

LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE E -EXPEDITED SUMMARY REVIEW

Wednesday, 20th May, 2020

at 2.00 pm

Until further notice, all Council meetings will be held remotely

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AGENDA

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ADVICE TO MEMBERS ON DECLARING INTERESTS

Hackney Council's Code of Conduct applies to <u>all</u> Members of the Council, the Mayor and co-opted Members.

This note is intended to provide general guidance for Members on declaring interests. However, you may need to obtain specific advice on whether you have an interest in a particular matter. If you need advice, you can contact:

- The Corporate Director of Legal, HR and Regulatory Services;
- The Legal Adviser to the committee; or
- Governance Services.

If at all possible, you should try to identify any potential interest you may have before the meeting so that you and the person you ask for advice can fully consider all the circumstances before reaching a conclusion on what action you should take.

1. Do you have a disclosable pecuniary interest in any matter on the agenda or which is being considered at the meeting?

You will have a disclosable pecuniary interest in a matter if it:

- relates to an interest that you have already registered in Parts A and C of the Register of Pecuniary Interests of you or your spouse/civil partner, or anyone living with you as if they were your spouse/civil partner;
- ii. relates to an interest that should be registered in Parts A and C of the Register of Pecuniary Interests of your spouse/civil partner, or anyone living with you as if they were your spouse/civil partner, but you have not yet done so; or
- iii. affects your well-being or financial position or that of your spouse/civil partner, or anyone living with you as if they were your spouse/civil partner.

2. If you have a disclosable pecuniary interest in an item on the agenda you must:

- i. Declare the existence and <u>nature</u> of the interest (in relation to the relevant agenda item) as soon as it becomes apparent to you (subject to the rules regarding sensitive interests).
- ii. You must leave the room when the item in which you have an interest is being discussed. You cannot stay in the meeting room or public gallery whilst discussion of the item takes place and you cannot vote on the matter. In addition, you must not seek to improperly influence the decision.
- iii. If you have, however, obtained dispensation from the Monitoring Officer or Standards Committee you may remain in the room and participate in the meeting. If dispensation has been granted it will stipulate the extent of your involvement, such as whether you can only be present to make representations, provide evidence or whether you are able to fully participate and vote on the matter in which you have a pecuniary interest.

3. Do you have any other non-pecuniary interest on any matter on the agenda which is being considered at the meeting?

You will have 'other non-pecuniary interest' in a matter if:

- i. It relates to an external body that you have been appointed to as a Member or in another capacity; or
- ii. It relates to an organisation or individual which you have actively engaged in supporting.

4. If you have other non-pecuniary interest in an item on the agenda you must:

- i. Declare the existence and <u>nature</u> of the interest (in relation to the relevant agenda item) as soon as it becomes apparent to you.
- ii. You may remain in the room, participate in any discussion or vote provided that contractual, financial, consent, permission or licence matters are not under consideration relating to the item in which you have an interest.
- iii. If you have an interest in a contractual, financial, consent, permission or licence matter under consideration, you must leave the room unless you have obtained a dispensation from the Monitoring Officer or Standards Committee. You cannot stay in the room or public gallery whilst discussion of the item takes place and you cannot vote on the matter. In addition, you must not seek to improperly influence the decision. Where members of the public are allowed to make representations, or to give evidence or answer questions about the matter you may, with the permission of the meeting, speak on a matter then leave the room. Once you have finished making your representation, you must leave the room whilst the matter is being discussed.
- iv. If you have been granted dispensation, in accordance with the Council's dispensation procedure you may remain in the room. If dispensation has been granted it will stipulate the extent of your involvement, such as whether you can only be present to make representations, provide evidence or whether you are able to fully participate and vote on the matter in which you have a non pecuniary interest.

Further Information

Advice can be obtained from Dawn Carter-McDonald, Director of Legal and Governance (Acting) on 020 8356 4817 or email dawn.carter-mcdonald@hackney.gov.uk



Relevant Extracts from Hackney's Statement of Licensing Policy

Please find below relevant extracts from the Statement of Licensing Policy 2011.

LP1 Planning

Licence applications should normally be from premises where:

- (a) The activity to be authorised by the licence is a lawful planning use or is a deemed permitted development pursuant to the General Permitted Development Order (1995)
- (b) The hours sought do not exceed those authorised by any planning permission.

Note- Where the appropriate planning consent has not been obtained in advance and relevant representations are made, applicants will need to demonstrate that the operation of the premises would not be detrimental to the promotion of the licensing objectives.

LP2 Provisional Statements

The principles to be applied for provisional statements are similar to those applied for premises licences.

