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You can save the form at any time and resume it later. You do not need to be logged in when you resume.

System reference This is the unique reference for this application generated by the system.

Your reference You can put what you want here to help you track applications if you make lots of them. It is passed to the authority.

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

- Yes No

Put "no" if you are applying on your own behalf or on behalf of a business you own or work for.

Applicant Details

* First name

* Family name

* E-mail

Main telephone number

Other telephone number

Include country code.

Indicate here if you would prefer not to be contacted by telephone

Are you:

- Applying as a business or organisation, including as a sole trader
- Applying as an individual

A sole trader is a business owned by one person without any special legal structure. Applying as an individual means you are applying so you can be employed, or for some other personal reason, such as following a hobby.

Applicant Business

Is your business registered in the UK with Companies House? Yes No

Note: completing the Applicant Business section is optional in this form.

Registration number

Business name

VAT number

Legal status

If your business is registered, use its registered name.

Put "none" if you are not registered for VAT.

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Your position in the business

Home country

The country where the headquarters of your business is located.

Registered Address

Address registered with Companies House.

Building number or name

Street

District

City or town

County or administrative area

Postcode

Country

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PREMISES DETAILS

I/we, as named in section 1, apply for a premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in section 2 below (the premises) and I/we are making this application to you as the relevant licensing authority in accordance with section 12 of the Licensing Act 2003.

Premises Address

Are you able to provide a postal address, OS map reference or description of the premises?

- Address OS map reference Description

Postal Address Of Premises

Building number or name

Street

District

City or town

County or administrative area

Postcode

Country

Further Details

Telephone number

Non-domestic rateable value of premises (£)

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APPLICATION DETAILS

In what capacity are you applying for the premises licence?

- An individual or individuals
- A limited company / limited liability partnership
- A partnership (other than limited liability)
- An unincorporated association
- Other (for example a statutory corporation)
- A recognised club
- A charity
- The proprietor of an educational establishment
- A health service body
- A person who is registered under part 2 of the Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respect of an independent hospital in Wales
- A person who is registered under Chapter 2 of Part 1 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 in respect of the carrying on of a regulated activity (within the meaning of that Part) in an independent hospital in England
- The chief officer of police of a police force in England and Wales

Confirm The Following

- I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves the use of the premises for licensable activities
- I am making the application pursuant to a statutory function
- I am making the application pursuant to a function discharged by virtue of His Majesty's prerogative

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NON INDIVIDUAL APPLICANTS

Provide name and registered address of applicant in full. Where appropriate give any registered number. In the case of a partnership or other joint venture (other than a body corporate), give the name and address of each party concerned.

Non Individual Applicant's Name

Name

Details

Registered number (where applicable)

Description of applicant (for example partnership, company, unincorporated association etc)

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Private Limited Company Director

Address

Building number or name

Street

District

City or town

County or administrative area

Country

Contact Details

Telephone number

Other telephone number

* Date of birth

* Nationality

[Documents that demonstrate entitlement to work in the UK](#)

Add another applicant

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OPERATING SCHEDULE

When do you want the premises licence to start? / /
dd mm yyyy

If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, when do you want it to end / /
dd mm yyyy

Provide a general description of the premises

For example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off- supplies you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.

The premises is a retail premises. It has a ground floor approximately 300sqf, a basement area of approximately 240sqf. There is a 3.5 meter floor to ceiling hight. The premises has one point of entry which the main door. There is a door which leads to the staircase down to the basement. The premises has a rolling shutter. The counter is on the left of the main door directly as you enter. There are shelves behind the counter and on the right side of the door

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If 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, state the number expected to attend

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PROVISION OF PLAYS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing plays?

- Yes No

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PROVISION OF FILMS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing films?

- Yes No

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PROVISION OF INDOOR SPORTING EVENTS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing indoor sporting events?

- Yes No

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PROVISION OF BOXING OR WRESTLING ENTERTAINMENTS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing boxing or wrestling entertainments?

