



**Regulatory Committee**

**Thursday, 29 May 2008 6.30 p.m.  
Council Chamber, Runcorn Town Hall**



**Chief Executive**

**COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP**

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The next meeting of the Committee is on Monday, 16 June 2008*

**ITEMS TO BE DEALT WITH  
IN THE PRESENCE OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

**Part I**

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<b>1. DECLARATION OF INTEREST</b>	
Members are reminded of their responsibility to declare any personal or personal and prejudicial interest which they have in any item of business on the agenda, no later than when that item is reached and (subject to certain exceptions in the Code of Conduct for Members) to leave the meeting prior to discussion and voting on the item.	
<b>2. APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE ON LAND AT DARESBURY</b>	<b>1 - 19</b>

***In accordance with the Health and Safety at Work Act the Council is required to notify those attending meetings of the fire evacuation procedures. A copy has previously been circulated to Members and instructions are located in all rooms within the Civic block.***

**REPORT:** Regulatory Committee

**DATE:** 29 May 2008

**REPORTING OFFICER:** Chief Executive

**SUBJECT:** Application for a premises Licence on land at Daresbury

**WARDS:** Daresbury

### **1. PURPOSE OF REPORT**

To provide relevant information for the holding of a hearing to assess relevant representations made in response to an application by C.I. (Events) Limited for a premises licence in respect of land at Daresbury.

### **2. RECOMMENDATION**

**That the Committee considers the relevant representations and determine the application in accordance with the options available to it (as listed in section 7 to this Agenda)**

### **3. SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

- 3.1** The application has been made under section 17 Licensing Act 2003 ("the 2003 Act").
- 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 THE APPLICATION**

#### **4.1 The applicant**

- 4.2** The applicant for the proposed 2008 event is (as last year) C.I. (Events) Limited.

#### **4.3 The site**

- 4.4** The application relates to farmland at the Daresbury Estate and Holly Hedge Farm. The application site comprises a larger area than in previous years. The plan submitted with the application shows the extent

of the application and a plan will be available at the hearing. Most of the additional area (as compared with previous years) is accounted for by an application for late night refreshment to be provided in the camping areas (the camping areas themselves are not part of the application). However, note that the application in respect of provision of facilities for dancing (as to which see below) applies across the whole site.

#### **4.5 Description of the Event**

- 4.6** The application is in respect of a proposed two day music festival with camping and consisting of multiple stages and tented arenas. Separate tented structure selling alcohol, soft drink, food and merchandise will be located in the site as well as fun fair attractions. There will be a separate fenced off area for camping.
- 4.7** The application states that the proposed two day music festival is intended to take place over two days: Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> and Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August 2008. However, it should be noted that two elements of the application involve a third day namely Monday 25<sup>th</sup> August. These are, first, late night refreshment (as to which see below) and secondly, hours premises are open to the public (as to which see below)
- 4.8** The number of people expected to attend the proposed music festival is stated to not exceed 39,999 (The 2007 figure was 49,999).
- 4.9** Note that the Licensing Authority is only concerned with those matters which constitute licensable activities.

#### **4.10 Description of Licensable Activities**

##### **4.11 Films**

- 4.12** Films are requested to be shown in one of the tented areas between **1400** on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August and **0400** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August and then from **1000** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August until **2300** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August.

##### **4.13 Live Music**

- 4.14** There is intended to be one main outdoor stage together with smaller performance stages within tented arenas (all with bands performing with amplified music). The hours requested are between **1400** on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August and **0400** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August and then from **1000** Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August until **2300** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August provided that the use of the main outdoor stage for live music shall cease at 2300 on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August.

##### **4.15 Recorded Music**

- 4.16** The hours requested for recorded music are between **1400** on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August and **0400** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August and then from **1000** Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August until **2300** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August. Recorded music will be played on all stages between the bands and full performances by

DJ's provided that the use of the main outdoor stage for recorded music shall cease at 2300 on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August.

**4.17 Performance of dance**

**4.18** The hours requested for performance of dance are between **1400** on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August and **0400** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August and then from **1000** Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August until **2300** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August. Dancers will appear with some bands performing at the event provided that the use of the main outdoor stage for the performance of dance shall cease at 2300 on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August

**4.19 Provision of facilities for dancing**

**4.20** The hours requested for provision of facilities for dancing are between **1400** on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August and **0400** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August and then from **1000** Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August until **2300** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August. People will be able to dance across the whole site should they wish to do so except on stages.

