Hackney

REPORT OF GROUP DIRECTOR, NEIGHBOURHOODS AND HOUSING					
LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE: Classification DECISION Enclosure					
Application for a Premises Licence Ward(s) affected					
Behind Restaurants LTD, 20 Sidworth Street, Hackney, London, E8 3SD	London Fields				

1. SUMMARY

	In SPA Not Applicable		
	Period of Application		
	Permanent		
Standard Hours	6:		
Mon 09:00-23:00	0		
Tue 09:00-23:00)		
Wed 09:00-23:0	0		
Thu 09:00-23:00)		
Fri 09:00-23:00			
Sat 09:00-23:00			
Sun 09:00-22:30)		
of Alcohol Standard Hours:			
Mon 12:00-22:30	0		
Tue 12:00-22:30			
Wed 12:00-22:30			
Thu 12:00-22:30			
Fri 12:00-22:30			
Sat 12:00-22:30			
Sun 12:00-22:00			
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Policies Applicable	LP1 (General Principles), LP2 (Licensing Objectives), LP4 ('Off' Sales of Alcohol)
List of Appendices	 A – Application for a premises licence and supporting documents B – Representations from responsible authorities C – Representations from other persons D – Location map
Relevant Representations	 Environmental Health Authority (Environmental Enforcement) Police Other Persons

2. APPLICATION

- 2.1 **Behind Restaurants Ltd** have made an application for a premises licence under the Licensing Act 2003:
 - To authorise the supply alcohol for consumption **on and off** the premises
 - Regulated entertainment
- 2.2 The application is attached as Appendix A. The applicant has proposed measures that could be converted to conditions (see paragraph 8.1 below). The proposed hours for the supply of alcohol have been reduced to those described in para 1 above.

3. CURRENT STATUS / HISTORY

- 3.1 The premises are not currently licensed for any activity.
- 3.2 No TENs have been submitted in respect of the premises in the current calendar year.

4. **REPRESENTATIONS: RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES**

From	Details
Environmental	Have confirmed no representation on this application
Health Authority	
(Environmental Protection)	
Environmental	Representation received on the grounds of the
Health Authority	prevention of public nuisance
(Environmental Enforcement)	
Appendix B1	
Environmental Health	Have confirmed no representation on this application
Authority (Health & Safety)	
Weights and Measures	Have confirmed no representation on this application
(Trading Standards)	
Planning Authority	Representation received on the grounds of the
	prevention of public nuisance & LP1 (Planning)
Area Child Protection Officer	No representation received
Fire Authority	Have confirmed no representation on this application
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Police Appendix B2	Representation received on the grounds of The Prevention of Crime and Disorder and The Prevention of Public Nuisance
Licensing Authority	Have confirmed no representation on this application
Health Authority	No representation received

5. REPRESENTATIONS: OTHER PERSONS

From	Details
Representation received from and on behalf of local	Representation received on the grounds of The Prevention of Crime and Disorder, Public Safety
residents. Appendices C1-C3	and Prevention of Public Nuisance.

6. GUIDANCE CONSIDERATIONS

6.1 The Licensing Authority is required to have regard to any guidance issued by the Secretary of State under the Licensing Act 2003.

7. POLICY CONSIDERATIONS

- 7.1 Licensing Sub-Committee is required to have regard to the London Borough of Hackney's Statement of Licensing Policy ("the Policy") adopted by the Licensing Authority.
- 7.2 The Policy applies to applications where relevant representations have been made. With regard to this application, policies, LP1 (General Principles), LP2 (Licensing Objectives), LP4 ('Off' Sales of Alcohol).

8. OFFICER OBSERVATIONS

8.1 If the Sub-Committee is minded to approve the application, the following conditions should be applied the licence:

Supply Of Alcohol (On/Both)

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. (1) The responsible person must ensure that staff on relevant premises do not carry out, arrange or participate in any irresponsible promotions in relation to the premises.

(2) In this paragraph, an irresponsible promotion means any one or more of the following activities, or substantially similar activities, carried on for the purpose of encouraging the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises -

(a) games or other activities which require or encourage, or are designed to require or encourage, individuals to;

(i) drink a quantity of alcohol within a time limit(other than to drink alcohol sold or supplied on the premises before the cessation of the period in which the responsible person is authorised to sell or supply alcohol), or

(ii) drink as much alcohol as possible (whether within

a time limit or otherwise);

(b) provision of unlimited or unspecified quantities of alcohol free or for a fixed or discounted fee to the public or to a group defined by a particular characteristic in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;

(c) provision of free or discounted alcohol or any other thing as a prize to encourage or reward the purchase and consumption of alcohol over a period of 24 hours or less in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;

(d) selling or supplying alcohol in association with promotional posters or flyers on, or in the vicinity of, the premises which can reasonably be considered to condone, encourage or glamorise

anti-social behaviour or to refer to the effects of drunkenness in any favourable manner.

(e)dispensing alcohol directly by one person into the mouth of another (other than where that other person is unable to drink without assistance by reason of a disability).

4. The responsible person must ensure that free potable water is provided on request to customers where it is reasonably available.

5.5.1. 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.

5.2 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.

5.3. 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

6. The responsible person must ensure that:

a) where any of the following alcoholic drinks is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises (other than alcoholic drinks sold or supplied having been made up in advance ready for sale or supply in a securely closed container) it is available to customers in the following measures:

beer or cider:1/2 pint;

• gin, rum, vodka or whisky: 25ml or 35ml; and

• still wine in a glass: 125ml; and

b) these measures are displayed in a menu, price list or other printed material which is available to customers on the premises; and

c)where a customer does not in relation to a sale of alcohol specify the quantity of alcohol to be sold, the customers is made aware that these measures are available.

Minimum Drinks Pricing

7. 7.1 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.

7.2 For the purposes of the condition set out in paragraph 7.1 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.

7.3 Where the permitted price given by Paragraph 7.2(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.

7.4 (1) Sub-paragraph 7.4(2) below applies where the permitted price given by Paragraph 7.2(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.

Conditions derived from operating schedule

8. A member of staff on duty will ensure that persons leave quietly and responsibly

9. Persons leaving the restaurant will be requested through clearly visible notices and personally when necessary to be respectful to neighbours by leaving quietly

10. Customers will not be permitted to take open alcohol containers outside the premises

11. The restaurant will not undertake any promotions to encourage excessive consumption of alcohol

12. An incident book will be maintained on the premises within which full details of all occurrences of disorder and refused alcohol sales will be recorded. The incident book will be kept on the premises at all times and will be available for inspection by Hackney Council Licensing, Police and any other statutory authority.