- Yes No

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PROVISION OF LIVE MUSIC

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing live music?

- Yes No

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PROVISION OF RECORDED MUSIC

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing recorded music?

- Yes No

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PROVISION OF PERFORMANCES OF DANCE

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing performances of dance?

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PROVISION OF ANYTHING OF A SIMILAR DESCRIPTION TO LIVE MUSIC, RECORDED MUSIC OR PERFORMANCES OF DANCE

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing anything similar to live music, recorded music or performances of dance?

- Yes No

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LATE NIGHT REFRESHMENT

Will you be providing late night refreshment?

- Yes No

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SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL

Will you be selling or supplying alcohol?

- Yes No

Standard Days And Timings

MONDAY

Start

End

Start

End

Give timings in 24 hour clock.
(e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days
of the week when you intend the premises
to be used for the activity.

TUESDAY

Start

End

Start

End

WEDNESDAY

Start

End

Start

End

THURSDAY

Start

End

Start

End

FRIDAY

Start

End

Start

End

SATURDAY

Start

End

Start

End

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SUNDAY

Start

End

Start

End

Will the sale of alcohol be for consumption:

- On the premises Off the premises Both

If the sale of alcohol is for consumption on the premises select on, if the sale of alcohol is for consumption away from the premises select off. If the sale of alcohol is for consumption on the premises and away from the premises select both.

State any seasonal variations

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the supply of alcohol at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as premises supervisor

Name

First name

Family name

Date of birth 4

dd mm yyyy

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Enter the contact's address

Building number or name	<input type="text"/>
	<input type="text"/>
District	<input type="text"/>
City or town	<input type="text"/>
County or administrative area	<input type="text"/>
	<input type="text"/>
Country	<input type="text"/>
Personal Licence number (if known)	<input type="text"/>
Issuing licensing authority (if known)	<input type="text"/>

PROPOSED DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR CONSENT

How will the consent form of the proposed designated premises supervisor be supplied to the authority?

- Electronically, by the proposed designated premises supervisor
- As an attachment to this application

Reference number for consent form (if known)

If the consent form is already submitted, ask the proposed designated premises supervisor for its 'system reference' or 'your reference'.

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ADULT ENTERTAINMENT

Highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, or other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children

Give information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises which may give rise to concern in respect of children, regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises, for example (but not exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups etc gambling machines etc.

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HOURS PREMISES ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Standard Days And Timings

MONDAY

Start

End

Start

End

Give timings in 24 hour clock. (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.

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FRIDAY

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SATURDAY

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SUNDAY

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State any seasonal variations

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises to be open to the members and guests at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

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LICENSING OBJECTIVES

Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e)

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List here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.

Operate to all set health and safety standards
Ensure no unsupervised children enter the premises
Place all Hazards such as tripping Hazards away from public reach
Stop any supply of alcohol to anyone already drunk or causing public disturbance

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

We have fitted a panic button linked to our alarm system provider which when activated can have guards and police on the premises within 5 minutes. We Have indoor camera fitted one of which is always pointing towards the street outside the premises

c) Public safety

All stock and Objects that could potentially cause harm are placed in safe places away from public. On days where rain occurs all doors remain closed unless opened to prevent water on the floor and causing a slipping hazard. The stair case and any area that a member of staff can not see such as the basement is strictly off limits to members of the public. All fixtures and Fittings have been put securely in place

d) The prevention of public nuisance

Cameras are placed so anyone looking to cause public nuisance is aware they are being recored. Sale of regulated stock such as alcohol is denied to anyone who is assumed to be drunk and or causing public disarray. The sale of alcohol and tobacco is stopped at 8:30 to prevent people on the streets drinking and causing nuisance till late in the night

e) The protection of children from harm

No unsupervised children are allowed on the premises and any child accompanied by a guardian is strictly kept away from anything that may cause potential harm. All regulated stock is kept out of site so no child can see them

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NOTES ON DEMONSTRATING ENTITLEMENT TO WORK IN THE UK

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Entitlement to work/immigration status for individual applicants and applications from partnerships which are not limited liability partnerships:

A licence may not be held by an individual or an individual in a partnership who is resident in the UK who:

- does not have the right to live and work in the UK; or
- is subject to a condition preventing him or her from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.

