

AGENDA ITEM NO. 5

REPORT TO: Regulatory Committee

DATE: 21 September 2005

REPORTING OFFICER: Chief Executive

SUBJECT: Application to vary premises licence – The Studio 77 High Street Runcorn

WARDS: Mersey

1.0 PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1.1 To hold a hearing to assess relevant representations made in response to an application in respect of The Studio 77 High Street Runcorn

2.0 RECOMMENDATION: That

(1) The Committee considers the relevant representations

3.0 SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- 3.1** An application has been made under section 34 Licensing Act 2003 (“the 2003 Act”) as applied by Schedule 8 paragraph 7 for the variation of the premises licence in relation to the above property.
- 3.2** This hearing is held in accordance with the 2003 Act and the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005.
- 3.3** The procedure to be followed has been circulated to all parties and will be repeated at the beginning of the hearing.
- 3.4** The hearing is solely concerned with those aspects of the application which have been the subject of relevant representations as defined in the 2003 Act.

4. RELEVANT REPRESENTATIONS

4.1 RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES

- The following responsible authorities have made relevant representations
Environmental Health

The relevant representations relate to
Environmental Health would not object in principle to the application subject to the following conditions

- No external speakers shall be used outside the building this will include any beer gardens or outside drinking area or car park.
- The use of any outside area will cease at 00.00
- Suggested permitted hours for regulated entertainment and the service of alcohol remain the same as are currently permitted within the applicant's licence and PEL, and in effect no extension is permitted with regard to these activities.
- The premise shall remain open to the public for no more than one hour following the cessation of the regulated entertainment and the service of alcohol

4.2 INTERESTED PARTIES

N/A

5. OPTIONS

5.1 The Committee has the following options:

- Grant subject to conditions
- Reject the application.

6.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS

None

7.0 OTHER IMPLICATIONS

None

11.0 LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS UNDER SECTION 100D OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972

**Document
Application
Documents**

**Place of Inspection
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