13. The license holder will ensure that all staff are aware of their social and legal obligations and their responsibilities regarding the sale of alcohol

14. Free drinking water will be made available at all times the premises is open to the public.

15. Details of local uber taxi pick up point and booking taxi services will be prominently displayed and available on the premises.

16. All bottles, glasses and rubbish will be removed from the public areas on a regular and frequent basis

17. No noise will be permitted outside the premises including taped background music. No music will be permitted to be played by external speakers.

18. Prominent and legible notices requesting people to leave the premises and the area quietly will be displayed at all exits

19. A proof of age policy will be adopted in the restaurant. A challenge 25 policy will be used by all employees where those individuals appear to be under the age of 25 attempting to purchase alcohol. The only type if ID that will be accepted is passport or photo driving licence. Children will not have access to the bar area of the restaurant.

20. Off sales shall be limited to unfinished bottles of wine already purchased and supplied during table meal. The bottle will be recorked and sealed should they wish to take it home from the premises.

Conditions derived from Responsible Authority representations

21. The premises shall install, operate and maintain a comprehensive CCTV system as per the minimum requirements of a Metropolitan Police. All public areas and each entry and exit points will be covered enabling frontal identification of every person entering in any light condition. The CCTV system shall continually record whilst the premises is open for licensable activities and during all times when customers remain on the premises. All recordings shall be stored for a minimum period of 31 days with date and time stamping. Recordings shall be made available immediately upon the request of Police or other authorised officer.

22. There shall be a staff member from the premises who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system on the premises at all times when the premises are open to the public. This staff member must be able to show a Police or authorised council officer recent data or footage when requested.

23. Signs will be prominently displayed at all entrance and exit points Reminding customers to leave quietly and respect local residents.

24. A Challenge 25 proof of age scheme shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are recognised photographic identification cards, such as driving licence or passport.

25. Alcohol shall not be sold, supplied or consumed otherwise than to persons taking a substantial meal from the menu. The supply of alcohol shall be waiter/waitress service only.

26. An incident log shall be kept at the premises, and made available on request to an authorised officer of the council or the police, which will record the following.

- b. All crimes reported:
- c. All ejections of patrons
- d. Any complaints received.
- e. Any incidents of disorder.
- f. Seizure of drugs or offensive weapons.
- g. Any faults in the CCTV system.
- h. Any refusal of the sale of alcohol.
- i. Any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.

27. Premises to operate zero tolerance policy to drugs and comply with Hackney Police Drugs and Weapons policy where appropriate.

28. All instances of crime and disorder to be reported by the Designated Premises Supervisor or responsible member of staff to an agreed police contact point, as agreed with the police.

29. All staff shall receive training on the legislation relating to the sales of alcohol to underage persons and drunken persons and shall have refresher training every 12 months. There shall be written records of such training, which will be kept on the premises and produced to a police officer or other authorised officer upon request.

31. There shall be no glass, or open containers taken outside of the premises at any time.

32. Staff shall ensure that any queues that may form outside of the premises are managed to ensure that there is no obstruction to the footway and do not cause any nuisance to the local residents.

33. After 2100hrs there shall be a maximum of 4 smokers outside the premises at any one time. These customers shall be monitored by staff to ensure that they do not cause public nuisance.

34. The licence holder shall maintain a dedicated telephone number of the DPS or Duty manager for use by any responsible authority or any person wishing to make a complaint. This number shall be provided to the licensing authority, police or local residents upon request

35. The Licensee shall ensure that all staff are fully trained and made aware of the legal requirement of businesses to comply with their responsibility as regards the disposal of waste produced from the business premises. The procedure for handling and preparing for disposal of the waste shall be in writing and displayed in a prominent place where it can be referred to at all times by staff.

36. The Licensee shall ensure that any contract for general and recyclable waste disposal shall be appropriate in size to the amount of waste produced by the business. The Licensee shall maintain an adequate supply of waste receptacles provided by his registered waste carrier (refuse sacks or commercial waste bins) in order to ensure all refuse emanating from the business is always presented for collection by his waste carrier and shall not use any plain black or unidentifiable refuse sacks or any other unidentifiable or unmarked waste receptacles.

37. In order to minimise the amount of time any waste remains on the public highway in readiness for collection, the Licensee will ensure the timeframe within which it may expect its waste carrier to collect is adhered to.

38. The Licensee shall instruct members of staff to make regular checks of the area immediately outside the premises and remove any litter, bottles and glasses emanating from the premises. A final check should be made at close of business.

39. The Licensee shall provide a safe receptacle for cigarette ends to be placed outside for the use of customers, such receptacle being carefully placed so as not to cause an obstruction or trip.

40. The current trade waste agreement/duty of care waste transfer document shall be conspicuously displayed and maintained in the window of the premises where it can be conveniently seen and read by persons standing in 20 Sidworth Street, E8. This should remain unobstructed at all times and should clearly identify:-

- the name of the registered waste carrier
- the date of commencement of trade waste contract
- the date of expiry of trade waste contract
- the days and times of collection
- the type of waste including the European Waste Code

9. REASONS FOR OFFICER OBSERVATIONS

9.1 Conditions 7 to 20 above are derived from the applicant's operating schedule. Conditions 21 to 34 have been proposed by the police and 35 to 40 by environmental enforcement.

10. LEGAL COMMENTS

- 10.1 The Council has a duty as a Licensing Authority under the Licensing Act 2003 to carry out its functions with a view to promoting the following 4 licensing objectives;
 - The Prevention of Crime and Disorder

- Public Safety
- Prevention of Public Nuisance
- The Protection of Children from Harm
- 10.2 It should be noted that each of the licensing objectives have equal importance and are the only grounds upon which a relevant representation can be made and for which an application can be refused or terms and conditions attached to a licence.

11. HUMAN RIGHTS ACT 1998 IMPLICATIONS

- 11.1 There are implications to;
 - *Article 6* Right to a fair hearing
 - Article 14 Not to discriminate
 - Balancing: Article 1- Peaceful enjoyment of their possession (i.e. a licence is defined as being a possession) with Article 8 – Right of Privacy (i.e. respect private & family life) to achieve a proportionate decision having regard to the protection of an individuals rights against the interests of the community at large.

12. MEMBERS DECISION MAKING

- A. Option 1 That the application be refused
- B. Option 2 That the application be approved, together with any conditions or restrictions which Members consider necessary for the promotion of the Licensing objectives.