Any premises licence issued in respect of an application made on or after 6 April 2017 will become invalid if the holder ceases to be entitled to work in the UK.

Applicants must demonstrate that they have an entitlement to work in the UK and are not subject to a condition preventing them from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity. They do this in one of two ways: 1) by providing with this application copies or scanned copies of the documents listed below (which do not need to be certified), or 2) by providing their 'share code' to enable the licensing authority to carry out a check using the Home Office online right to work checking service (see below).

Documents which demonstrate entitlement to work in the UK

- An expired or current passport showing the holder, or a person named in the passport as the child of the holder, is a British citizen or a citizen of the UK and Colonies having the right of abode in the UK [please see note below about which sections of the passport to copy].
- An expired or current passport or national identity card showing the holder, or a person named in the passport as the child of the holder, is a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A Registration Certificate or document certifying permanent residence issued by the Home Office to a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A Permanent Residence Card issued by the Home Office to the family member of a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A **current** Biometric Immigration Document (Biometric Residence Permit) issued by the Home Office to the holder indicating that the person named is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK, or has no time limit on their stay in the UK.
- A **current** passport endorsed to show that the holder is exempt from immigration control, is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK, has the right of abode in the UK, or has no time limit on their stay in the UK.
- A **current** Immigration Status Document issued by the Home Office to the holder with an endorsement indicating that the named person is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK or has no time limit on their stay in the UK, **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A birth or adoption certificate issued in the UK, **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A birth or adoption certificate issued in the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man or Ireland **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A certificate of registration or naturalisation as a British citizen, **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.

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- A **current** passport endorsed to show that the holder is allowed to stay in the UK and is currently allowed to work and is not subject to a condition preventing the holder from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.
- A **current** Biometric Immigration Document (Biometric Residence Permit) issued by the Home Office to the holder which indicates that the named person can currently stay in the UK and is allowed to work relation to the carrying on of a licensable activity.
- A **current** Residence Card issued by the Home Office to a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights or residence.
- A **current** Immigration Status Document containing a photograph issued by the Home Office to the holder with an endorsement indicating that the named person may stay in the UK, and is allowed to work and is not subject to a condition preventing the holder from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A Certificate of Application, **less than 6 months old**, issued by the Home Office under regulation 18(3) or 20(2) of the Immigration (European Economic Area) Regulations 2016, to a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights of residence.
- Reasonable evidence that the person has an outstanding application to vary their permission to be in the UK with the Home Office such as the Home Office acknowledgement letter or proof of postage evidence, or reasonable evidence that the person has an appeal or administrative review pending on an immigration decision, such as an appeal or administrative review reference number.
- Reasonable evidence that a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights of residence in exercising treaty rights in the UK including:-
 - evidence of the applicant's own identity – such as a passport,
 - evidence of their relationship with the European Economic Area family member – e.g. a marriage certificate, civil partnership certificate or birth certificate, and
 - evidence that the European Economic Area national has a right of permanent residence in the UK or is one of the following if they have been in the UK for more than 3 months:
 - (i) working e.g. employment contract, wage slips, letter from the employer,
 - (ii) self-employed e.g. contracts, invoices, or audited accounts with a bank,
 - (iii) studying e.g. letter from the school, college or university and evidence of sufficient funds; or
 - (iv) self-sufficient e.g. bank statements.

Family members of European Economic Area nationals who are studying or financially independent must also provide evidence that the European Economic Area national and any family members hold comprehensive sickness insurance in the UK. This can include a private medical insurance policy, an EHIC card or an S1, S2 or S3 form.

