

Licensing Sub-Committee

MINUTES of the OPEN section of the Licensing Sub-Committee held on Monday 26 July 2010 at 10.00 am at Town Hall, Peckham Road, London SE5 8UB

PRESENT: Councillor Lorraine Lauder MBE
Councillor Michael Mitchell
Councillor Wilma Nelson

OTHERS PRESENT: Adam Saword, applicant
Luke Jenkins, supporting the applicant
Katherine Verkruysse, supporting the applicant
Robert Charles Jackson, supporting the applicant
Councillor Ian Wingfield, ward councillor
Rosemary Minto, local resident
John Hall, local resident
Julia Roskill, local resident
Nichola Roskill, local resident
Alex Blacknell, local resident
Fiona Subotsky, local resident

OFFICER SUPPORT: Dorcas Mills, licensing officer
Felix Rechtman, legal services
Virginia Wynn-Jones, constitutional team

1. APOLOGIES

There were no apologies.

2. CONFIRMATION OF VOTING MEMBERS

The members present were confirmed as the voting members.

3. NOTIFICATION OF ANY ITEMS OF BUSINESS WHICH THE CHAIR DEEMS URGENT

There were none.

4. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS AND DISPENSATIONS

There were none.

5. LICENSING ACT 2003 - THE GRAND UNION PUBLIC HOUSE, 26 CAMBERWELL GROVE, LONDON SE5 8RE

The licensing officer presented her case. Members had questions for the licensing officer.

The applicant addressed the sub-committee. Members had questions for the applicant.

The local resident objectors addressed the sub-committee. Members had questions for the local residents.

Each party was given 5 minutes to sum up.

The sub-committee went into closed session at 11.20am. The meeting resumed at 11.50am and the decision was announced.

RESOLVED:

That the application by Adam Sarword for a variation of the Premises Licence issued under the Licensing Act 2003 in respect of Grand Union, 26 Camberwell Grove, London SE5 8RE is granted in part as follows:

Licensable Activity	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
New Activities							
Films	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 00.00	10.00 00.00	10.00 23.00
Performance of Dance	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 00.00	10.00 00.00	10.00 23.00
Provision of facilities for making music	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 00.00	10.00 00.00	10.00 23.00
Provision of facilities for dancing	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	10.00 00.00	10.00 00.00	10.00 23.00
Reduced Activities							
Live Music					10.00 23.00	10.00 23.00	

Reasons

The reasons for the decision are, as follows:

Having heard the representations from the applicant, interested parties and the ward councillor, the application to extend the opening hours is refused, as the sub-committee is not satisfied that the granting of the application will have no adverse cumulative impact in the saturation zone, and further consider that the granting of this application will have adverse impact on the prevention of nuisance objective in the Licensing Act.

The application to add further activities such as film, dance and making music is approved with such activities limited to existing opening hours. The application to reduce live music hours is granted as well.

Appeal Rights

The applicant or any interested parties may appeal against the decision.

Any appeal must be made to the magistrate court for the petty sessions area in which the premises are situated. Any appeal must be commenced by notice of appeal given by the appellant to the justices' chief executive for the magistrates' court within the period of 21 days beginning with the day on which the appellant was notified by the licensing authority of the decision appealed against.

The meeting closed at 11.55am.

CHAIR:

DATED: