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### Part A - Format of premises licence

Premises licence number 14370

### Part 1 - Premises details

Postal address of premises, or if none, ordnance survey map reference or description (Old Ford Mini Market)

389 Old Ford Road London

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Post town Post code London E3 2LU

Telephone number 0208 980 1921

Where the licence is time limited the dates

Licensable activities authorised by the licence

The sale by retail of alcohol

The times the licence authorises the carrying out of licensable activities
Alcohol shall not be sold or supplied except during permitted hours. In this condition, permitted hours means:
a. On weekdays, other than Christmas Day, 8 a.m. to 11 p.m.
b. On Sundays, other than Christmas Day, 10 a.m. to 10.30 p.m.
c. On Christmas Day, 12 noon to 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 10.30 p.m. d. On Good Friday, 8 a.m. to 10.30 p.m.
See Mandatory conditions for drinking up time
The opening hours of the premises
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Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol whether these are on and/ or off supplies
Off sales only

### Part 2

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Name, (registered) address, telephone number and email (where relevant) of holder of premises licence Ibrahim Ozan 29C Clissold Road London N16 9EX

Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

N/A

**N16 9EX** 

Name, address and telephone number of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises the supply of alcohol Mr Ibrahim Ozan 29c Clissold Road London

Personal licence number and issuing authority of personal licence held by designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol

London Borough of Hackney LBH-PER-N-0194

## Annex 1 - Mandatory conditions

No supply of alcohol may be made under the premises licence-

- a) at a time where there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of the premises licence, or
- b) at a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or his personal licence is suspended

Every supply of alcohol under the premises licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence

Alcohol shall not be sold in an open container or be consumed in the licensed premises Alcohol shall not be sold or supplied except during permitted hours.

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- d. On Good Friday, 8 a.m. to 10.30 p.m.

The above restrictions do not prohibit:

- (a) during the first twenty minutes after the above hours, the taking of the alcohol from the premises, unless the alcohol is supplied or taken in an open vessel;
- (b) the ordering of alcohol to be consumed off the premises, or the despatch by the vendor of the alcohol so ordered:
- (c) the sale of alcohol to a trader or club for the purposes of the trade or club:
- (d) the sale or supply of alcohol to any canteen or mess, being a canteen in which the sale or supply of alcohol is carried out under the authority of the Secretary of State or an authorised mess of members of Her Majesty's naval, military or air forces.

### Effective 10th October 2010:

- (1) The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder shall ensure that an age verification policy applies to the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.
- (2) 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 a holographic mark.

#### Annex 2 - Conditions consistent with the operating Schedule

None

#### Annex 3 - Conditions attached after a hearing by the licensing authority

[Conditions agreed between the police and the licensee at Thames Magistrates Court on 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2010 during appeal proceedings].

- A digital CCTV system shall be installed incorporating recording and viewing facilities. Any recording shall be retained and stored in a suitable and secure manner for a minimum of 31 days.
- The CCTV coverage shall include coverage of all public entrances and exits from the premises; the area directly in front of the entrance to the premises; the till area and all the areas where alcohol is stored and displayed.
- 3. The CCTV system shall be installed to ensure the quality of the recordings and recorded images and a complete audit trail maintained.
- The CCTV system shall comply with all other essential legislation and in particular that signs informing of the CCTV recording are prominently displayed.
- 5. The CCTV system will be maintained and fully operational throughout the hours that the premises are open for any licensable activity.
- 6. All staff on duty are to be trained in the use of the CCTV viewing facility so that Police or Local Authority officers can view the images upon immediate request.
- 7. There must be someone at the premises who can download the images and provide a copy recording or a request by Police or Local Authority officer within no later than 48 hours of such request.
- 8. The premise licence holder will engage and operate the Challenge 25 scheme along with a "no ID no sale policy". Staff will not sell alcoholic drinks to any person who appears to be under 25 unless they can provide photographic ID evidence showing them to be over 18.
- 9. All refusals of sales of alcohol or other age restricted products are to be recorded in a refusal register.
- 10. Reasonable and adequate staff training to be carried out and properly documented in relation to: (i) dealing with incidents and prevention of

crime and disorder: (ii) sale of alcohol (to underage, persons over 18 purchasing for underage, drunks etc.) prior to being allowed to sell alcohol.