The application form for provisional statements is to include:

- Clear plans of the proposed structure
- An operating schedule including details of:
 - The activities to take place there
 - The time at which such activities will take place
 - The proposed hours of opening
 - Where the applicant wishes the licence to have effect for a limited period, that period
 - o The steps to be taken to promote the licensing objectives, and
 - Where the sale of alcohol is involved, whether supplies are proposed to be for consumption on or off the premises (or both) and the name of the designated premises supervisor the applicant wishes to specify.

LP3 The Application Form and Operating Schedule (minimum requirements)

The application form is to outline the operations of the entire licensed business or event and must include:

- (a) Prescribed plans
- (b) A general description of the style and character of the business or event to be conducted at the premises or venue, e.g. supermarket, restaurant, cinema, nightclub, or street party

- (c) An indication of the type of entertainment available
- (d) The relevant licensable activities to be undertaken at the premises or event, preferably with a risk assessment in respect of these activities
- (e) The times during which each of the proposed licensable activities are to take place
- (f) Any other times during which it is proposed that the premises or event be open to the public
- (g) Where the applicant wishes the licence to have effect for a limited period, that period to be specified
- (h) Whether alcohol is to be supplied for consumption on or off the premises or both
- (i) Where alcohol is to be supplied, details of the designated premises supervisor (not necessary for premises holding club premises certificates unless alcohol is to be sold rather than supplied to members)
- (j) Whether they propose to have sexual entertainment involving nudity or striptease or any other activity involving full or partial nudity, e.g. topless waitresses etc, or sex related entertainment such as the showing of films or other recordings with an 18 restricted category. This will need to be licensed as a sex establishment under the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982, as amended. The applicant must demonstrate that they hold the relevant licence
- (k) The steps which are proposed to promote the licensing objectives. In doing this, applicants are strongly encouraged to address the LPs as applicable.

Note:

- The conditions that are necessary for the promotion of the licensing objectives should normally emerge initially from a prospective licence or certificate holder's application.
- If the application has been granted the details of the application will be incorporated into the licence as conditions. Breach of these conditions could result in prosecution or a review and ultimately revocation.
- Where representations are made and the matter progresses to a Licensing Sub Committee, if the Sub Committee have:
 - Doubts about the applicant's ability to promote the licensing objectives and comply with the terms of a licence (for example, proposed conditions, and how licensable activities will be conducted during the operation of the licence)

- ii) Doubts around the track record of the management and suitability of the DPS.
- iii) Been notified of any actions taken by responsible authorities or the licensing authority in relation to the premises
- iv) Been notified of recent or historical complaints

the Council may not grant the permission as sought.

LP4 Crime and Disorder

Applicants are expected to demonstrate within their application measures to prevent crime and disorder, such as:

- (a) Details of registered door supervisors and other staff to be provided including their relevant qualifications or registrations, the number of such staff, their location whilst working at the premises and the times they will be on duty. All door supervisors are to be licensed by the Security Industry Authority (www.the-sia.org.uk)
- (b) Locations of any physical security features to protect the premises, customers and staff, such as CCTV equipment, alarms systems, secure window locks to be used inside/outside the premises. When referring to CCTV, identify its coverage of the interior and exterior of the premises, that it is to be recordable, kept for a minimum of 31 days and made available to the Police and Licensing Authority on request. When details of security measures are provided, they will be kept out of the public domain
- (c) Provision of adequate search facilities where appropriate to the use of the premises. This may include use of technology such as club scan, weapon arches and search wands
- (d) Measures proposed to prevent possession, supply or consumption of illegal drugs and possession of weapons. For example, designing out areas or surfaces where there is a risk of crime, drug detection and confiscation policies, internal patrols
- (e) Measures to be implemented to promote sensible drinking and prevent binge drinking. For instance, by the display of safe drinking material or legal warnings
- (f) Arrangements for any promotional events such as "happy hours" or special offers should be avoided having regard to the mandatory conditions. If any such event is undertaken, careful consideration should be given to their duration, times, location within premises and any additional measures (such as increased security), to minimise crime and disorder
- (g) Location of lighting inside/outside the premises
- (h) Other measures aimed at preventing crime and discouraging anti-social behaviour. Careful regard should be given to the Council applying its borough wide DPPO ("Controlled Drinking Area"). Depending on the

circumstances, this may for example include the restricted sale of low cost, high strength alcohol (which may be indicated by wording such as "super" on the drinks packaging) and the display of signage highlighting that the premises is located in a Controlled Drinking Area

- (i) Whether or not the premises will be serving alcohol in glass or plastic containers; if serving alcohol in glass containers, identify what measures will be implemented to ensure patrons cannot take glass outside the premises
- (j) Whether the premises belongs to a local Pub Watch scheme or has complied with a Police Club Industry Minimum Operating Standards (CIMOS) report
- (k) The availability of drinking water
- (I) The location of any toughened glass to be installed at the premises
- (m) The details of any proof of age scheme to be implemented
- (n) The maximum capacity figure for the premises and a statement demonstrating the premises' ability to accommodate the predicted number of patrons safely and how this is managed, for example by way of door supervision or counting mechanisms such as clickers
- (o) Whether the premises has undertaken a Police Drug Ion Itemiser Tracker assessment or cooperated with any other Police investigation in order to detect crime and disorder. Where premises have taken part in such activity, an explanation of the outcomes, including any actions taken in addressing the issues raised is encouraged
- (p) Whether queue management arrangements are in place. This may include door supervision and/or the use of barriers where these do not obstruct the public highway
- (q) Whether staff training on the licensing objectives is provided and recorded
- (r) Whether other socially responsible practices are employed, such as anti spiking measures, use of hand bag clips, notices and designated driver schemes
- (s) Whether other management practices are employed, such as maintenance of incident and accident logs, refusal of sales logs, refusal of entry logs, server training, provision of emergency contact numbers to regulatory agencies should contact with management be required as a matter of importance
- (t) Whether appropriate safeguards are in place to address the potential risks and impacts of gang related activity, particularly where the area and/or the premises are renowned for being a source of or associated with gang related activity.

LP5 Public Nuisance

Applicants are expected to demonstrate within their application that problems such as noise, light, smoke, odour, litter, anti-social behaviour, human waste, fly posting and highways/footpath obstructions can be minimised through steps they propose.

For example, the application should where necessary:

- (a) Demonstrate that, between 11.00 pm and 7.00 am:
 - No noise is audible a metre from the façade of the nearest noise sensitive premises, or
 - No noise is audible within the nearest noise sensitive premises.
 - There is no discharge of glass recycling bins and no waste/recycling collections

Depending on the individual circumstances, the Council may request the provision of an acoustic report

- (b) Provide details of the location and types of noise attenuation measures used to minimise noise and vibration escaping the premises and car parking areas. Such measures may include sound-proofing, acoustic lobbies and sound limitation devices
- (c) Demonstrate measures to avoid vehicular queuing on the carriageway and disturbances from patrons queuing on the footpath
- (d) Illustrate the location of any taxi ranks, bus stops, train or tube stations in relation to the premises
- (e) Provide details of the location of gardens, open-air areas and the number of tables and chairs (where relevant) within the property boundary for use by patrons drinking, eating, smoking, queuing or congregating outside, and the hours of use of such areas

Provide details of how outside areas will be managed, in particular:

- The hours of use of any outside area where for example smoking, eating and drinking will be permitted. These may explain that use of the area is prohibited after a certain time to avoid disturbance late at night where residents are located nearby
- Measures to prevent drinks being spiked where people leave these unattended
- Where there is payment for admission, how re-entry can be managed – for example by the use of wrist bands
- Measures to ensure that patrons outside do not create nuisance from noise, smoke, obstruction or litter to neighbours or members of the general public
- Use of any physical security features and CCTV
- Use of door supervisors to monitor the area and people's behaviour
- Clear delineation of outside areas in consultation with Environmental Enforcement Services and Public Realm to

- avoid the obstruction of any public highway
- Provision of regular glass collection and cleaning patrols
- Any offer of a waited table service

Demonstrate that there are effective dispersal policies in place, such as:

- Door supervision
- Notices and posters asking patrons to enter and exit the premises quietly
- "Winding down" periods

NOTE:

For good practice guidance on managing the end of a night, applicants may wish to refer to the NOCTIS Dispersal Policy available at: www.noctisuk.org

- (f) Provide details of permissions where relevant (for example, planning permission or a street trading licence) for any gardens, open-air areas or tables and chairs to be used by patrons
- (g) Provide details of the refuse and waste management arrangements and collection times in place at the premises, including where on the premises refuse and recycling will be stored before collection. Give details of trade waste agreements that exist for the premises
- (h) Identify whether the activity will generate additional litter (including flyposters and/or illegal placards) in the vicinity of the premises, and the measures to deal with any such litter

LP6 The Protection of Children from Harm

- (a) Applicants are expected to demonstrate within their application that those factors that have the potential to harm children have been addressed. These include the potential for children to:
 - (i) Purchase, acquire or consume alcohol. (details of any proof of age schemes should be provided)
 - (ii) Be exposed to drugs, drug taking or drug dealing
 - (iii) Be exposed to gambling
 - (iv) Be exposed to activities of an adult or sexual nature including the exhibition of film, or transmission of programmes or videos that include strong language and/or sexual content
 - (v) Be exposed to incidents of violence or disorder
 - (vi) Be exposed to environmental pollution such as excessive noise
 - (vii) Be exposed to hazards

(viii) Purchase cigarettes from vending machines. The Council expects these machines to be in sight and under the supervision of bar staff

Note – This is not intended to be an exhaustive list.