**4.21 Late night refreshment**

**4.22** The hours requested for provision of late night refreshment are between **2300** on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August and **0500** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August and then from **2300** Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August until **0500** on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> August. Food vendors will be operating throughout the site (including the campsite).

**4.23 Supply of alcohol**

**4.24** The hours requested for the supply of alcohol are between **1400** on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August and **0430** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August and then from **1000** Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August until **2330** on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August.

**4.25 Hours premises are open to the public**

**4.26** The application is for the premises to be open to the public between **0900** on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August and **1400** on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> August.

**5 ROLE OF WARRINGTON BOROUGH COUNCIL AND LOCAL PARISH COUNCILS**

**5.1** Part of the application site is within the Borough of Warrington. In these cases the 2003 Act directs that the licensing authority within whose area the majority of the site is situated is the relevant licensing authority for the purposes of receiving and determining the application.

**5.2** Responsible authorities situated within both licensing authorities have jurisdiction to make relevant representations.

- 5.3 Parish Councils have no right to make relevant representations under the 2003 Act but can be appointed by interested parties who have made relevant representations to represent them at hearings.

## 6 RELEVANT REPRESENTATIONS

### 6.1 RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES

#### CHESHIRE CONSTABULARY

The Police do not object to the grant of a premises licence but have requested a number of conditions to be attached to the premises licence. Details are set out in **Appendix 1**.

#### HALTON BOROUGH COUNCIL

Halton Borough Council in its various capacities as responsible authority do not object to the application for a premises licence. However, the Licensing Authority are recommended to attach a number of conditions relating to noise and health and safety matters. Details are set out in **Appendix 2**.

#### WARRINGTON BOROUGH COUNCIL

Warrington Borough Council is entitled to make representations as a 'responsible authority' as defined in section 13(4) Licensing Act 2003. Warrington Borough Council could write in one or more of the following capacities:

- Health & Safety Enforcing Authority – section 12(4)(c)
- Local Planning Authority – section 12(4)(d)
- Environmental Health Authority – section 12(4)(e)
- Licensing Authority in whose area part of the premises is situated – section 12(4)(g).

Warrington Borough Council do not object to the grant of a premises licence but have requested a number of conditions to be attached to the premises licence. Details are set out in **Appendix 3**.

### 6.2 INTERESTED PARTIES

- 6.3 The nature of the application has meant that the definition of who might qualify to be an interested party has had to be addressed. It has been considered appropriate (after consideration of technical advice) to limit representations to those living or carrying on business within a one and a half mile radius of the application site.
- 6.4 Details of representations made by interested parties are summarised at **Appendix 4**.
- 6.6 The representations will be available at the meeting and copies have been sent to the applicant.

## **7 OPTIONS**

7.1 The Committee has the following options:

- Grant the application
- Grant subject to conditions
- Reject the application.

7.2 The Committee must act with a view to promoting the licensing objectives, namely:

- (a) the prevention of crime and disorder;
- (b) public safety;
- (c) the prevention of public nuisance; and
- (d) the protection of children from harm.

The Committee must also have regard to-

- (a) the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy, and
- (b) the Statutory Guidance issued by the Secretary of State.

## **8 IMPLICATIONS FOR THE COUNCILS PRIORITIES**

**8.1 Children and Young People in Halton**

None

**8.2 Employment Learning and Skills in Halton**

N/A

**8.3 A healthy Halton**

N/A

**8.4 A Safer Halton**

None

**8.5 Halton's Urban Renewal**

N/A

## **9 RISK ANALYSIS**

N/A

## **10 EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY ISSUES**

N/A

## **11 POLICY IMPLICATIONS**

11.1 This is a hearing regarding a specific application. Although a number of policies must be taken into account there are no policy implications arising from the application.

## **12 OTHER IMPLICATIONS**

12.1 This is the only the third large open air event to come before the Committee under the 2003 Act. Should the application be granted the

Committee may wish to request that the Responsible Authorities monitor the event closely and report back to the Committee on all matters touching on the licensing objectives.