- 11. All training records, incident and refusal registers are to be retained for 12 months and made available to Police and Local Authority licensing officers upon reasonable request (incident book/refusal register may be one of the same).
- 12. Refresher training to be satisfactorily completed every six months for all staff and documented with the training records.
- 13. The premises licence holder shall not purchase any goods from door-to-door sellers.
- 14. The premises licence holder shall ensure all receipts for goods brought include the following details:
  - i. Seller's name and address
  - ii. Seller's company details, if applicable
  - iii. Seller's VAT details, if applicable.
- 15. There shall be a premises licence holder present at the premises at all times.
- 16. Only a personal licence holder shall purchase alcohol for the premises
- 17. The premises licence shall be suspended until the 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2010 (alcohol may not be sold until the 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2010).

#### **Annex 4 - Plans**

The plans are those submitted to the licensing authority on the following date:

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Part B - Premises licence summary				
Premises licence r	number	14370		
Premises details				
Postal address of premises, or if none, ordnance survey map reference or description (Old Ford Mini Market) 389 Old Ford Road London				
Post town London		Post code E3 2LU		
Telephone number 0208 980 1921				
Where the licence is time limited the dates	N/A			
Licensable activities authorised by the licence	Retail sale o	of alcohol		

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The opening hours of the premises

These are not restricted

Name, (registered) address of holder of premises licence

Ibrahim Ozan 29C Clissold Road London N16 9EX

Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol whether these are on and / or off supplies

Off sales supplies

Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

N/A

Name of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol

Ibrahim Ozan

State whether access to the premises by children is restricted or prohibited

No

#### Application to vary a premises licence 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

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

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(Insert name(s) of applicant)

being the premises licence holder, apply to vary a premises licence under section 34 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below

Premises licence number 14370

#### Part 1 - Premises Details

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description **OLD FORD SUPERMARKET** 389 OLD FORD ROAD

Post town	LONDON	Post code	E3 2LU

Telephone number at premises (if any)	0208 980 1921
Non-domestic rateable value of premises	£5900

#### Part 2 - Applicant details

Daytime contact telephone number	0208 980 1921
E-mail address (optional)	
Current postal address if different from premises address	29C CLISSOLD ROAD  Postcode N16 9EX 10
Post Town LONDON	Postcode N16 9EX

## Part 4 Operating Schedule

Please complete those parts of the Operating Schedule below which would be subject to change if this application to vary is successful.

<u>Pro</u>	vision of regulated entertainment	Please tick yes
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)	
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)	
Prov	vision of entertainment facilities:	
i)	making music (if ticking yes, fill in box I)	
j)	dancing (if ticking yes, fill in box J)	
k)	entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (i) or (j) (if ticking yes, fill in box K)	
Pro	vision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box L)	
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Tue	07.00	24.00	
Wed	07.00	24.00	
Thur	07.00	24.00	Non standard timings. Where you intend the premises to be open to the public at different times from those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)
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Sat	07.00	02.00	
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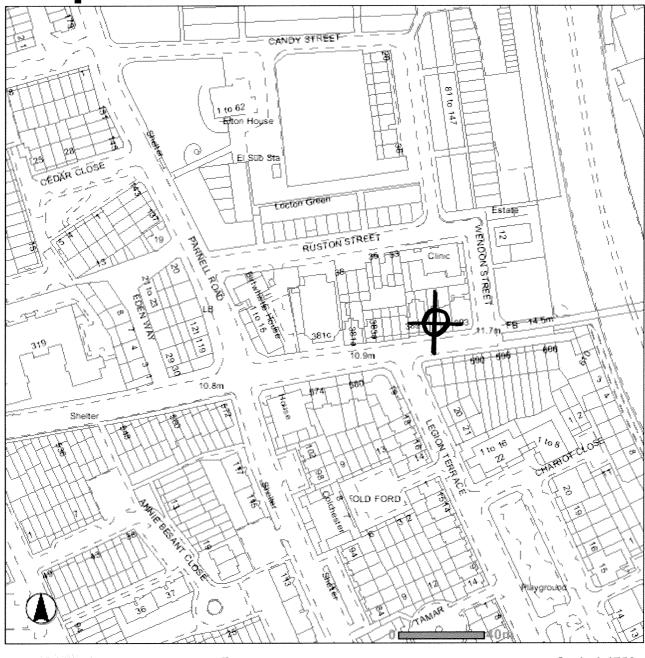
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# **Old Ford Supermarket**

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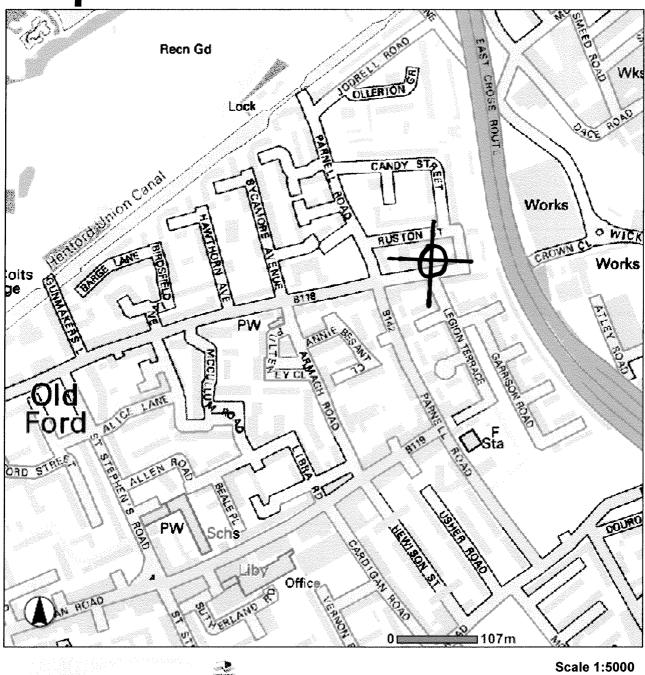
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389 Old Ford Road - large scale

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Ibrahim Ozan Old Ford Supermarket 389 Old Ford Road E3 2LU

TERRITORIAL POLICING

HT - Tower Hamlets Borough HT - Whitechapel Police Station

Licensing Office
Bethnal Green Police Station
12 Victoria Park Square
Bethnal Green
E2 9NZ

Telephone: 02082174118 Facsimile: 0208217 6688

Email: Andy.Jackson@met.police.uk

www.met.police.uk

Your ref:

Our ref: LIC/389/10 7 October 2010

Dear Mr Ozan,

Firstly I would like to acknowledge receipt of the application.

Police will however be objecting to this application for the following reasons.

0700hrs as a starting time for alcohol is too early in this area. I have checked the licences of nearby premises and the earliest they start is 0800 weekdays and 0900hrs Sundays. This is due to the work both the police and the council have been doing to combat street drinkers in this area. The Licensing Committee has recognized this in the past and has agreed that any earlier times are not welcomed.

0200hrs as a finishing time for selling alcohol is too late even at weekends. The area suffers from high levels of ASB and to combat this we have been able to restrict similar premises to only selling alcohol until 2300hrs during the week including Sundays and midnight at weekends.