- (b) Alcohol is not to be served to under 18s, except in the limited circumstances allowed for by the Licensing Act 2003. For example children aged between 16 and 18 are only permitted to consume beer, wine or cider on licensed premises if accompanied by an individual aged 18 or over and if eating a table meal (this excludes bar snacks). (This excludes venues holding a club premises certificate where over 18s only are allowed alcohol.)
- (c) Where relevant representations have been made, the Council will not normally permit children to be admitted where:
 - (i) Entertainment of an adult or sexual nature is commonly provided
 - (ii) There have been convictions for serving alcohol to under 18s
 - (iii) Certain gambling activities take place (see Council guidance note)
 - (iv) There have been convictions of harbouring drug dealings or the premises has a known association with drug dealers
 - Note The Act details a number of measures designed to protect children in licensed premises. The Council will work closely with the Police and its partners to ensure appropriate enforcement of the law, in line with the Council's Enforcement Policy
- (d) Where limiting access to children is considered necessary, the Council will consider the following options:
 - (i) A limit on the hours when children may be present
 - (ii) An age limitation (for under 18s)
 - (iii) A limitation or exclusion when certain activities are taking place
 - (iv) A requirement for children to be accompanied by an adult
 - (v) Access may be limited to certain parts of the premises
- (e) No conditions will be imposed requiring that children be admitted to any premises and, where no limitation is imposed, this will be left to the discretion of the individual licensee
- (f) Events provided primarily for children will not be permitted to sell alcohol on or from the premises
- (g) Where internet access is provided measures may be put in place to ensure children are suitably supervised in those areas.

LP7 Access to Cinemas, Theatres, Auditoriums and similar premises

- (a) Licensees are required to restrict children from viewing age-restricted films according to the recommendations of the British Board of Film Classification or, where relevant, any age restriction agreed by the Council. The licensee should state in the operating schedule what measures are to be put in place to control such access
- (b) For regulated entertainment especially presented for children, the Council will, where relevant representations have been made, require the following arrangements in order to control entry to and exit from the premises to ensure their safety:
 - An adult member of staff to be stationed in the vicinity of every exit, subject to there being a minimum of one member of staff per 50 children or part thereof
 - (ii) No child, unless accompanied by an adult, to be permitted in the front two rows of any balcony
 - (iii) No standing to be permitted in any part of the auditorium during the performance

Note The Council will expect these issues to be satisfactorily addressed in operating schedules. The Council will consider attaching conditions to licences and permissions to prevent harm to children.

LP8 Public Safety

Applicants are expected to demonstrate within their application measures to protect public safety, including:

- (a) A current fire risk assessment as required by the Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005. If this has not been undertaken, the Fire Authority are likely to make a relevant representation on public safety grounds
- (b) Safe use of special effects/equipments (lasers, smoke machines, strobe lights etc) which may affect public safety (particularly in music and dance venues and similar premises)
- (c) The availability of up-to-date public transport and car parking information at the premises
- (d) A detailed plan that identifies all existing and proposed fire safety features, including smoke detectors, emergency lighting, sprinkler systems and other safety features. All fire safety measures to be compliant with relevant standards
- (e) All exits to be kept unobstructed, easy to open and clearly signed
- (f) Adequate measures to be in place for disabled people to allow their safe evacuation in the event of an emergency

- (g) The availability of first aid equipment and arrangements for training staff in its use
- (h) Any equipment or fixtures of a particular standard used on the premises to be maintained and inspected with details of checks recorded in a log book.

LP9 Premises Safety

- (a) Applicants are expected to demonstrate the safety of their premises by ensuring records are kept detailing maintenance checks thereafter in respect of:
 - (i) Periodic electrical inspection
 - (ii) Annual inspection of fire alarm
 - (iii) Annual inspection of hand fire appliances
 - (iv) Emergency lighting inspection and test
- (b) Premises wishing to provide regulated entertainment, or who do not currently adequately ensure safety under current legislation, may also need to comply with prescribed standards. These may include (but are not limited to) additional certificates such as battery discharge, gas safety, passenger lifts, stage equipment, ceilings, and generators.

LP10 Personal Licences

- (a) When determining a contested application the Council will consider whether the grant of the licence promotes the crime and disorder objective. It will consider the:
 - (i) Seriousness and relevance of any conviction(s)
 - (ii) The period that has elapsed since committing the offence(s)
 - (iii) Any mitigating circumstances.