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

<b>Document</b>	<b>Place of Inspection</b>	<b>Contact Officer</b>
Application Documents	Legal Services	John Tully/Kay Cleary



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**HALTON BO... COUNCIL**

**Representation Form.**

**Responsible Authority.**

**POLICE**

Your Name	Ian Seville
Job Title	Police Licensing Officer
Postal and email address	Widnes Police Station, Kingsway, Widnes. WA8 7QJ <a href="mailto:ian.seville@cheshire.pnn.police.uk">ian.seville@cheshire.pnn.police.uk</a>
Contact telephone number	01244 613771

Name of the premises you are making a representation about.	<b>Creamfields Pop Concert 2008 - Application for Grant</b>
Address of the premises you are making a representation about.	Daresbury Estate, Halton

Which of the four licensing Objectives does your representation relate to? Please state yes or no.	Yes Or No	Please detail the evidence supporting your representation. Or the reason for your representation. Please use separate sheets if necessary
The Prevention of harm to children	Yes	Proof of Age/Challenge 21 (See Item 1 below)
To prevent Public Nuisance	Yes	Closure of Footpaths crossing the site (See Item 2 below)
To prevent crime and disorder	Yes	Closure of Footpaths crossing the site (See Item 2 below) CCTV issue (See Item 3 and 4 below)
Public Safety	Yes	Final Sign Off time and numbers of staff (See Item 4 and 5 below)

Suggested conditions that could be added to the licence to remedy your representation or other suggestions you would like the Licensing Sub Committee to take into account. Please use separate sheets where necessary and refer to checklist.	
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COMMENTS:

The below Representations are based on both requirements made to address 'constant' factors that will be relevant at every such event, and also modifications made in light of lessons learnt from the previous Concert.

1. Proof of Age still remains of paramount importance, both for admittance to the event and for the legitimate sale of alcohol. The method of operation for this scheme will remain the same as last year and is detailed in Annexe 1, which will form part of the Condition.

**Condition:**

**The Challenge 21 Proof of Age Scheme shall be adopted as a Condition of entry. A tent or other structure shall be provided, immediately adjacent to the entry gates, where checks can be carried out by event and police staff.**

**The operating procedures are set out in Annexe 1 of this Form and constitute part of this Condition.**

2. It still remains an essential that the integrity of the perimeter be secured. Therefore,

**Condition:**

**All Public Footpaths running across the site must be closed for the duration of the licence, and suitable alternative routes to be identified and displayed.**

3. There is a general desire to reduce the numbers of Police Officers in attendance, particularly in the main arena. This can only be achieved by better use of other facilities available. Paramount in these is better use of CCTV. It has been noted on the two previous events that coverage and image quality could, and should, be better. Therefore,

**Condition:**

**All CCTV must comply with the recommendations laid down by the Force Architect and CCTV Liaison Officer.**

4. Access to CCTV recordings will still be required in any subsequent investigation of offences. Therefore,

**Condition:**

**A CCTV Liaison Officer shall be appointed by the organisers who will have continuity of access to material both during and after the event. All subsequent requests for CCTV material will then be directed through this person.**

5. The final 'Safety Sign Off' time will continue to be critical. This is a crucial point and previous experience has shown that any delay to this time causes an unacceptable delay throughout the remainder of the timetable. This culminates in a delay in making the site available for occupation at the stated time and causes a serious risk of crushing within the crowds. This time of 18:00 hrs on Friday the 22<sup>nd</sup> of August must be adhered to. Therefore,

6.

**Condition:**

**There will be a final sign-off time of 18:00 hrs on Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2008.**

7. The schedule refers to a minimum number of stewards/security staff to be deployed throughout the event, this being  
Saturday – Event :250, 232 of which shall be SIA registered.  
Saturday – Campsite:80, 48 of which shall be SIA registered.  
Sunday – Event: 230, 160 of which shall be SIA registered.