It should also be noted that the area is largely residential and a quiet one way street. If this premise was allowed to open until 0200hrs, this would change as it would soon become known that this is the only off licence in the area selling alcohol until this time. As in other similar areas both police and environmental health officers would certainly get complaints from local residents due to people arriving in cars, slamming car doors and other associated behavior.

You already have licensing hours closely in line with these times and the police would not welcome any extension to those hours particularly with regard to the recent licence review and appeal.

Yours sincerely,

Andy Jackson Police Licensing Officer

Cc. Copy to LBTH Licensing





To

Communities, Localities & Culture

Licensing Environmental Health, Environmental

Protection

From Razaul Haque Mulberry Place (AH) 5 Clove Crescent

Reference MA/043869 London E14 1BY Extension 6702

Date 8<sup>th</sup> October 2010

Tel: 020 7364 5008

Regarding Old Ford Supermarket Fax: 020 7364 6831 389 Old Ford Rd E-mail:

London E3 2LU environmentalhealth@towerhamlets.gov.uk

Environmental Protection objects to the application to vary the licence for Old Ford Supermarket, 389 Old ford Road, London E3 2LW (licence number 14370) on the grounds of public nuisance. It is my opinion that a grant of a variation to the licence to operate beyond the existing licence hours to supply alcohol will on a balance of probability undermine the licence objective to prevent a public nuisance and in all likelihood cause a noise nuisance to residents nearby and give rise to anti-social behaviour being caused by customers, which may generate a level of noise which will adversely affect residents in their homes while relaxing and or sleeping.

#### Razaul Haque

Environmental Health Technical Officer Environmental Protection







To

**Licensing Department** 

From

Planning Enforcement

Contact

Andrew Dickson

Extension

5376

Date

25/10/2010

Our Ref.

N/A

Your Ref.

Subject

**Licensing Objection** 

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### Objection to a variation of a Premises License – 389 Old Ford Road, London, E3 2LU

The Planning Department wishes to object to the granting of a variation to the existing premises license at 389 Old Ford Road, London, E3 2LU on the basis that the sale of alcohol for consumption off the premises till 0200 hours, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, is excessive within an area that is predominantly residential and would create a greater degree of public nuisance to neighbouring and adjacent residents into the early hours of the morning.

Approving the variation would impact on people living, working or sleeping in the vicinity of the premises, with the impacts relating to noise nuisance from the premise itself and customer egress into the surrounding area, light pollution, and disruption from parked vehicles at a time in the day which is considered relatively quiet and free of nuisance, particularly within this residential area.

Whilst the Planning Department accepts that business performs an important function in supporting a night time economy, there has to be a balance against the needs of residents who reasonably expect a level of "quiet" late into the evening and into the early hours of the day. Due to the close proximity of the premise to residential dwellings in the surrounding area (neighbouring and adjacent), it is considered that the granting of the variation sought till 0200 hours Friday, Saturday and Sunday would be detrimental to the amenity of the neighbouring properties, especially on Sundays.

As an aside from this, the premise appears to have an established use as a shop and from a planning perspective; there are no controls over its hours of operation. As such, it is important a license is in place that restricts the hours in which the premises can sell alcohol in order to control and prevent the impact of public disturbance on neighbouring and adjacent residents.

#### **Public Nuisance**

Reference should be made to the Council's Licensing Policy and the framework hours for the operation of Licensed Premises. In particular, paragraph 12.7 states that more scrutiny should be given to premises operating past midnight on Friday and Saturdays,

past 11.30pm on Mondays to Thursdays and past 10.30pm on Sundays. In particular the following points should be taken into consideration:

- The location of the premises and the general character of the area in which the premises are situated. (i.e. does the area include residential or business premises likely to be adversely affected).
- The proposed hours during which licensable activities will be take place and the proposed hours during which customers will be permitted to remain on the premises.
- The adequacy of the applicant's proposals to address the issues of (a) the prevention of crime and disorder and (b) the prevention of public nuisance.
- Where the premises have been previously licensed, the past operation of the premises.
- Whether customers have access to public transport when arriving at or leaving the premises at night time and in the early hours of the morning.
- The proximity of the premises to other licensed premises in the vicinity and the hours of those other premises.