13. CONCLUSION

13.1 That Members decide on the application under the Licensing Act 2003.

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Lead Officer (holder of original copy):	Sanaria Hussain Senior Licensing Officer Licensing Service 1 Hillman Street E8 1DY Telephone: 020 8356 4973

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
Behind Restaurants LTD, 20 Sidworth	1 Hillman Street
Street, Hackney, London, E8 3SD	London E8 1DY

Printed matter

Licensing Act 2003 LBH Statement of Licensing Policy Hackney LA01

Application for a premises licence to be granted under the Licensing Act 2003

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 this 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. Use additional sheets if necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

I/We Behind Restaurants Ltd (Insert name(s) of applicant)

apply for a premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below (the premises) and I/we are making this application to you as the relevant licensing authority in accordance with section 12 of the Licensing Act 2003

Part 1 – Premises details

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description 20 Sidworth Street						
Post townLondonPostcodeE83SD						
Post townLondonPostcodeE83SD						

Telephone number at premises (if any)	C
Non-domestic rateable value of premises	£ 39750

Part 2 - Applicant details

Please state whether you are applying for a premises licence as **Please tick as** appropriate

an individual or individuals * a) please complete section (A) a person other than an individual * b) \square i as a limited company/limited liability please complete section partnership (B) ii as a partnership (other than limited please complete section liability) (B) as an unincorporated association or please complete section iii (B)

	iv other (for example a statutory corporation)	please complete section (B)
c)	a recognised club	(B) please complete section (B)
d)	a charity	please complete section (B)
e)	the proprietor of an educational establishment	please complete section (B)
f)	a health service body	please complete section (B)
g)	a person who is registered under Part 2 of the Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respect of an independent hospital in Wales	please complete section (B)
ga)	a person who is registered under Chapter 2 of Part 1 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 (within the meaning of that Part) in an independent hospital in England	please complete section (B)
h)	the chief officer of police of a police force in England and Wales	please complete section (B)

* If you are applying as a person described in (a) or (b) please confirm (by ticking yes to one box below):

I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves the use of the premises for licensable activities; or

I am making the application pursuant to a

statutory function or

a function discharged by virtue of Her Majesty's prerogative

(A) INDIVIDUAL APPLICANTS (fill in as applicable)

Mr 🗌 Mrs 🗌	Miss 🗌 I		ner Title ^r example, v)	
Surname		First name	S	
Date of birth	l am 18 yea	rs old or over	· 🗌 Plea	ase tick yes
Nationality				
Current residential address if different from premises address				
Post town			Postcode	

Daytime contact number	telephone	
E-mail address (optional)		
online right to w	ork checking se	ng a right to work via the Home Office rvice), the 9-digit 'share code' provided to ease see note 15 for information)

SECOND INDIVIDUAL APPLICANT (if applicable)

Mr 🗌	Mrs [Miss			Ms			ner Title [.] exam v)	-	
Surname						Fi	rst n	ame	S		
Date of bir	rth		1:	am 1	8 <u>y</u> ea	ars ol	d or (over		Plea	ase tick yes
Nationality	/										
Current pos address if o from premis address	different	t									
Post town									Posto	ode	
Daytime con number	ontact	tele	phone								
E-mail add (optional)	Iress										
Where applicable (if demonstrating a right to work via the Home Office online right to work checking service), the 9-digit 'share code' provided to the applicant by that service (please see note 15 for information)											

(B) OTHER APPLICANTS

Please provide name and registered address of applicant in full. Where appropriate please give any registered number. In the case of a partnership or other joint venture (other than a body corporate), please give the name and address of each party concerned.

Name	
Behind Restaurants Ltd	

Address , Capital Mill Apartments Whiston Road London E2 8FX
Registered number (where applicable) 12538763
Description of applicant (for example, partnership, company, unincorporated
association etc.)
Private Limited Company
Telephone number (if any)
optional)

Part 3 Operating Schedule

When do you want the premises licence to start?

DD	D MM			YYYY					
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If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, when do you want it to end?

DD)	MN	Λ	YYYY				

Please give a general description of the premises (please read guidance note 1) The premises is a restaurant situated on the ground floor of a mixed development including commercial premises, offices and residential flats. It consists of one floor 156 sq meters in size. The premises already has A3 permitted planning use and has previously run as a licensed restaurant. The quality of service will be to a high standard as the owner is aspiring to achieve a michelin star. It will be run fully in accordance to the Hackney Council Licensing objectives and there will be no noise nuisance, disruption or disturbance to local residents and visitors to the area. Numbers of customes at all times will be limited and the premises will fully comply with covid government guidelines. There are two external doors for entry and exit and the restaurant has disabled access. There are no steps or trip hazards inside the premises and ample separate male and female toilets as well as a disabled toilet easily accesible. Inside the restaurant will be a chefs table where customers can dine and view their food being prepared from a safe distance. This is marked as " fixed table" on the attached restaurant plan. Diners will be seated at safe distances from one another. The remainder of the restaurant area will have movable tables which will be distanced to ensure that customers are adequately socially distanced.

If 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend.

What licensable activities do you intend to carry on from the premises?

(Please see sections 1 and 14 and Schedules 1 and 2 to the Licensing Act 2003)

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a)	plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)							
b)	films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)							
c)	indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C)							
d)	boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)							
e)	live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)							
f)	recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)			\boxtimes				
g)	performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)							
h)	anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H))						
Pro	Provision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box I)							
Sup	Supply of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box J)							

In all cases complete boxes K, L and M

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Recorded music Standard days and timings (please read			Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	
guidai	guidance note 7)			Outdoors	
Day	Start	Finish		Both	
Mon	0900	2300	Please give further details here (please note 4)	read guidanc	е
Tue	0900	2300			
Wed	0900	2300	State any seasonal variations for the pl recorded music (please read guidance no		
Thur	0900	2300			
Fri	0900	2300	Non-standard timings. Where you inter premises for the playing of recorded m times to those listed in the column on t list (please read guidance note 6)	usic at differ	ent
Sat	0900	2300	Bank holidays 1200hrs to 2130hrs		
Sun	0900	2230			

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Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read		and	Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption – please tick (please read guidance note 8)	On the premises	
timings (please read guidance note 7)				Off the premises	
Day	Start	Finish		Both	\square
Mon	0900	2300	State any seasonal variations for the alcohol (please read guidance note 5)	supply of	
Tue	0900	2300			
Wed	0900	2300			
Thur	0900	2300	Non-standard timings. Where you int premises for the supply of alcohol at to those listed in the column on the le	different tim	nes
Fri	0900	2300	(please read guidance note 6) Bank holidays 1200hrs to 2130hrs.		
Sat	0900	2300			
Sun	0900	2230			

State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as designated premises supervisor (Please see declaration about the entitlement to work in the checklist at the end of the form):

Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 9).

