LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE

HELD AT 4.00 P.M. ON THURSDAY, 15 MAY 2014

DECISIONS

1. DECLARATIONS OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTEREST

There were no declarations of disclosable pecuniary interest.

2. RULES OF PROCEDURE

The rules of procedure were noted.

3. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

3.1 Application for Time Limited Premises Licence for Lovebox 2014

The Licensing Objectives

In considering the application, Members were required to consider the same in accordance with the Licensing Act 2003 (as amended), the Licensing Objectives, the Licensing Guidance and the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy.

Consideration

Each application must be considered on its own merits and after careful consideration the Chair stated that the Sub Committee had considered all of the evidence before them and took account of the evidence submitted for and on behalf of the Applicant by Mr Taylor and by the objector Councillor Joshua Peck.

Members reached a decision and it was unanimous. The decision was to reject the decision on the grounds of crime and disorder and public nuisance. The Sub Committee had real concerns about the increase in crime and disorder, which Members felt was attributable to Lovebox.

Likewise the Sub Committee were concerned by the public nuisance suffered by residents of Bow West. The Sub Committee did not consider that there were any further conditions that could be added to those advanced by the Applicant and so rejected the application.

Decision

Accordingly, the Sub-Committee unanimously –

RESOLVED

That the application for a Time Limited Premises Licence for, Lovebox 2014 be **REFUSED**.

3.2 Application for a New Premises Licence for Peloton and Co, 4 Market Street, London, E1 6DT

The Licensing Objectives

In considering the application, Members were required to consider the same in accordance with the Licensing Act 2003 (as amended), the Licensing Objectives, the Licensing Guidance and the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy.

Consideration

Each application must be considered on its own merits and after careful consideration the Chair stated that the Sub Committee had decided to grant the application. Members' had carefully listened to Applicant and the objection made on behalf of the Metropolitan Police.

The Chair stated that the Cumulative Impact Zone should not be taken as an excuse to make a representation for every application by responsible authorities. The policy does make it clear that regard should be had to the operating schedule. Responsible authorities have the advantage of seeing this schedule. Members would therefore expect representations against to set out what is wrong with the operating schedule. An objection solely on the basis that it is within the cumulative impact zone was unhelpful.

Members' believed that CCTV conditions would help address the concerns raised by the objectors and that Members were satisfied that the operation of the premises will not add to the cumulative impact being experienced.

Decision

Accordingly, the Sub-Committee unanimously –

RESOLVED

That the application for a New Premises Licence for, Peloton and Co, 4 Market Street, London E1 6DT be GRANTED with conditions.

Sale of Alcohol (on sales)

- Monday to Friday from 12:00 noon to 17:00 hours
- Saturday and Sunday from 11:00 hours to 17:00 hours

The Provision of Regulated Entertainment (Recorded Music)

- Monday to Friday from 08:30 noon to 17:30 hours
- Saturday and Sunday from 11:00 hours to 17:00 hours

Hours Premises is open to the Public

- Monday to Friday from 08:30 noon to 17:30 hours
- Saturday and Sunday from 11:00 hours to 17:00 hours

Conditions

- 1. CCTV camera system covering both internal and external to the premises is to be installed.
- 2. The CCTV recordings are to be maintained for 30 days and to be provided upon request to either a Police Officer or an officer of any other Responsible Authority.
- 3. At all times when the premise is open, a person who can operate the CCTV system must be present on the premises.

3.3 Application for a Premises for Pizzaluxe, Unit 11, Avante Garde, Sclater Street, London, E1 6HZ

The Licensing Objectives

In considering the application, Members were required to consider the same in accordance with the Licensing Act 2003 (as amended), the Licensing Objectives, the Licensing Guidance and the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy.

Consideration

Each application must be considered on its own merits and after careful consideration the Chair stated that the Sub Committee had carefully listened to the Applicant's representative, the amendments to the application and conditions offered, and noted and considered the objections made on behalf of the Metropolitan Police and the Licensing Authority.

The Chair stated that the Cumulative Impact Zone should not be taken as an excuse to make a representation for every application by responsible authorities. The policy does make it clear that regard should be had to the operating schedule. Responsible authorities have the advantage of seeing this schedule. Members would therefore expect representations against to set out what is wrong with the operating schedule. An objection solely on the basis that it is within the cumulative impact zone was unhelpful.

Members' believed that the amended hours and conditions would help address the concerns raised by the objectors and that Members were satisfied that the operation of the premises will not add to the cumulative impact being experienced.

Decision

Accordingly, the Sub-Committee unanimously –

RESOLVED

That the application for a New Premises Licence for, Pizzaluxe, Unit 11, Avant Garde, Sclater Street, London E1 6HZ be GRANTED with conditions.

Sale of Alcohol (on sales only)

Sunday to Wednesday from 09:00 hours to 23:00 hours Thursday to Saturday from 09:00 hours to 00:00 hours (midnight)

The Provision of Late Night Refreshments

Thursday to Saturday from 23:00 hours to 00:00 hours (midnight)

Hours premises is open to the public

Sunday to Wednesday from 08:00 hours to 23:30 hours Thursday to Saturday from 08:00 hours to 00:30 hours (the following day)

Conditions

- 1. No vertical drinking outside
- 2. No more than 6 smokers allowed to smoke in the external area at any one time.
- 3. CCTV camera system covering both internal and external to the premises is to be installed.
- 4. The CCTV recordings are to be maintained for 30 days and to be provided upon request to either a Police Officer or an officer of any other Responsible Authority.
- 5. At all times when the premise is open, a person who can operate the CCTV system must be present on the premises.
- 6. A Drugs Policy to be agreed with the Tower Hamlets Police Licensing Unit.
- 7. Two SIA door staff to be employed from 22:00 hours until closing on a Friday and Saturday.

- 8. F696 to be completed if there are outside promoters or DJs.
- 9. The premises shall operate a 'Challenge 21' policy in relation to the sale of alcohol.
- 10. All street furniture to be removed by 22:30 hours, thus all external area usage to cease by 22:30 hours. It might be prudent, therefore, to state that last orders are taken at 21:30 hours.

Stephen Halsey INTERIM HEAD OF PAID SERVICES

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