The location of 389 Old Ford Road is in a predominantly residential area and is relatively free from other commercial activities in the surrounding area. The residential properties are within close proximity (neighbouring and adjacent) and are therefore considered likely to be adversely affected by noise from people entering, leaving and loitering around the premises.

Therefore, approving the variation to the license for lengthening the time alcohol is able to be sold till 0200 hours, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, will cause a public nuisance for people living area into the early hours of the morning (particularly on a Sunday).

#### Conclusion

Planning Enforcement **do not** support the application at 389 Old Ford Road for a variation to the premises licence to enable the supply of alcohol to 0200 hours on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, as this will cause public nuisance to neighbouring and adjacent residential occupiers for a longer period of time in the early morning hours than what currently occurs from the premises (weekdays - 2300 hours).

The variation sought to 0200 hours is considered unreasonable within this area that is predominantly residential, and will not maintain a fragile balance between commercial activities and residential amenity, where this balance is clearly required.

Andrew Dickson

Planning Enforcement Officer

#### Crime and Disorder on the Premises

#### Licensing Policy

The Licensing Authority expects the applicant to have addressed all crime and disorder issues relating to the premises in their operating schedule and to have sought appropriate advice. (See Sections 5.2. of the Licensing Policy)

The Licensing Authority will consider attaching conditions to deter crime and disorder and these may include conditions drawn from the Model Pool of Conditions relating to Crime and Disorder. (See Appendix 2 Annex D of the Licensing Policy). In particular Members may wish to consider (this list is not exhaustive):

- Methods of management communication
- Use of registered Door Supervisors
- Bottle Bans
- Plastic containers
- CCTV
- Restrictions on open containers for "off sales"
- Restrictions on drinking areas
- Capacity
- · Proof of Age scheme
- Crime prevention notices
- Drinks promotions-aimed at stopping irresponsible promotions
- Signage
- · Seating plans
- Capacity

If Members believe that there is a substantial problem of anti-social behaviour and it cannot be proportionately addressed by licensing conditions they should refuse the application.

#### Police Powers

The Licensing Act 2003, Part 8 gives a senior police officer the power to close a premises for up to 24 hours where the officer believes there is, or is likely to be disorder on or in the vicinity and closure is necessary in the interests of public safety.

Guidance Issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003. The pool of conditions, adopted by the council is recommended (Annexe D).

The key role of the police is acknowledged (2.2).

Conditions attached to licences cannot seek to manage the behaviour of customers once they are beyond the direct management of the licence holder and their staff or agents, but can directly impact on the behaviour of customers on, or in the immediate vicinity of the premises as they seek entry or leave (2.4).

Conditions are best targeted on deterrence and preventing crime and disorder (S.2.6) communication, CCTV, police liaison, no glasses, capacity limits are all relevant (S.2.7-2.11).

Guidance Issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003

Conditions can be imposed for large capacity "vertical consumption" premises (10.43).

Guidance Issued by the Office of Fair Trading
This relates to attempts to control minimum prices

### Other Legislation

The Council has a duty under Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 to do all it reasonably can to prevent crime and disorder.

#### **Crime and Disorder From Patrons Leaving The Premises**

#### General Advice

Members need to bear in mind that once patrons have left a premises they are no longer under direct control. Members will need to be satisfied that there is a link between the way the premises is operating and the behaviour that is complained of. An example of this would be that irresponsible drinking is being encouraged. Before deciding that any particular licensing conditions are proportionate, Members will also need to be satisfied that other legislation is not a more effective route. For example, if the problem is drinking in the street it may be that the Council should designate the area as a place where alcohol cannot be consumed in public.

Members may also wish to consider whether the hours of opening relate to any problems of anti-social behaviour.