LP11 Temporary Event Notices

- (a) The Police have indicated that they will normally object to TENs where:
 - The TEN does not provide sufficient information to alleviate Police concerns
 - The TEN has not been completed fully
 - Insufficient notice has been given for the Police to satisfy themselves that the event would not undermine the crime and disorder objective
 - The premises has a history of complaints or incidents linked to the crime and disorder objective. Alternatively, the premises has had a one off serious incident affecting the crime and disorder objective
 - Previous TENs by the premises user have caused issues of Police concern
 - The premises user has failed to comply with previous advice and recommendations given by the Police with regard to the management of the premises/ event
 - Crime and disorder issues have arisen as a result of previous

- temporary events linked to the organiser and/or the premises
- The venue does not already possess a premises licence, or if the event involves a departure from the terms of the premises licence, applicants have not sufficiently demonstrated that the management of the event will meet the requirements set out in the LPs as applicable and proportionate to the nature of the event
- A risk assessment of the event in consultation with and to the satisfaction of the Police has not been provided to the Police 14 days in advance of the event. The Police recommend completion of a Form 696 to help satisfy this.

The Licensing Authority treats the Police as its main source of advice on crime and disorder and so is likely to treat the advice of the Police in matters concerning TENs as worthy of significant weight.

Therefore, applicants are strongly encouraged to have regard to the factors above and provide the following data when notifying the Police and Council of a TEN:

- Accurate premises user contact details as well as alternative contact details to ensure that contact can be made
- Full details of all acts/performers
- Confirmation that the owner of the land/building has consented, preferably in writing, to the TEN
- Confirmation that the building/land are deemed suitable for the proposed TEN both in terms of patron safety and neighbouring premises and occupants safety.
- (b) The premises user is reminded that a fire risk assessment is to be completed or should be in place. Failure to do so may lead to the Fire Authority prohibiting use of the premises under their separate powers
- (c) The freeholder or leaseholder of the premises (where relevant) should have given their permission for the use of the premises for the temporary event
- (d) When the Police have made an objection based on crime and disorder and a Licensing Sub Committee uphold the objection at a hearing, a counter notice will be issued.

LP12 Licensing Hours

Where relevant representations have been made, the Council adopts the following principles.

- (a) The Council supports the principle of flexibility in its approach to licensing hours and will consider the merits of each individual application. The licensing hours fixed will always reflect the individual merits of the application, the relevant representations received and the requirement to promote the licensing objectives.
- (b) Earlier hours may be set if the individual circumstances require it. Later hours will be set where it can be demonstrated by the applicant that there would be no breach of the licensing objectives. In residential areas the Council will not normally grant licences beyond 12 midnight, unless the applicant can demonstrate that operating hours beyond this will not cause

undue disturbance to local residents.

- (c) The Council would expect premises wishing to trade for longer hours to site themselves in places where they will not create disturbances to residential accommodation, and will take a stricter approach to licensing hours in residential areas.
- (d) The Council may impose conditions limiting the hours of usage of an outside area or preventing drinks being taken to the outside area beyond the stated terminal hour.

LP13 Special Policy Area – Shoreditch

It is the Council's policy that where a relevant representation is made to any application within the area of the Shoreditch SPA, the application will be refused unless there are exceptional circumstances. This policy is to be strictly applied.

The Council expects that any exceptional circumstances offered by the applicant should be genuinely exceptional and so would not include reference to:

- · The quality and track record of the management
- The good character of the applicant
- The extent of any variation sought.

LP14 Special Policy Area - Dalston

All **new or variation** applications within the Dalston SPA will have to show:

- High standards of management
- The quality and track record of the management
- The good character of the applicant

Notwithstanding the above, where a relevant representation is made the policy will be to refuse any new or variation application which seeks to:

- Increase the capacity of an existing premises,
- Extend the hours of operation of an existing premises, or
- Permit any activity/use not identified or allowed for in the table below or,
- Permit any activity/use where there is a genuine concern that the proposal will have a negative impact in the area. For example this may include premises that have a large capacity or are mainly outdoors.

The policy is directed at the concentration of persons in the area and particularly those who have been drinking late at night. Therefore any application will need to demonstrate that it does not add to the issues of cumulative impact in the Dalston area.

[\checkmark = yes \times = no]

	Sun-Thurs Up to 23.00	Sun-Thurs Up to midnight	Fri& Sat Up to 23.00	Fri& Sat Up to midnight	Mon – Sun Post midnight
Restaurant (with alcohol)	✓	×	✓	✓	×
Restaurant (without alcohol)	n/a	×	✓	✓	×
Takeaways	n/a	×	n/a	×	×
Pubs and Bars	✓	×	√	✓	×
Nightclubs	×	×	×	×	×
Off Licences	√	×	√	×	×
Theatres	✓	✓	✓	✓	×
Cinemas	✓	✓	✓	✓	×
Combined Uses	✓	✓	✓	✓	×
Qualifying Clubs	✓	✓	✓	✓	×

LP15 Cumulative Impact – General

The Council will give due regard to any relevant representations received where concerns are raised and supported around the negative cumulative impact the proposed application has on one or more of the licensing objectives.