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Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 5)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon	0900	2300	
Tue	0900	2300	
Wed	0900	2300	
			Non-standard timings. Where you intend the premises to be open to the public at different times
Thur	0900	2300	from those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 6)
			Bank Holidays 1200hrs to 2130hrs
Fri	0900	2300	
Sat	0900	2300	
Sun	0900	2230	

M Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b, c, d and e) (please read guidance note 10)

The premises wishes to operate as a licensed restaurant. It will be primarily using an online booking platform and a member of staff will be designated to check reservations and count persons entering the premises as well as leaving to ensure that the restaurant remains within its maximum capacity. All current COVID 19 measures will be undertaken. Whilst the premises is open, extrnal doors remain closed but unlocked to prevent taped music or any noise from inside the premises being heard outside. Persons leaving the restaurant will be requested through clearly visible notices and personally when necessary to be respectful to neighbours by leaving quietly. Customers will not be permitted to take open alcohol containers outside the premises. All steps will be taken by the licensee as outlined below to ensure public safety, prevent crime and disorder, prevent public nusiance , protect children from harm and minimise the level of disruption to local residents and visitors to the area.

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

The premises is a small restaurant where the entrance and exit does not lead directly onto the highway. Due to the low number of diners as well as separate entrance and exit doors there are likely to be no dispersal issues or obstruction. A member of staff on duty will ensure that persons leave quietly and responsibly. Contingency plans understood by all staff will however be in operation in the event of manging queues safely outside the premises as well as dealing with large groups leaving simultaneously. The restaurant will not undertake any promotions to encourage excessive consumption of alcohol. Tap water will be freely available. Any person intoxicated will be refused entry. Any persons acting in a disordely manner will be refused entry or asked to leave. An incident book will be maintained on the pemises within which full details of all occurences of disorder and refused alcohol sales will be recorded. The incident book will be kept on the premises at all times and will be available for inspection by Hackney Council Licensing, Police and any other statutory authority.

c) Public safety

All persons entering and leaving the premises will be counted to ensure that the maximum capacity is not exceeded. When the maximum occupancy is reached no further persons are admitted. An online booking platform is also being used to regulate the number of diners. Ordinarily the maximum number of customers on premises at any one time is 38 persons. However, during COVID or any other pandemic this number where necessary will be reduced and adhered to taking into account current government health advice. Numbers will be strictly adhered to. The license holder or persons authorised by him will check the premises before it opens to the public to ensure there are no risks to customers and that all safety precautions are in place. The license holder will ensure that all staff are aware of their social and legal obligations and their responsibilities regarding the sale of alcohol. Free drinking water will be made available at all times the premises is open to the public. Details of local uber taxi pick up point and booking taxi services will be prominantly dispayed and available on the premises. All bottles, glasses and rubbish will be removed from the public areas on a regular and frequent basis. The electrical system on the premises including appliances will be inspected and tested annually by a qualified person and a satisfactory safety report obtained. That qualified person will be a qualified electrician who is registered with the ECA or NICEIC. The gas system including appliances will be inspected annually and tested by a Gas Safe Registered engineer and a Gas Safety Certificate will be obtained. All safety certificates and inspection reports will be kept on the premises and will be made available for inspection by officers of relevant statutory bodies. All fire safety measures provided on the premises will be maintained in good working order and their adequacy will be determined on a regular basis by the carrying out of a fire risk assessment as required and in accordance with the Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005. Fire safety equipment on the premises will include a fire

blanket, water extinguisher, foam extinguisher and chemical extinguisher use of which will be dependent on the source of the fire. Instructions will be given on use of fire safety equipment and fire evacuation will be practised regularly. Smoke and carbon monoxide detectors will be afixed to the ceiling. First aid materials will be available on the premises.

d) The prevention of public nuisance

No noise will be permitted outside the premises including taped background music. No music will be permitted to be played by external speakers. Prominent and legible notices requesting people to leave the premises and the area quietly will be displyed at all exits. During opening hours and at the close of business litter will be collected from the immediate vicinity and stored inside the premises pending collection.

e) The protection of children from harm

A proof of age policy will be adopted in the restaurant. A challenge 25 policy will be used by all employees where those individuals appear to be under the age of 25 attempting to purchase alcohol. The only type if ID that will be accepted is passport or photo driving licence. Children will not have acess to the bar area of the restaurant.

Checklist:

Please tick to indicate agreement

•	I have made or enclosed payment of the fee.	\boxtimes
•	I have enclosed the plan of the premises.	\boxtimes
•	I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable.	
•	I have enclosed the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be designated premises supervisor, if applicable.	\boxtimes
•	I understand that I must now advertise my application.	\boxtimes
•	I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected.	\boxtimes

[Applicable to all individual applicants, including those in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership, but not companies or limited liability partnerships] I have included documents demonstrating my entitlement to work in the United Kingdom or my share code issued by the Home Office online right to work checking service (please read note 15).

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IT IS AN OFFENCE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION. THOSE WHO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT MAY BE LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE OF ANY AMOUNT.

IT IS AN OFFENCE UNDER SECTION 24B OF THE IMMIGRATION ACT 1971 FOR A PERSON TO WORK WHEN THEY KNOW, OR HAVE REASONABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE, THAT THEY ARE DISQUALIFIED FROM DOING SO BY REASON OF THEIR IMMIGRATION STATUS. THOSE WHO EMPLOY AN ADULT WITHOUT LEAVE OR WHO IS SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS AS TO EMPLOYMENT WILL BE LIABLE TO A CIVIL PENALTY UNDER SECTION 15 OF THE IMMIGRATION, ASYLUM AND NATIONALITY ACT 2006 AND PURSUANT TO SECTION 21 OF THE SAME ACT, WILL BE COMMITTING AN OFFENCE WHERE THEY DO SO IN THE KNOWLEDGE, OR WITH REASONABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE, THAT THE EMPLOYEE IS DISQUALIFIED.

Part 4 – Signatures (please read guidance note 11)

Signature of applicant or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (see guidance note 12). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

Declaration	• [Applicable to individual applicants only, including those in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership] I understand I am not entitled to be issued with a licence if I do not have the entitlement to live and work in the UK (or if I am subject to a condition preventing me from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity) and that my licence will become invalid if I cease to be entitled to live and work in the UK (please read guidance note 15).
	 The DPS named in this application form is entitled to work in the UK (and is not subject to conditions preventing him or her from doing work relating to a licesable activity) and I have seen a copy of his or her proof of entitlement to work, or have conducted an online right to work check using the Home Office right to work checking service which confirmed

	their right to work (please see note 15)	
Signature		
Date	7/8/2020	
Capacity	Andrew Beynon, Director Behind Restaurants Ltd	

For joint applications, signature of 2nd applicant or 2nd applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent (please read guidance note 13). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

Signature	
Date	
Capacity	

Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 14) Andrew Beynon Behind Restaurants Ltd			
Post town	London	Postcod e	E28FX
Telephone number (if any)			
If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail, your e-mail address (optional) andrew-beynon@hotmail.co.uk			

Notes for Guidance

- 1. Describe the premises, for example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies, you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.
- 2. In terms of specific regulated entertainments please note that:
 - Plays: no licence is required for performances between 08:00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
 - Films: no licence is required for 'not-for-profit' film exhibition held in community premises between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day provided that the audience does not exceed 500 and the organiser (a) gets consent to the screening from a person who is responsible for the premises; and (b) ensures that each such screening abides by age classification ratings.