Sunday – Campsite: 80, 48 of which : **Page 9** ired.  
This number shall not be reduced un nces as this forms an integral part  
of the Police Contingency and Emergency plans, any variation of this number would  
obviously compromise these plans. Therefore,

**Condition:**

**The minimum number of stewards and security staff shall not be less than:**

**Saturday – Event :250, 232 of which shall be SIA registered.**

**Saturday – Campsite:80, 48 of which shall be SIA registered.**

**Sunday – Event: 230, 160 of which shall be SIA registered.**

**Sunday – Campsite: 80, 48 of which shall be SIA registered.**

7. It is further required that the organisers continue to work with both the Police and the SIA to establish which roles on the site require SIA accreditation, as opposed to Stewarding duties. Therefore,

**Condition:**

**An appointed representative from the organisers shall attend meetings arranged between the Police and the S.I.A.**

8. It is vital to ensure that lines of command are maintained at all levels up to and including Gold Command. This is crucial in ensuring that any eleventh hour changes are communicated throughout whole range of staff involved at all levels. Therefore, .

**Condition:**

**Members of the Senior Management shall attend Adversarial Briefings With senior Police staff when arranged prior to the event.**

All other steps offered are welcome and acceptable to the Police and will assist in promoting all four objectives of the Act.

Signed: Ian Seville.

Date: 30<sup>th</sup> April 2008

N.B If you do make a representation you will be expected to attend the Licensing Sub Committee and any subsequent appeal proceeding.

Please return this form along with any additional sheets to: The Licensing Team, Halton Borough Council, Municipal Buildings, Kingsway, Widnes WA8 7QF or email to

**This form must be returned within the Statutory Period. Generally 28 days from the day the notice was displayed on the premises or the date specified in the Public Notice in the newspaper.**

## **APPENDIX 2**

### **Representations made by Halton Borough Council Environmental Health, Building Control & Enforcement Division Halton Borough Council Environmental Health Building Control & Enforcement Division**

#### **Representation in respect of the licensing application for a premises license the Creamfields event to be held at Daresbury Estate Daresbury village Halton 23rd August 2008 –24th August 2008.**

##### **1.0 Introduction**

1.1 The division has considered the application in respect of the prevention of public nuisance and public safety.

1.2 In consideration of the application and the elements that fall within the remit of the division, the division make representations in two areas namely disturbance from noise and health and safety issues. In both areas the division are recommending that conditions be placed on the license that will mitigate public nuisance and protect public safety.

##### **2.0 Disturbance from noise and potential public nuisance**

2.1 During the one day event in 2007 staff from the Council's Environmental Health Team monitored noise levels to ascertain compliance with licence conditions pertaining to noise. No breaches of licence conditions were observed or recorded, and it was considered that the conditions adequately controlled the noise given the nature of the event.

2.2 This year's event is extended over 2 days. After careful consideration of the detail it has been decided that Environmental Health will adopt a similar approach to previous years and request conditions to minimise disturbance from noise. The division would request that the following conditions be placed on the licence:

- A. All activities, structures, stages and facilities shall be positioned in accordance with the application plan. No changes shall be made to the plan without prior permission in writing from the Operational Director (Environment & Regulatory Services) or the Divisional Manager (Environmental Health, Building Control & Enforcement).
- B. The licensee shall appoint a suitably qualified and experienced Noise Control Consultant who shall be required to advise the Licensee on managing noise generated during the licensed events and to liaise with all relevant parties ie the Licensee, the Environmental Health officers of Halton Borough Council and Warrington Borough Council, Event Promoters, sound system suppliers, sound engineers and performers prior to and during the licensed event.
- C. The Music Noise Level (MNL) shall not exceed 65dBLAeq (15 min) 1 metre from the façade of any noise sensitive premises prior to 23:00 hours.