LP16 The Olympic and Paralympic Games 2012

- (a) Where, as a result of representation(s) made, it is identified that a licence, certificate or proposed event presents a risk that the licensing objectives will be undermined, it is likely that such applications will not be granted.
- Careful consideration will be given to representations from responsible (b) authorities in relation to licence applications for activities before, during and after the Games which refer to the safety and security of the public.

Particular regard will be given to representations received which highlight that the resources of the Police and other emergency/ regulatory services are insufficient to deal with the risks presented.

Agenda Item 4

Licensing Sub-Committee hearings, under the Licensing Act 2003 – Type D [Re; Expedited/Summary Review – Interim Steps, pending the Review or Representations against any Interim Steps taken]

Cton 4	The Cub Committee will appointment a Chair	
Step 1 Appointment of Chair	The Sub-Committee will appointment a Chair.	
and introduction	The Chair will introduce the Sub-Committee, announce the item, and establish the identity of those taking part.	5 minutes
	The Sub-Committee will consider any requests to depart from normal procedure, such as holding a private session if it is considered to be in the public interest to do so or if a deferral/adjournment is requested for the item.	
	The Chair (or Legal Adviser if asked by the Chair) will briefly outline how the hearing will proceed. However, Members may seek clarification on any issue raised during the hearing if required and if requested.	
Step 2	The Licensing Officer will outline the report.	
Licensing Officer		5 minutes
Step 3 Responsible Authorities' Case	The Chair will invite the Police to highlight their reasons for the interim steps.	5 minutes each
Step 4 Premises Licence Holder	The Premises Licence Holder will present their case why interim steps are not necessary.	5 minutes
Step 5 Discussion	The Chair will structure and lead a discussion on the information presented and give Sub-Committee Members and opportunity to seek clarification on any points raised and ask questions, if necessary.	15 minutes
Step 6 Closing remarks	The Chair will ask all parties if they have any final comments to make. The comments shall only be in relation to issues raised during the discussion. The comments made should be brief.	10 minutes
Step 7 - Final clarification	Licensing Sub-Committee Members will have a final opportunity to seek clarification on any points raised, following which the Chair will conclude the discussion.	5 minutes
Step 8 Consideration	The Sub-Committee will normally withdraw to consider the evidence that has been presented to them with the Committee Officer and Legal Adviser in order that the Sub-Committee can reach a decision and obtain legal advice if required.	10 minutes
	The Legal Adviser will repeat any legal advice given to Members upon returning to the public hearing.	
	In simple cases the Sub-Committee may not consider it necessary to retire.	
Step 9 Chair announces the decision	The Sub-Committee will return and the Chair will announce the decision. Reasons for their decision will be given, if appropriate.	
	The Licensing Officer will draw attention to any restrictions which will affect the running of the premises and provide a written record of the decision, which will be sent to the Police and Premises user.	5 minutes

The Council's procedure rules are also incorporated into these hearing procedures in so far as it does not conflict the procedures as set out above. The Licensing Hearing Regulations can also be viewed by following the link below – http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2005/44/contents/made





REPORT OF GROUP DIRECTOR, NEIGHBOURHOODS AND HOUSING		
LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE:	Classification For decision	Enclosure
20/05/2020		
APPLICATION FOR REVIEW: INTERIM STEPS PENDING FULL REVIEW	Ward(s) affected	
	London Fields	
Topaloglu Food and Wine,		
478 Kingsland Road, E8 4AE		

1. SUMMARY

1.1 To consider whether it is necessary to take interim steps to address problems of serious crime and/or disorder at the premises known as Topaloglu Food and Wine, 478 Kingsland Road, E8 4AE pending a full review of the licence.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 The Metropolitan Police have applied for an expedited review of the premises licence for Topaloglu Food and Wine, 478 Kingsland Road, E8 4AE under the provisions of Section 53A of the Licensing Act 2003. This provides a mechanism for interim steps to be taken to address immediate problems with a premises, in particular the likelihood of serious crime and/or serious disorder, pending a decision on the full review application.
- 2.2 The review application and associated certificate are attached at Appendix A. The Metropolitan Police are seeking revocation of the licence with suspension of the licence as an interim measure.
- 2.3 The premises licence holder will have the opportunity to make representations against any interim steps taken by the licensing authority. There is no time limit for the licence holder to make representations but if representations are made the licensing authority must hold a hearing within 48 hours of receipt.
- 2.4 The full review hearing must be held by **15 June 2020.**

3. CURRENT POSITION/ HISTORY

3.1 Topaloglu Food and Wine has been in possession of a premises licence prior to the introduction of the Licensing Act 2003. The licence was transferred to Sherkhan Ltd in November 2018. The Designated

Premises Supervisor is Sajjad Popal.