Behind Restaurant 20 Sidworth Street, E8 3SD. Supporting Statement

Behind Restaurant will be a small restaurant with an anticipated 18 covers per sitting. Seating is limited and the restaurant will operate an online booking service. This avoids queues outside the premises, and there is a specific waiting area inside the property for guests who have arrived early. Behind Restaurant will be a high-end restaurant aiming for 2 Michelin stars – the menu will comprise of a tasting menu at £68 per person, with niche wines available to match the menu. For this reason I can guarantee it will not attract guests on a walk-in basis.

I am the owner of the restaurant and live locally in Hackney with my wife and child. I fully understand concerns raised by some residents. However, this business will not have a detrimental impact in any way on the area. I am committed to ensure that there will be no public nuisance, noise or disorder both within and outside the premises at all times during opening and dispersal times. The premises will not be let out for private hire to third parties. No outside seating or guests drinking and eating outside the premises will be permitted. The management including myself will always take full control and responsibility for the premises.

Only soft taped background music below 50 decibels will be played inside the premises during opening hours. No music will be heard outside. There will be no live music, private hire events by third parties, or any other events which could cause disturbances.

With regards an issue raised about the licensing hours, I am willing to have the licensing hours changed to 12 noon to 11pm, Tuesday to Saturday, and 12 noon to 10pm Sunday and Bank Holidays. The restaurant will only have a few sittings as it focuses more on quality of food and service rather than volume of sales. The restaurant will not be operating a food takeaway or delivery service to prevent persons eating and littering outside or noise from delivery drivers collecting takeaway food.

The restaurant will employ a permanent full-time experienced sommelier who will recommend wines to diners from the wine list. Many of these wines cannot be bought locally and it is proposed will also be available for diners should they wish to purchase in sealed bottles to take away from the premises as gifts or for special occasions. The cost of the wines will average £40 per bottle and no cheap alcohol will be sold encouraging excessive drinking. The reason for including off-site alcohol sales is so that local residents can also purchase these niche bottles to takeaway as gifts or to drink at home, as, as mentioned, many of these are not currently available locally. Alcohol for consumption for diners on the premises will be served by a waiter/waitress to the table, and off-site alcohol will only be sold during the proposed licensing hours mentioned above. No alcohol will be sold for off-site consumption in open glasses or containers.

Having worked as a chef for 15 years I understand the long and gruelling hours staff face in the hospitality industry. I am a responsible employer who supports work life balance for my employees. For that reason, the restaurant will not normally be serving lunch every day and hours of work will not be excessive. The latest guest arrival time for dining will be at 9pm. Staff will also have two consecutive days off work every week. All the staff live locally, and the business is supporting local employment opportunities. I and my staff are committed to work with local residents and will take all necessary steps to not affect their peace and enjoyment. Staff will ensure that no alcohol is served after permitted hours and all customers will be informed of the licensing hours. A strict challenge 25 policy is also being adopted to prevent underage drinking.

Customers who have finished table meals will be encouraged to leave the restaurant and not congregate inside or outside the venue. This will stagger the dispersal and avoid all customers leaving together. Notices will be displayed on each exit reminding customers to leave quietly. All customers will be personally reminded of the need to leave quietly.

No glasses or alcohol in open containers will be permitted to be removed from the premises. The premises operates a comprehensive CCTV system and the owner takes a zero tolerance policy towards customers causing disturbance or annoyance to local residents. A dispersal policy will be available at all times on the premises and staff will be trained in complying with it and aware of their specific responsibilities.

Staff will make regular checks of the area outside the premises including the covered area and remove any litter. A final check will be made when the premises closes.

Designated dispersal staff

Dedicated dispersal staff will be assigned to the exit door and will be responsible for the following:

- Request and remind customers to leave the premises quietly respecting local residents.
- Ensure that no person will be allowed to remove any open alcohol containers or glasses from the premises and these will be removed from them.
- Any customers loitering in the doorway will be politely asked to move on as quickly and quietly as possible.

With regards local issues raised :

- Tables will not be positioned outside the premise and patrons will not be permitted to take and consume food and drink or to gather outside.
- No background music will be heard outside the premises. The music played inside is only taped soft background music which at all times will be less than 50 decibels. No music will be played outside.
- The premises has adequate toilets inside so there is no need for persons to urinate outside.
- The premises has CCTV and there is a dispersal strategy in place.
- Licensing hours will be reduced to 12 noon to 11pm Tuesday to Saturday, and 12 noon to 10pm Sunday and Bank Holidays.
- The restaurant will only have limited number of sittings to focus more on quality of food rather than volume of sales, with all customers pre-booking their table and an average of 18 guests maximum at any one time.
- The restaurant will not be operating a food takeaway or delivery service to prevent persons eating and littering outside or noise from delivery drivers collecting takeaway food.

I will gladly arrange a meeting with any interested party to discuss and explain the business including a site visit.

Andrew Beynon Head Chef and owner of Behind Restaurant



Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

Environmental waste, Behind Restaurant

2 messages

Andrew Beynon <andy@behindrestaurant.co.uk> To: "Jacey.frewin@hackney.gov.uk" <Jacey.frewin@hackney.gov.uk> Cc: "sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk" <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk> 25 September 2020 at 12:54

Behind Restaurant 20 Sidworth Street, E8 3SD.

Additional Supporting Statement

In addition to the supporting statement dated 14th September 2020 the following amendments to the premises license application for Behind Restaurant <u>20 Sidworth Street E8 3SD</u> are being made. Licensing hours for the sale of alcohol for consumption on the premises ancillary to a meal from **Monday to Saturday** will now only be from **12 noon to 10.30pm**. Licensing hours **Sundays and public holidays** will be **12 noon to 10pm**. There will be no off sales of wine or any other alcohol to be taken from the premises. The only off sales exception, on which licensing conditions can be attached, will be to enable diners to take unfinished bottles of wine already purchased and supplied during their table meal to be recorked and sealed should they wish to take it home from the premises.

Environmental license conditions in respect of 20 Sidworth Street, London E8 3SD

I will ensure that all staff will be fully trained and made aware of the legal requirements of Behind Restaurant to comply with their responsibility as regards the disposal of waste produced from the business premises. The procedure for handling and preparing for disposal of the waste will be in writing and displayed in a prominent place where it can be referred to at all times by staff.