- D. After 23:00 hours music noise levels 10m from the mixer desk in each marquee including any concessionary (marquees) shall not exceed 95dB.
- E. The sound systems associated with each ride on the fairground shall not be operated after 23:00 hours
- F. Music noise levels from the main stage shall not exceed 98dBLAeq at a position 40 metres from the main speakers.
- G. The use of main stage shall finish at 23:00 hours.
- H. The licence holder shall ensure that the appointed Noise Control Consultant shall regularly undertake tests of noise levels at the sound mixer positions to ensure compliance with the Licence conditions. A written record of these assessments shall be kept and available to any Environmental Health Officer appointed or authorised by the Environmental Health, Building Control & Enforcement Division of Halton Borough Council upon request. This shall include any remedial action taken.
- I. The licence holder shall ensure that the appointed Noise Consultant shall carry out one or more noise propagation tests prior to the event. During the test, the sound system shall be configured and operated in a similar manner as that intended for the licensed events and shall utilize a sound source as similar as possible to that intended to be used during the licensed events. Any such test shall be carried out between 11:00 and 16:00 hours on the day prior to the event and after 10:00 hours on each day of the event. Halton Borough Council's Environmental Health Officers shall be informed of the tests at least one hour prior to commencement.
- J. The licence holder shall submit a noise management plans to the Divisional Manager (Environmental Health, Building Control & Enforcement) no later than 28 days before the commencement of the event.
- K. There shall be no construction of the set or any other structure associated with the event within the hours of 20.00 – 08.00 unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Divisional Manager (Environmental Health, Building Control & Enforcement).
- L. If, in the opinion of the Environmental Health Officer appointed or authorised by the Environmental Health, Building Control & Enforcement Division of Halton Borough Council or the Noise Control Consultant appointed in accordance with Condition B, that the noise levels become unacceptable and a significant disturbance is being, or is likely to be caused during the operation of the licence, and notwithstanding compliance with any other noise condition, the Licence holder shall take appropriate steps to avoid or abate any such disturbance as directed by such Environmental Health Officer or the appointed Noise Control Consultant .
- M. The Licensee shall ensure that the any sound system supplier, sound engineer, sound equipment operator or performer is informed of these noise conditions of licence and that they will be required to comply with any instructions given to them by the Licensee or the Licensees Noise Control Consultant.
- N. Provide an adequate number and type of toilet facilities for the number of people expected. Arrange for all the toilet facilities to be serviced regularly to keep them fully operational, clean and hygienic throughout the event. Provide directional signs to indicate the location of the toilets and provide adequate lighting where necessary

The reason for conditions A-N is the prevention of public nuisance.

### 3.0 Health and Safety Issues

Officers from the Environmental Health, Building Control & Enforcement Division of Halton BC will, with regards to health and safety, be observing their statutory powers in accordance with the Health & Safety at Work Act 1974.

The Division does not object in principle to the application on the basis of health and safety for which the Licence holder will be statutory responsible.

The event in 2006 did not result in any major contravention of the health & safety or food safety legislation but there were issues with regards to the details of transport arrangements inside the site and with the provision of a potable water supply to food concessions on the site.

In conclusion the division will not therefore be objecting to the application relating to licensing objective Public Safety on the basis of on site health and safety issues provided that the following conditions are placed on the Licence:

- I. All stage and tower structures shall be supplied by competent contractors who shall issue full structural plans and calculations to Halton's Borough Council Building Control Manager.
- II. All electrical installations shall be designed, installed and operated in accordance with current legislation specifically the Electricity at Work Regulations 1989; B.S. 7671:2001 as amended, B.S.5266: 1998 and IEE Guidance Note No 7 including all amendments, and HSE guidance NoteGS50The installation/s shall be inspected, tested and certified by competent person/s. Where more than one person is involved their responsibilities shall be clearly identified and agreed between relevant parties.
- III. The Licence holder shall ensure that a nominated council representative the Environmental Health Manager (Food and Health & Safety), the Divisional Manager (Environmental Health, Building Control & Enforcement) or the Principal Environmental Health Officer (Food Safety, Health & Safety) is kept informed of the progress of the notified at key stages, namely (i) of designated contractors on site to prepare for the event, (ii) start of event set up, (iii) final safety checks prior to opening, (iv) at any other key stages in the executing and operating of the event.
- IV. The Licence holder shall furnish the Environmental Health Manager (Food Health & Safety), the Divisional Manager (Environmental Health, Building Control & Enforcement) or the Principal Environmental Health Officer (Food, Health & Safety) with a list of all contractors who will be operating at the event at the earliest available time but within a minimum of 48 hours prior to the opening of the event to the public. In particular the list of food concessions should be reported to the Division a minimum of 3 weeks prior to the event.
- V. A representative of Halton Council's Environmental Health, Building Control & Enforcement Division shall be advised in reasonable time when the main arena is deemed by the Licence holder to be ready to be opened to the public.
- VI. The Licence holder shall advise the Environmental Health Manager (Food and Health & Safety), the Divisional Manager (Environmental Health, Building

Control& Enforcement) or the Principal Environmental Health Officer (Food Safety, Health & Safety) a minimum of 48 hours prior to the event opening to the public, all activities to be carried out by sponsors with particular attention to those involving public participation.