3.2 The current premises licence is attached as Appendix B

4. HUMAN RIGHTS ACT 1998 IMPLICATIONS

4.1 There are implications on Article 6, Article 8, Article 14 and the First Protocol of Article 1.

5. LEGAL COMMENTS

- 5.1 In considering whether to take any interim steps regard should be had to the immediate measures that are necessary to prevent serious crime or serious disorder occurring.
- 5.2 In deciding when a decision to take interim steps should take effect, the practical implications of a premises' complying with such steps is a factor.
- 5.3 Very careful consideration needs to be given to interim steps which would require significant cost or permanent or semi-permanent adjustments to premises in some circumstances, it might be better to seek suspension of the licence pending full review rather than imposing a range of costly conditions or permanent adjustments.

5. MEMBERS DECISION MAKING

5.1 The options available at this interim stage are:

Option 1

Modify the conditions of the premises licence

Option 2

The exclusion of the sale of alcohol by retail (or other licensable activities) from the scope of the licence.

Option 3

Remove the designated premises supervisor from the licence

Option 4

Suspension of the licence

13. **CONCLUSION**

13.1 That Members decide on any steps to be taken pending the full review of the licence.

Acting Group Director, Neighbourhoods and Housing Ajman Ali

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Principal Licensing Officer Licensing Service 1 Hillman Street London E8 1DY

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LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS RELATING TO THIS REPORT

The following document(s) has been relied upon in the preparation of the report.

Description of document	Location
Office File:	Licensing Service
Topaloglu Food and Wine, 478	2 Hillman Street
Kingsland Road, E8 4AE	London E8 1FB

Printed matter

Licensing Act 2003 LBH Statement of Licensing Policy



APPENDIX A Form 693

TOTAL POLICING

Form for Applying for a Summary Licence Review

Application for the review of a premises licence under section 53A of the Licensing Act 2003 (premises associated with serious crime, serious disorder or both)

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing the form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink.

Insert name and address of relevant licensing authority and its reference number:

Use additional sheets if necessary.

Name: Metropolitan Police Service	
Address:	
Stoke Newington Police Station, 33 Stoke Newin	gon High Street, Hackney
Post town: London	Post code; N16 8DS
Ref. No.:	
I PC Neal HUNWICK	
on behalf of the chief officer of police for licence under section 53A of the Licensin	the Metropolitan Police area apply for the review of a premises g Act 2003.
1. Premises details	
Postal address of premises or club premi	ses, or if none, ordnance survey map reference or description:
478 Kingsland Road, Hackney	
Post town: London	Post code: E8 4AE (if known)
2. Premises licence details	
Name of premises licence holder or club	nolding club premises certificate (if known):
Sherkhan Ltd	
Number of premises licence or club prem	ises certificate (if known):
LBH-PRE-T-0035	
3. Certificate under section 53A(1)(b)	of the Licensing Act 2003 (Please read guidance note 1)
	by a senior member of the police force for the police area above a associated with serious crime or serious disorder or both, and the
Please tick the box to confirm:	

PROTECTIVE MARKING

4. Details of association of the above premises with serious crime, serious disorder or both (Please read guidance note 2)

At about 1830hrs on Tuesday 12th May 2020 it is alleged that the DPS and Licence Holder together with 4 members of his staff did assault a passer by outside the venue by using baseball bats and during this assault allegedly stamped on the victim.

Signature of	applicant /		
Signature:	N Mrush R3590 CE	Date:	18 TH MAY 2020
Capacity:	Police Constable - Licensing Unit		
Contact details for matters concerning this application			
Surname:	HUNWICK	First Names:	Neal
Address:			
Licensing Unit, Stoke Newington Police Station, 33 Stoke Newington High Street			
Post town:	London	Post code:	N16 8DS
Tel. No.:	0207 275 3140	Email:	HackneyLicensingUnit- GN@met.police.uk

Notes for guidance

- 1. A certificate of the kind mentioned in the form must accompany the application in order for it to be valid under the terms of the Licensing Act 2003. The certificate must explicitly state the senior officer's opinion that the premises in question are associated with serious crime, serious disorder or both. Serious crime is defined by reference to section 81 of the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000. In summary, it means:
 - conduct that amounts to one or more criminal offences for which a person who has attained the age of
 eighteen and has no previous convictions could reasonably be expected to be sentenced to imprisonment for
 a term of three years or more; or
 - conduct that amounts to one or more criminal offences and involves the use of violence, results in substantial
 financial gain or is conduct by a large number of persons in pursuit of a common purpose.
 Serious disorder is not defined in legislation, and so bears its ordinary English meaning.
- 2. Briefly describe the circumstances giving rise to the opinion that the above premises are associated with serious crime, serious disorder, or both.