I will also ensure that the contract for the general and recyclable waste disposal will be appropriate in size to the amount of waste produced by the business. I agree that I will maintain an adequate supply of appropriate waste receptacles in order to ensure that all refuse emanating from the business is always presented for the waste carrier in the correct waste receptacles.

I undertake that I will minimise the amount of time waste remains outside the premises in readiness for collection and will ensure the timeframe the waste carrier is to collect the waste is adhered to.

I will instruct all members of staff to make regular checks of the area immediately outside the restaurant and also remove any litter. Bottles and glasses will be removed immediately from the tables inside the restaurant immediately after use and not be permitted to be taken outside. A final check will be made at close of business daily to remove any litter outside the premises. I will provide a safe receptacle for cigarette ends outside the premises for customers so as not to cause any obstruction or trip.

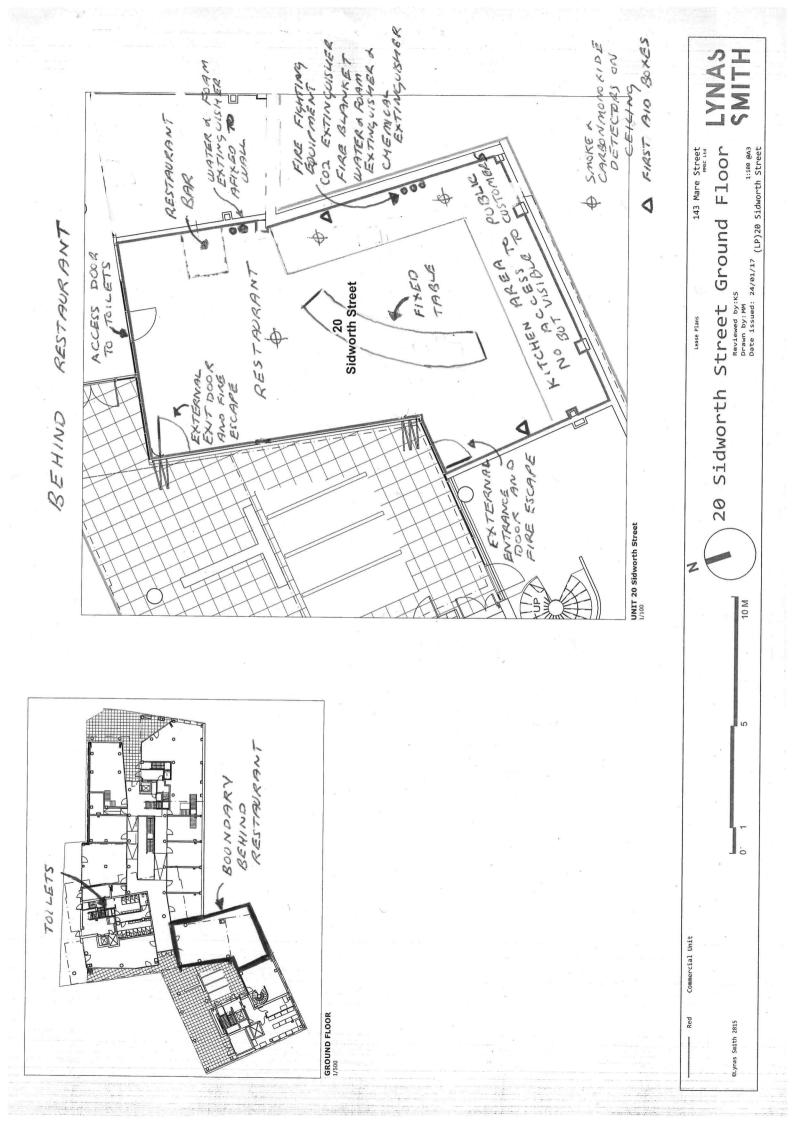
I will ensure before the premises is opened that the current trade waste agreement/duty of care waste transfer document will be conspicuously displayed and maintained in the window of the premises where it can be read by persons outside and will be unobstructed at all times. This will identify:

- · the name of the waste carrier
- · the commencement and expiry date of trade waste contract
- the day and times of collection
- the type of waste including the European Waste Code

I promise to give an undertaking that there will be no build up of waste or illegal disposal of waste from the restaurant. There will be no cigarette or other litter outside the premises.

Andrew Beynon Head Chef and owner of

Behind Restaurant





APPENDIX B1

RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY REPRESENTATION: APPLICATION UNDER THE LICENSING ACT 2003

RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY DETAILS

NAME OF AUTHORITY	London Borough of Hackney
ADDRESS OF AUTHORITY	Community Safety & Enforcement First Floor Hackney Service Centre 1 Hillman Street London E8 1DY
CONTACT NAME	Jacey Frewin
TELEPHONE NUMBER	020 8356 4567
E-MAIL ADDRESS	jacey.frewin@hackney.gov.uk

APPLICATION PREMISES

NAME & ADDRESS OF PREMISES	Behind Restaurants LTD 20 Sidworth Street Hackney London E8 3SD
NAME OF APPLICANT	Behind Restaurants Ltd

COMMENTS

3)

I make the following relevant representations in relation to the above application to vary the Premises Licence at the above address.

- 1) the prevention of crime and disorder
- public safety 2) the prevention of public nuisance

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the protection of children from harm 4)

Representation in relation to:

ENVIRONMENTAL LICENCE CONDITIONS IN RESPECT OF 20 Sidworth Street, London E8 3SD

1. The Licensee shall ensure that all staff are fully trained and made aware of the legal requirement of businesses to comply with their responsibility as regards the disposal of waste produced from the business premises. The procedure for handling and preparing for disposal of the waste shall be in writing and displayed in a prominent place where it can be referred to at all times by staff.

2. The Licensee shall ensure that any contract for general and recyclable waste disposal shall be appropriate in size to the amount of waste produced by the business. The Licensee shall maintain an adequate supply of waste receptacles provided by his registered waste carrier (refuse sacks or commercial waste bins) in order to ensure all refuse emanating from the business is always presented for collection by his waste carrier and shall not use any plain black or unidentifiable refuse sacks or any other unidentifiable or unmarked waste receptacles.

3. In order to minimise the amount of time any waste remains on the public highway in readiness for collection, the Licensee will ensure the timeframe within which it may expect its waste carrier to collect is adhered to.

4 The Licensee shall instruct members of staff to make regular checks of the area immediately outside the premises and remove any litter, bottles and glasses emanating from the premises. A final check should be made at close of business.

5. The Licensee shall provide a safe receptacle for cigarette ends to be placed outside for the use of customers, such receptacle being carefully placed so as not to cause an obstruction or trip.