- VII. The Licence holder shall ensure the Environmental Health Manager (Food and Health & Safety), the Divisional Manager (Environmental Health, Building Control& Enforcement) or the Principal Environmental Health Officer (Food Safety, Health & Safety) shall always have an up to date copy of the event risk assessment.
- VIII. The event shall be managed and operated in accordance with the Health & Safety policy and procedures statement included in the application. The Division shall be kept informed by the Licence holder of all key activities relating to public safety. In particular, any activities that require specific individual risk assessments to ensure safe operation such as the use of lasers, strobes, pyrotechnics, bomb tanks, smoke machines and fireworks etc must be reported to the division with suitable supporting evidence within reasonable time, prior to the event.

The reason for conditions I – VIII is to protect public safety. With regard to condition III the information concerning food concessions is required in the interest of public safety as their presence may affect the circulation of people on site.

April 2008

**REPRESENTATION MADE BY WARRINGTON BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**This representation is made in respect of the licensing application for a premises license the Creamfields event to be held at Daresbury Estate Daresbury village Halton 23rd August 2008 -24th August 2008.**

**1.0 Introduction**

- 1.1 The authority has considered the application in respect of the prevention of public nuisance.
- 1.2 In consideration of the application the authority makes representations in the area concerned with the disturbance from noise pollution/public nuisance. In this area the authority would like to request that conditions are placed on the license that will mitigate public nuisance.

**2.0 Disturbance from noise and potential public nuisance**

- 2.1 It is requested that conditions to minimise the disturbance from noise or public nuisance are placed on the licence. The authority would request that the following:
- 2.2 All activities, structures, stages and facilities shall be positioned in accordance with the application plan. No changes shall be made to the plan without prior agreement from Halton Borough Council, in consultation with Warrington Borough Council, Environmental Health division.
- 2.3 The licensee shall appoint a suitably qualified and experienced Noise Control Consultant who shall be required to advise the Licensee on managing noise generated during the licensed events and to liaise with all relevant parties ie the Licensee, the Environmental Health officers of Halton Borough Council and Warrington Borough Council, Event Promoters, sound system suppliers, sound engineers and performers prior to and during the licensed event.
- 2.4 The Music Noise Level (MNL) shall not exceed 65dB LAeq (15 min) 1 metre from the facade of any noise sensitive premises prior to 23:00 hours.
- 2.5 After 23:00 hours music noise levels 10m from the mixer desk in each marquee including any concessionary (marquees) shall not exceed 95dB.
- 2.6 The sound systems associated with each ride on the fairground shall not be operated after 23:00 hours
- 2.7 Music noise levels from the main stage shall not exceed 98dB LAeq at a position 40 metres from the main speakers.
- 2.8 The use of main stage shall finish at 23:00 hours.
- 2.9 The licence holder shall ensure that the appointed Noise Control Consultant shall regularly undertake tests of noise levels at the sound mixer positions to ensure compliance with the Licence conditions. A written record of these assessments shall be kept and available to Environmental Health Officer's of



- 2.10 The licence holder shall submit a copy of the noise management plans to Warrington Borough Council Environmental Health unit no later than 28 days before the commencement of the event.
- 2.11 There shall be no construction of the set or any other structure associated with the event within the hours of 20.00 - 08.00 unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Divisional Manager (Environmental Health, Building Control & Enforcement) of Halton Borough Council and Warrington Borough Council Environmental Health division.
- 2.12 Provide an adequate number and type of toilet facilities for the number of people expected. Arrange for all the toilet facilities to be serviced regularly to keep them fully operational, clean and hygienic throughout the event. Provide directional signs to indicate the location of the toilets and provide adequate lighting where necessary
- 2.13 The licence holder shall ensure that the appointed Noise Consultant shall carry out one or more noise propagation tests prior to the event. During the test, the sound system shall be configured and operated in a similar manner as that intended for the licensed events and shall utilize a sound source as similar as possible to that intended to be used during the licensed events. Any such test shall be carried out between 11 :00 and 16:00 hours on the day prior to the event and after 1 0:00 hours on each day of the event. Halton Borough Council & Warrington Borough Council's Environmental Health Officers shall be informed of the tests at least one hour prior to commencement.