Retention Period: 7 years MP 146/12



TOTAL POLICING

Certificate under Section 53A(1)(b) of the Licensing Act 2003

Metropolitan Police Service | New Scotland | Yard 8-10 Broadway | London | SW1H 0BG

I hereby certify that in my opinion the premises described below are associated with: both serious crime and serious disorder

Premises (Include business name and address and any other	relevant identifying details):
Postal address of premises or club premises, or if none, ord	nance survey map reference or description:
478 Kingsland Road, Hackney	
Post town: London Post	code: E8 4AE
Premises licence number (if known):	
LBH-PRE-T-0035	
Name of premises supervisor (if known):	
Sajjad POPAL	
I am a Chief Superintendant* in the Metropolitan Police	Service.
*Insert rank of officer giving the certificate, which must be superintende	nt or above.
I am giving this certificate because I am of the opinion Licensing Act are inappropriate in this case because:	that other procedures under the
(Give a brief description of why other procedures such as a standard redegree of seriousness of the crime and/or disorder, the past history of the One of the suspects is the DPS and Sole Director of the no other measures are available in order to protect the	e Company holding the Licence and as such
•	
Signature	
Signature: Boy Cnik - Date:	18 5/2020

Retention Period: 7 years MP 147/12

APPENDIX B



This premises licence has been issued by:

Licensing Service 2 Hillman Street London E8 1FB

PART A - PREMISES LICENCE

Premises Licence Number

LBH-PRE-T-0035

Part 1 - Premises details

Topaloglu Food and Wine 478 Kingsland Road Hackney London E8 4AE

Where the licence is time limited the dates

Not Applicable

Licensable activities authorised by the licence

Supply of Alcohol

The times the licence authorises the carrying out of Licensable activities

Supply of Alcohol Standard Hours:

Mon 00:00-23:59

Premises: Tue 00:00-23:59

Wed 00:00-23:59 Thu 00:00-23:59 Fri 00:00-23:59 Sat 00:00-23:59 Sun 00:00-23:59

The opening hours of the premises

Standard Hours:

Mon 00:00-23:59 Tue 00:00-23:59 Wed 00:00-23:59 Thu 00:00-23:59 Fri 00:00-23:59 Sat 00:00-23:59 Sun 00:00-23:59

Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol whether these are on and/or off supplies

Off Premises

Part 2 -

Name, (registered) address, telephone number and e-mail (where relevant) of holder of premises licence

Sherkhan Limited



Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

N/A

Name, address and telephone number of designated premises supervisor where the premises authorises the supply of alcohol

Sajjad Popal

Personal licence number and issuing authority of personal licence held by designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises the supply of alcohol

Date of Grant: 24 November 2005

Signed:

David Tuitt
Team Leader - Licensing

Annex 1 - Mandatory Conditions

Supply of Alcohol

- 1. No supply of alcohol may be made under the premises licence:
 - (a) At a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of the premises licence.
 - (b) At a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or his personal licence is suspended.
- 2. Every supply of alcohol under the premises licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.
- 3. 3.1. The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sales or supply of alcohol.
 - 3.2 The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licences must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.
 - 3.3. The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either:-
 - (a) a holographic mark or
 - (b) an ultraviolet feature.
 - Minimum Drinks Pricing
- 4. 4.1 A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.
 - 4.2 For the purposes of the condition set out in paragraph 4.1 above -
 - (a) "duty" is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979;
 - (b) "permitted price" is the price found by applying the formula P = D+(DxV) Where -
 - (i)P is the permitted price,
 - (ii)D is the rate of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and (iii)V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol;
 - (c) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence -
 - (i) the holder of the premises licence,

- (ii)the designated premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or (iii)the personal licence holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence:
- (d) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and
- (e) "value added tax" means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994.
- 4.3 Where the permitted price given by Paragraph 4.2(b) above would (apart from this paragraph) not be a whole number of pennies, the price given by that sub-paragraph shall be taken to be the price actually given by that sub-paragraph rounded up to the nearest penny.
- 4.4 (1) Sub-paragraph 4.4(2) below applies where the permitted price given by Paragraph 4.2(b) above on a day ("the first day") would be different from the permitted price on the next day ("the second day") as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax.
- (2) The permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.

Annex 2 – Conditions consistent with the Operating Schedule

- 5. CCTV Cameras shall be in operation at all hours the premises are Open.
- 6. The 'Red Care' Alarm System, providing direct connection to the police station, shall be maintained;
- 7. Fire alarms and fire extinguishers shall be installed and maintained on the premises
- 8. A minimum of three employees shall be on the premises between 12.00 midnight and 7.00am
- 9. A notice shall be displayed within the premises that confirms anyone under the age of 18, or who appears under the age of 18 and is not able to provide proof of age, will not be served alcohol.

Annex 3 – Conditions attached after a hearing by the licensing authority

N/A

Annex 4 – Plans

PLAN/LBH-PRE-T-0035/060505

