

Councillor Jones declared a personal prejudicial interest in minute number 41/03 as she knew one of the objectors.

37/03 Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on 29 October 2003 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

38/03 Application to Renew the Public Entertainments Licence – Moon Hotel, Station Road, Spondon, Derby

A report of the Director of Corporate Services was considered, which gave details of an application to renew the Public Entertainments Licence for the Moon Hotel, Station Road, Spondon, Derby. Although invited to the meeting, Mrs C Mordue did not attend.

Resolved to refuse the application renew the Public Entertainments Licence on the grounds that a number of certificates of work required to ensure the licence conditions are met were not supplied and the panel

felt that every effort had not been made to ensure that they were produced in time.

39/03 Application to Vary the Public Entertainments Licence – Supanova, 35 Babington Lane, Derby

A report of the Director of Corporate Services was considered which gave details of an application to vary the Public Entertainments Licence at Supanova, 35 Babington Lane, Derby. Mrs V Newborough attended the meeting with her daughter, Miss F Newborough, and addressed the Sub Committee.

It was noted that an objection had been received from the Police Authority. PC Needham, on behalf of the Police Authority, addressed the Sub Committee, stating that the objection was made because of the potential adverse impact and disruption to Policing in the area at the hours requested. There were no other objections.

Resolved to grant the application to vary the Public Entertainments Licence on the grounds that the objection raised by the Police relating to Police resources was not a valid reason for refusal. The Committee was satisfied that at present there are no concerns about crime and disorder in respect of the premises, however, in order to prevent any potential crime and disorder problems, a minimum of one doorman per hundred customers or part thereof must be present at all times during the operation of the Public Entertainments Licence.

The Committee also recommended that entry to the club was not permitted after 2.00 am, although not to be imposed as a condition on the licence.

The new hours would be as follows:

Sunday	7.00 pm	1.00 am
Monday	7.00 pm	2.00 am
Tuesday	7.00 pm	2.00 am
Wednesday	7.00 pm	2.00 am
Thursday	7.00 pm	2.00 am
Friday	7.00 pm	4.00 am
Saturday	7.00 pm	4.00 am

At this point, Councillor Jackson left the meeting.

40/03 Application to Vary the Public Entertainments
Licence – Blue Peter, Harvey Road, Alvaston,
Derby

A report of the Director of Corporate Services was considered which gave details of an application to vary the Public Entertainments Licence at Blue Peter, Harvey Road, Alvaston, Derby. Mr L Kemish, along with his solicitor, Mr Ryans, 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 a petition, which were both circulated at the meeting. There were no objections reported from the Police Authority.

Mr Colella and Mr Henderson, in objection to the application, also addressed the Sub Committee.

Resolved to grant the application to vary the Public Entertainments Licence for the hours of Friday and Saturday nights only, subject to the following conditions:

- **That no glasses or bottles be removed from the premises by patrons.**
- **The windows of the premises be closed at all times during the Public Entertainment hours.**
- **There be a maximum number of 400 persons on the premises with a minimum of one door supervisor to 250 customers or part thereof during all times of the Public Entertainment hours.**
- **The door supervisors should receive adequate training and certification within three months from the date of the meeting.**
- **The two fire exits at the back of the premises be fitted with a 'break glass' opening system to prevent misuse of the exit. In the interim, the fire exits should be guarded by a door supervisor to prevent persons entering the premises.**
- **A noise limiting device be fitted in the premises within a period of three months from the date of the meeting and the level of calibration set by a Pollution Control Officer from Environmental Health. All entertainment at the premises must be passed through the noise limiter.**
- **That signage be displayed on the premises requesting customers to refrain from causing a disturbance to neighbours.**
- **The Crime Reduction Officer's recommendations should be complied with, specifically CCTV. Installation**

requirements should be completed fully within three months from the date of the meeting.

- **That the Licensee attend a course relating to door supervisor issues within three months from the date of the meeting.**

The Committee also recommended that entry to the premises was not permitted after 11.00 pm and that signs be displayed to that effect, although not to be imposed as a condition on the licence.

The new hours would be as follows:

Sunday	12.00 noon	10.30 pm
Monday	10.30 am	11.00 pm
Tuesday	10.30 am	11.00 pm
Wednesday	10.30 am	11.00 pm
Thursday	10.30 am	12.00 midnight
Friday	10.30 am	1.00 am
Saturday	10.30 am	1.00 am

At this point, Councillor Jackson returned to the meeting.

Councillor Jones, having declared an interest in the following item left the meeting during discussion and voting thereon.

41/03 Application for a Provisional Public Entertainments Licence – The Robin, 71 Devonshire Drive, Mickleover, Derby

A report of the Director of Corporate Services was considered which gave details of an application to vary the Public Entertainments Licence at The Robin, 71 Devonshire Drive, Mickleover, Derby. Mr D Snape, along with his partner, Ms M Dickinson, 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 anti-social behaviour in the area, which was mostly residential. A further letter of objection had also been received from the Police Authority. Mrs Mercer and two other objectors also addressed the Sub Committee.

The applicants explained that the licence was not intended to provide public entertainments on a weekly basis. It was planned to have an event approximately every 6-10 weeks and on the first Bank Holiday of the year to celebrate an anniversary.

On discussion of various issues concerning what was planned for the licence, all objections were withdrawn.

Resolved to grant the application for a provisional Public Entertainments Licence as the objections had been withdrawn. However, the following conditions would apply:

- That public entertainment held on a Monday be limited to bank holidays only.
- That public entertainment be limited to the bar area of the premises only.
- There should only be a maximum capacity of 100 persons only during the hours of public entertainment.
- That signage be displayed on the premises requesting customers to refrain from causing a disturbance to neighbours.
- The windows of the premises be closed at all times during the hours of public entertainment.
- That the Crime Reduction Officer's recommendations be complied with.
- That any recommendations regarding noise put forward by the Pollution Control Officer from Environmental Health be complied with.

The hours of public entertainment would be limited to the following periods:

Sunday	-	-
Monday	8.00 pm	11.00 pm
Tuesday	-	-
Wednesday	-	-
Thursday	-	-
Friday	8.00 pm	11.00 pm
Saturday	8.00 pm	11.00 pm

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