## APPENDIX 4

## CREAMFIELDS 2008 LIST

Steve Moore 11 Gosling Close Hatton Cheshire, WA4 5PB (S1)	Mr & Mrs P J Nichols Hatton Cottage Hatton Cheshire, WA4 5NY (S2)
Louise Jennings 11 Gosling Close Hatton Cheshire, WA4 5PB (S3)	K F Ainsworth Old Chapel House Warrington Road, Hatton Warrington, WA4 5NU (S4)
W Harding Crows Nest Farm Delph Lane, Daresbury Warrington, WA4 4AW (S5)	George Lovell Bob's Old House Hatton Lane, Hatton Warrington, WA4 4DB (S6)
A M Clancy 397 London Road Appleton Warrington, Cheshire, WA4 5DN (S7)	Jean Griffin 22 Beechmoore Moore WA4 6UE (S8)
Mr P and Mrs E Priestner Rivington Cottage Holly Hedge Lane Higher Walton Warrington, WA4 5QW (S9)	Mrs S Harris Rowwood Cottage Warrington Road Higher Walton Warrington, WA4 5LN (S10)
Mr B J Handley White Croft Warrington Road Hatton Near Warrington, WA4 5NU (S11)	Mr R Harris Rowwood Cottage Warrington Road Higher Walton Warrington, WA4 5LN (S12)
Dr Paul Barlow 10 Rowwood Farm Park Lane Higher Walton Warrington, WA4 5HL (S13)	Dr P W and Mrs E J A Leech 8 Rowwood Farm Park Lane Higher Walton Warrington, WA4 5HK (S14)
Mr & Mrs J Helsby Yew Tree Cottage Chester Road Higher Walton Warrington, WA4 5LP (S15)	Mr A R Goodkin and Mrs P L Goodkin The Old Post Office Chester Road Daresbury Warrington, WA4 4AJ (S16)
R & J Beever Jonetti Cottage Warrington Road Hatton Cheshire, WA4 5NU (S17)	Mr J Eustance 14 Goose Lane Hatton Warrington WA4 5PA (S18)

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	Basis of Representation	S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6	S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12	S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18	S19	S20	S21
	Valid/Invalid																					
	<b>Representations to refuse from interested parties</b>																					
	<b>Crime &amp; Disorder</b>																					
A1	More crime and disorder resulted from last year's event			Y																		
A2	Crime & Disorder	Y			Y	Y	Y		Y		Y		Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y
	<b>Public Safety</b>																					
B1	Danger on A56																Y					Y
B2	Lack of footpaths on a number of lanes								Y								Y					Y
B3	Dangerous secondary routes								Y													Y
B4	Problems on Warrington Road and Park Lane																				Y	
B5	Access problems																			Y		
B6	Traffic congestion	Y	Y	Y	Y				Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
B7	Ineffective security provided																					
B8	Lack of Police/Emergency Services											Y	Y					Y			Y	Y
	<b>The Prevention of Public Nuisance</b>																					
C1	Extended period of nuisance	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y		Y			Y		Y	Y	Y					Y	Y
C2	Noise levels constitute public nuisance	Y	Y	Y	Y			Y				Y	Y			Y			Y			
C3	Major intrusion into life of community		Y	Y									Y			Y						Y
	<b>The Safeguarding of Children</b>																					
D1	Under 18s will drink alcohol/Take drugs at the event						Y				Y					Y	Y				Y	Y
D2	Children will not be allowed to play out																Y					Y
E	<b>Policy issues raised</b>																Y					Y
F	<b>Conditions requested if application granted</b>																					
F1	Wrist band condition requested								Y													
F2	Tighten entrance to site																					Y
F3	Police/Stewards required from 9.00 a.m. Saturday until close of campsite																					Y
F4	Extra security/Police required																					Y
F5	Access from campsites restricted via A56																					Y

S22				
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