

AGENDA ITEM NO. 6

REPORT: Regulatory Committee

DATE: 9 September 2005

REPORTING OFFICER: Chief Executive

SUBJECT: Application to vary premises licence –The Dockside Inn 27 South Road Runcorn

WARDS: Heath

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

To hold a hearing to assess relevant representations made in response to an application in respect of the Dockside Inn 27 South Road Runcorn.

2. RECOMMENDATION: That the Committee considers the relevant representations.

3. 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
Cheshire Constabulary

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

- All doors and windows must be kept closed when any amplified music or voices are being played within the premises
- Any live music played at the premises shall be played through a noise limiting device. The activation level of this device must be set and sealed by an officer of the Local Authority's Environmental Health division.
- 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 23:00
- All activities specified within sections F G H I (including karaoke) and J shall be permitted between the hours of 10.00. & 23.00 hrs Sunday to Thursday and 10.00 & 00.00 Friday and Saturday.
- An hour's extension shall be permitted for all activities requested on the Monday of any Bank Holiday weekend and the Thursday and Monday of the Easter weekend. A further hour's extension shall be permitted on all activities requested on Christmas Eve and Boxing Day and the saints days specified within the application

Cheshire Constabulary
To prevent Crime and Disorder

During the early morning hours between 0600 and 0830 hrs hot food must be available at all times

4.2 INTERESTED PARTIES

N/A

5. OPTIONS

5.1 The Committee has the following options:

- Grant subject to conditions
- Reject the application.

6. POLICY IMPLICATIONS

None.

7. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

None.

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

Document**Place of Inspection****Contact Officer**

Application
Documents

Legal Services

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