If Members believe that there is a substantial problem of anti-social behaviour and it cannot be proportionately addressed by licensing conditions they should refuse the application.

#### Licensing Policy

The policy recognises that other legislation or measures may be more appropriate but also states that licensing laws are "a key aspect of such control and will always be part of an overall approach to the management of the evening and night time economy." Other controls need to be bourne in mind. (See Section 4.10 and 4.11 of the Licensing Policy).

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Conditions can be imposed for large capacity "vertical consumption" premises (10.43).

There is also guidance issued around the heading of "public nuisance as follows

The pool of conditions, adopted by the council is recommended (Annexe G). Licence conditions should not duplicate other legislation (1.16).

Necessary and appropriate conditions should normally focus on the most sensitive periods and may address disturbance as customers enter or leave the premises (2.36) but it is essential that conditions are focused on measures within the direct control of the licence holder" (2.38). Conditions relating to behaviour once they are beyond the control of the licence holder cannot be justified. (2.38)

#### Other Legislation

#### Crime and Disorder Act 1998

The Council has a duty under Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 to do all it reasonably can to prevent crime and disorder.

The Act also introduced a wide range of measures designed to address antisocial behaviour committed by adults and young people. These include:

- Anti-Social Behaviour Orders
- Child Curfew Schemes
- Truancy
- · Parenting Orders
- Reparation Orders
- Tackling Racism

#### Noise while the premise is in use

#### General Advice

If they conclude this is a problem Members should consider whether it is possible to carry out suitable and proportionate noise control measures so that noise leakage is prevented. In addition Members may consider that only certain activities are suitable.

The hours of operation also need to be considered (see below).

If Members believe that there is a substantial problem of noise while the premises are in use and it cannot be proportionately address by licensing conditions they should refuse the application.

#### Licensing Policy

The policy recognises that noise nuisance can be an issue, especially if a premises is open late at night. (See Sections 8.1 of the Licensing Policy).

While all applications will be considered on their merits, consideration will be given to imposing stricter conditions in respect of noise control where premises are situated close to local residents. (See Section 12.11).

The Licensing Authority expects the applicant to have addressed all nuisance issues relating to the premises in their operating schedule and to have sought appropriate advice from the Council's Environmental Health Officers. (See Section 8.2 of the Licensing Policy).

The Licensing Authority will consider attaching conditions to prevent nuisance and these may include Conditions drawn from the Model Poll of Conditions relating to Crime and Disorder. (See Appendix 2 Annex D of the Licensing Policy). In particular Members may wish to consider (this list is not exhaustive):

- hours of opening (this needs to be balanced against potential disorder caused by artificially early closing times
- Whether certain parts should close earlier than the rest (for example a "beer garden", or restricted in their use
- Whether or not certain activities should have to close at an early hour, for example live music
- Conditions controlling noise or vibration (for example, noise limiters, keeping doors and windows closed).
- Prominent clear and legible notices at all exits requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and leave the premises and area quietly
- Conditions controlling the use of explosives, pyrotechnics and fireworks
- Conditions controlling the placing of refuse
- · Conditions controlling noxious smells

• Conditions controlling lighting (this needs to be balanced against potential crime prevention benefits)

#### Police Powers

Part 8 of the Licensing Act 2003 enables a senior police officer to close down a premises for up to 24 hrs. a premises causing a nuisance resulting from noise emanating from the premises.

### Guidance Issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003

The Licensing Policy has adopted the recommended Pool of Conditions as permitted (13.20 and Annex D).

The prevention of public nuisance could include low-level nuisance, perhaps affecting a few people living locally as well as major disturbance affecting the whole community (2.33).

Licence conditions should not duplicate other legislation (1.16).

Necessary and appropriate conditions should normally focus on the most sensitive periods (2.36) and may address disturbance as customers enter or leave the premises but it is essential that conditions are focused on measures within the direct control of the licence holder (2.38).