6. The current trade waste agreement/duty of care waste transfer document shall be conspicuously displayed and maintained in the window of the premises where it can be conveniently seen and read by persons standing in 20 Sidworth Street, E8. This should remain unobstructed at all times and should clearly identify:the name of the registered waste carrier the date of commencement of trade waste contract the date of expiry of trade waste contract the days and times of collection the type of waste including the European Waste Code

The above representations are supported by the following evidence and information.

We have received complaints in the past regarding littering and build-up of waste in the Area. There have been instances in the past where Enforcement Officers have found evidence of the illegal disposal of waste from businesses in this area. Experience has also shown that there is the probability that there will be cigarette litter outside these premises due to the smoking ban and that it is possible that glasses and bottles may be left outside by patrons.

Are there any actions or measures that could be taken to allay concerns or objections? If so, please explain.

Email Jacey Frewin if necessary

APPENDIX B2

RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY REPRESENTATION: APPLICATION UNDER THE LICENSING ACT 2003

RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY DETAILS

NAME OF AUTHORITY	Metropolitan Police service
ADDRESS OF AUTHORITY	Licensing Unit, Stoke Newington Police Station 33 Stoke Newington High Street London N16 8DS
CONTACT NAME	PC 3691CE Kerrie RYAN
TELEPHONE NUMBER	020 7275 3022
E-MAIL ADDRESS	hackneylicensing@met.police.uk

APPLICATION PREMISES

NAME & ADDRESS OF PREMISES	20 Sidworth Street Hackney London E8 3SD
NAME OF PREMISES USER	Behind Restaurants Ltd

COMMENTS

I make the following relevant representations in relation to the above application to vary the Premises Licence at the above address.

- 1) the prevention of crime and disorder
- 2) public safety
- 3) the prevention of public nuisance
- 4) the protection of children from harm

Representations (which include comments and/or objections) in relation to:

Police make the following representations in relation to the application for a Premises Licence at 20 SIDWORTH STREET, LONDON, E8 3SD for the following reason(s);

This application has been submitted to seek authorisation to allow the supply of alcohol for consumption on and off the premises from 0900hrs until 2300hrs each day.

The premises has been described in the application as a restaurant, which the applicant aspires to run at a high standard. This premises has previously been licensed as a restaurant.

Police would like further information as follows;

- Is there any outside space that will be utilised?
- When the restaurant be ready to open and operate?
- Will the space/restaurant be available for private hire?
- Why are off sales of alcohol required?
- Will food be available for delivery?

The area surrounding these premises is dense with residential properties. How will the operator ensure that the local residents are not caused any disturbance from customers leaving the venue late at night? Police would like to see a written dispersal policy which should be kept at the venue.

Police propose that the application be amended to reduce licensable activity i.e. the sale of alcohol by 30 minutes to allow any customers at the restaurant enough time to finish their drinks before being required to leave.

Police have attached a list of proposed conditions, which should be attached to the premises licence should it be granted.

Police look forward to hearing from the applicant to discuss the concerns raised by police and to arrange a site visit to discuss a way forward for this application.

The above representations are supported by the following evidence and information.

Are there any actions or measures that could be taken to allay concerns or objections? If so, please explain.

Signed PC3691CE RYAN (By E-mail)

Name (printed)

<u>Proposed Conditions for</u> 20 Sidworth Street, London, E8 3SD

- 1. The premises shall install, operate and maintain a comprehensive CCTV system as per the minimum requirements of a Metropolitan Police. All public areas and each entry and exit points will be covered enabling frontal identification of every person entering in any light condition. The CCTV system shall continually record whilst the premises is open for licensable activities and during all times when customers remain on the premises. All recordings shall be stored for a minimum period of 31 days with date and time stamping. Recordings shall be made available immediately upon the request of Police or other authorised officer.
- 2. There shall be a staff member from the premises who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system on the premises at all times when the premises are open to the public. This staff member must be able to show a Police or authorised council officer recent data or footage when requested.
- 3. Signs will be prominently displayed at all entrance and exit points reminding customers to leave quietly and respect local residents.
- 4. A Challenge 25 proof of age scheme shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are recognised photographic identification cards, such as driving licence or passport.
- 5. Alcohol shall not be sold, supplied or consumed otherwise than to persons taking a substantial meal from the menu. The supply of alcohol shall be waiter/waitress service only.
- 6. An incident log shall be kept at the premises, and made available on request to
 - a. an authorised officer of the council or the police, which will record the following.
 - b. All crimes reported:
 - c. All ejections of patrons
 - d. Any complaints received.
 - e. Any incidents of disorder.
 - f. Seizure of drugs or offensive weapons.
 - g. Any faults in the CCTV system.
 - h. Any refusal of the sale of alcohol.
 - i. Any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.

- 7. Premises to operate zero tolerance policy to drugs and comply with Hackney Police Drugs and Weapons policy where appropriate.
- 8. All instances of crime and disorder to be reported by the Designated Premises Supervisor or responsible member of staff to an agreed police contact point, as agreed with the police.
- 9. All staff shall receive training on the legislation relating to the sales of alcohol to underage persons and drunken persons and shall have refresher training every 12 months. There shall be written records of such training, which will be kept on the premises and produced to a police officer or other authorised officer upon request.
- 10. There shall be no glass, or open containers taken outside of the premises at any time.
- 11. Staff shall ensure that any queues that may form outside of the premises are managed to ensure that there is no obstruction to the footway and do not cause any nuisance to the local residents.
- 12. After 2100hrs there shall be a maximum of 4 smokers outside the premises at any one time. These customers shall be monitored by staff to ensure that they do not cause public nuisance.
- 13. The licence holder shall maintain a dedicated telephone number of the DPS or Duty manager for use by any responsible authority or any person wishing to make a complaint. This number shall be provided to the licensing authority, police or local residents upon request.

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Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

APPENDIX C1

Fwd: Against LICENSING application 109063 / Behind Restaurants LTD/ 20 Sidworth Street Hackney London E8 3SD

1 message

Licensing (Shared Mailbox) <licensing@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

26 August 2020 at 18:05

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431 Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

--- Forwarded message ------

From: Date: Wed, 26 Aug 2020 at 10:59 Subject: Against LICENSING application 109063 / Behind Restaurants LTD/ 20 Sidworth Street Hackney London E8 3SD To: licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

To Whom It May Concern:

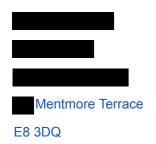
As a resident of Warehaus, 1G Mentmore Terrace, E8 3DQ, I am opposed to the application submitted by Behind Restaurants for a premises licence for recorded music and to authorise supply of alcohol for consumption on and off the premises from 09:00 to 23:00 Monday to Saturday and 09:00 to 22:30 on Sunday.

This is in order to:

- prevent public nuisance .
- prevent crime and disorder
- protect children from harm
- public safety

This sort of business would impact 70 flats (Monohaus and Warehaus) directly above the premises.