#### Other Legislation

The Environmental Protection Act 1990, Part 111 gives Environmental Health Officers the power to deal with statutory nuisances.

The Anti-social Behaviour Act 2003, Sections 40 and 41 give Environmental Health Officers the power of closure up to 24 hours in certain circumstances.

#### Access and Egress problems

#### Such as:

Disturbance from patrons arriving/leaving the premises on foot Disturbance from patrons arriving/leaving the premises by car Lack of adequate car parking facilities Close proximity to residential properties

#### Comment

The above have been grouped together as egress problems. Of course the particular facts will be different for each alleged problem.

#### **General Advice**

In considering concerns relating to disturbance from egress, Members need to be satisfied that the premises under consideration has been identified as the source of the actual or potential disturbance. If they are satisfied that this is a problem, then proportionate conditions should be considered.

The hours of operation also need to be considered.

If Members believe that there is a substantial problem concerning egress and it cannot be proportionately addressed by licensing conditions, they should refuse the application.

#### **Licensing Policy**

The policy recognises that noise nuisance can be an issue, especially if a premises is open late at night. (See Sections 8.1 of the Licensing Policy).

The Licensing Authority expects the applicant to have addressed all nuisance issues relating to the premises in their operating schedule and to have sought appropriate advice from the Council's Environmental Health Officers. (See Section 8.2 of the Licensing Policy).

However, while all applications will be considered on their merits, consideration will be given to imposing stricter conditions in respect of noise control where premises are situated close to local residents. (**See Section 12.10**)

The Licensing Authority will consider attaching conditions to prevent nuisance and these may include Conditions drawn from the Model Poll of Conditions relating to the prevention of Public Nuisance. (See Appendix 2 Annex G of the Licensing Policy). In particular Members may wish to consider (this list is not exhaustive):

- hours of opening (this needs to be balanced against potential disorder caused by artificially early closing times
- Whether certain parts should close earlier than the rest (for example a "beer garden", or restricted in their use

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Licence conditions should not duplicate other legislation (1.16).

Necessary and appropriate conditions should normally focus on the most sensitive periods and may address disturbance as customers enter or leave the premises (2.36) but it is essential that conditions are focused on measures within the direct control of the licence holder" (2.38).

In certain circumstances conditions relating to noise in the immediate vicinity of the premises may also prove necessary to address any disturbance anticipated as customers enter and leave (2.36).

However, it is essential that conditions are focused on measures within the direct control of the licence holder. Conditions relating to behaviour once they are beyond the control of the licence holder cannot be justified. (2.38)

### **Planning**

An application for a Premises Licence can be made in respect of a premises even where the premises does not have relevant Planning Permission. That application has to be considered and Members can only refuse the application where the application itself does not promote one of more of the Licensing Objectives. Members cannot refuse just because there is no planning permission. Where a Premises Licence is granted and which exceeds what is allowed by the Planning Permission and that Premises then operates in breach of planning then the operator would be liable to enforcement by Planning.

#### Licensing Policy relating to hours of trading

All applications have to be considered on their own merits.

The Council has however adopted a set of framework hours as follows

Sunday to Thursday 06 00 hrs to 23 30 hrs Friday and Saturday 06 00 hrs to midnight

(see 12.8 Of the licensing policy)

In considering the applicability of frame work hours to any particular application regard should be had to the following

- Location
- Proposed hours of regulated activities, and the proposed hours the premises are open to the public
- The adequacy of the applicants proposals to deal with issues of crime and disorder and public nuisance
- Previous history
- Access to public transport
- Proximity to other licensed premises, and their hours

(see 12.8 of the licensing policy)

Subject to any representations to the contrary in individual cases the following premises are not generally considered to contribute to late night anti-social behaviour and will therefore generally have greater freedom

- Theatres
- Cinemas
- · Premises with club premises certificates
- Premises licensed for off sales only