Kind Regards,



Hackney

Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

Fwd: AGAINST application 109063 / Behind Restaurants LTD/ 20 Sidworth Street Hackney London E8 3SD

Licensing (Shared Mailbox) licensing@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk> 2 September 2020 at 00:04

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431 Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

APPENDIX C2

------ Forwarded message -------

From:

Date: Tue, 1 Sep 2020 at 13:22

Subject: Fwd: AGAINST application 109063 / Behind Restaurants LTD/ 20 Sidworth Street Hackney London E8 3SD To: Licensing licensing@hackney.gov.uk

please confirm reception of the email below sent on 27/8/2020 thank you WRA

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From:

Date: Thu, Aug 27, 2020 at 11:40 AM Subject: AGAINST application 109063 / Behind Restaurants LTD/ 20 Sidworth Street Hackney London E8 3SD To: Licensing kicensing@hackney.gov.uk

HELLO,

this is the Warehaus Residents Association representing the 30 flats of the Warehaus building , located at 1 G MENTMORE TERRACE , E8 3DQ .

We are formally writing you about the license reference **application 109063 / Behind Restaurants LTD/ 20** Sidworth Street Hackney London E8 3SD expressing a strong negative position against this application

THE ENTIRE building is writing you against the license in subject and we are in details explaining to you all the problems that we are facing in the area, all to increase due to the requested licence in subject if granted : the Licensing Act 2003 licensing objectives of : prevention of crime and disorder, public safety, prevention of public nuisance are all related to this representation against the license

1) the request to sell alcohol at the premises it is out of question. Since the opening of our building we have constantly contacted you, the council, pretty much every single week, to alert the council about excessive noise, and disruption for Sidworth/ Mentmore terrace and vicinity. We constantly wrote as a resident association or single leaseholders about major problems of the area; no more than 20 mt from the new establishment in subject, people in the evening are drunk in the street all the time, they are urinating in the street and against our building and often vomiting. THE LONDON BREWERY (London Fields Brewery, Railway Arch 369 - 370, Helmsley Place, E8 3SD) it is planning a 600 capacity venue under the nearby arche, they are helping the area to become extremely dangerous in the evening, especially on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday Please note that a large acid attack took place at Wringle and mangle on APRIL 2017, and it was all over the news . we had 600 PEOPLE leaving the premises like crazy. this was the pick of an uncontrolled situation that every single week repeats itself. more and more noise, more and more people drunk in the street. Rave parties on FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND SUNDAY at 20 mt one another all day long as "temporary events" creates disruption and noise; A restaurant / music shop selling from 9 to 11pm h alcohol can only increase the noise and the disruption. i am sorry but we cannot tolerate this, too little was put in place in the last two years to avoid problems. We expressly ask you to avoid licensing the establishment with alcoholic beverages of any sort, and absolutely not before noon. Also we ask to not allow selling alcohol take away but exclusively inside the premises and not even on the possible table if proposed.. the tables will be in case positioned below the residential building called Monohaus. We truly believe that alcohol consumed in this covered area created by the developers (as

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a covered piazza) and where possible tables can be located , it can create excessive nuisance , and disorder because an area well hidden from the view.

2) the premises in question are located below a new development called Monohaus . Monohaus has more than 50 flats on top of the establishment in question , and the establishment is facing our development with another 30 flats, where professionals and families are leaving. The two developments were built facing each other creating a dangerous "canyon effect" that you can easily understand visiting the area. 7 stories buildings are facing each other in a street not larger than 5/6 meters. This is a typical example of over built cubic meters , without considering the resonance effect of the open space of the street between the buildings. We formally request to avoid any kind of alcohol selling or absolutely limit the alcohol selling with this limitation : 1) not before noon , 2) not outside the premises (and not on possible outside table, if any, IF NOT POSSIBLE ABSOLUTELY NOT AFTER 10PM) 3) no take away of alcohol of any sort: the vicinity of uncontrolled rave locations + the size of the street compared with the height of the buildings , and the park vicinity will create easily group of people all the time in the street . any take away of alcohol in front of the establishment has to be prohibited.

3) HOURS OF OPERATIONS : THE APPLICANT IS ASKING OPENING TIME 9 am , WITH ALCOHOL SELLING FROM 9 AM . WE ARE COMPLETELY AGAINST ANY SORT OF ALCOHOL SELLING BEFORE NOON , , it is too early for all the residents of the buildings nearby and too close to the exit time of the raves nearby .

4) we are constantly calling your council to complain of the establishments nearby our building . restaurant/music shop (already this description it is quite unclear with alcohol has to be closed by 10.30 pm on the week , not later on . This is due because of the safety of all the residents (now a lot) living in this area and noise related issues . We count more than 100 flats directly over the possible new establishment . This alcohol license cannot be granted as it is . A restaurant/music shop (unclear) cannot be granted open hours in this specific location so close to all the residential flats later than 10pm and not 11pm T the opening times need to be reduced and accordingly, especially on sunday , an unwelcome alcohol license.

We are sorry to repeat once again that we are extremely tired about the abuses that we need to take every single week, and we will not tolerate any decision that will deteriorate the area where we leave. the council granted two enormous new building in the area, completely disproportionate after severe resistance of all community already

we attach the decision that you took for the same exact premises a couple of years ago, the space and location are the same. We would kindly remind you that at a minimum working hours and limitations should be in line with what decided last time for the same premises.

We remain at your disposal for any further questions and we are waiting for your kind update . thank you very much Best regards

WAREHAUS RESIDENCE ASSOCIATION

, 1 G MENTMORE TERRACE , E8 3DQ LONDON



www.nhs.uk/coronavirus

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Licensing (Shared Mailbox) licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

against LICENSING application 109063 / Behind Restaurants LTD/ 20 Sidworth Street Hackney London E8 3SD **APPENDIX C3**

1 message

6 September 2020 at 21:30

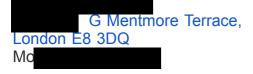
To: "Licensing (Shared Mailbox)" <licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

Dear Sir/Madam,

I'm emailing to object agains the above application. The premises are situated on the bottom of one residential block and opposite another. The potential noise levels will be extremely high due to zero sod landscaping around it. I know this because every time there are people in that space we can hear it through our triple glazed windows. The loss of amenity and noise nuisance is unavoidable here, there are other issues that will make noise nuisance even worst- outside tables, patrons leaving and waiting for their taxis, and also taxis beeping etc. It is a very small street, majority of it is residential.

I sincerely hope the licensing committee considers the level of nuisance this will bring to the residents of the adjacent buildings, especially in the current climate when being able to open the windows can literally lifesaving.

Kind regards.



Anastasia Sledkova