Original documents must not be sent to licensing authorities. If the document copied is a passport, a copy of the following pages should be provided:-

- (i) any page containing the holder's personal details including nationality;
- (ii) any page containing the holder's photograph;
- (iii) any page containing the holder's signature;
- (iv) any page containing the date of expiry; and
- (v) any page containing information indicating the holder has permission to enter or remain in the UK and is permitted to work.

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If the document is not a passport, a copy of the whole document should be provided.

Your right to work will be checked as part of your licensing application and this could involve us checking your immigration status with the Home Office. We may otherwise share information with the Home Office. Your licence application will not be determined until you have complied with this guidance.

Home Office online right to work checking service

As an alternative to providing a copy of the documents listed above, applicants may demonstrate their right to work by allowing the licensing authority to carry out a check with the Home Office online right to work checking service.

To demonstrate their right to work via the Home Office online right to work checking service, applicants should include in this application their 9-digit share code (provided to them upon accessing the service at <https://www.gov.uk/prove-right-to-work>) which, along with the applicant's date of birth (provided within this application), will allow the licensing authority to carry out the check.

In order to establish the applicant's right to work, the check will need to indicate that the applicant is allowed to work in the United Kingdom and is not subject to a condition preventing them from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.

An online check will not be possible in all circumstances because not all applicants will have an immigration status that can be checked online. The Home Office online right to work checking service sets out what information and/or documentation applicants will need in order to access the service. Applicants who are unable to obtain a share code from the service should submit copy documents as set out above.

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NOTES ON REGULATED ENTERTAINMENT

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In terms of specific **regulated entertainments** please note that:

- Plays: no licence is required for performances between 08:00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
- Films: no licence is required for 'not-for-profit' film exhibition held in community premises between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day provided that the audience does not exceed 500 and the organiser (a) gets consent to the screening from a person who is responsible for the premises; and (b) ensures that each such screening abides by age classification ratings.
- Indoor sporting events: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000.
- Boxing or Wrestling Entertainment: no licence is required for a contest, exhibition or display of Greco-Roman wrestling, or freestyle wrestling between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000. Combined fighting sports – defined as a contest, exhibition or display which combines boxing or wrestling with one or more martial arts – are licensable as a boxing or wrestling entertainment rather than an indoor sporting event.
- Live music: no licence permission is required for:
 - o a performance of unamplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, on any premises.
 - o a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
 - o a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a workplace that is not licensed to sell alcohol on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
 - o a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
 - o a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.
- Recorded Music: no licence permission is required for:
 - o any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
 - o any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
 - o any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school proprietor or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.

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- Dance: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500. However, a performance which amounts to adult entertainment remains licensable.
- Cross activity exemptions: no licence is required between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, with no limit on audience size for:
 - o any entertainment taking place on the premises of the local authority where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the local authority;
 - o any entertainment taking place on the hospital premises of the health care provider where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the health care provider;
 - o any entertainment taking place on the premises of the school where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the school proprietor; and
 - o any entertainment (excluding films and a boxing or wrestling entertainment) taking place at a travelling circus, provided that (a) it takes place within a moveable structure that accommodates the audience, and (b) that the travelling circus has not been located on the same site for more than 28 consecutive days.

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PAYMENT DETAILS

This fee must be paid to the authority. If you complete the application online, you must pay it by debit or credit card.

Premises Licence Fees are determined by the non domestic rateable value of the premises.

To find out a premises non domestic rateable value go to the Valuation Office Agency site at http://www.voa.gov.uk/business_rates/index.htm

Band A - No RV to £4,300 = £100.00

Band B - £4,301 to £33,000 = £190.00

Band C - £33,001 to £8700 = 315.00

Band D - £87001 to £12500 = £450.00*

Band E - £125001 and over = 635.00*

*If the premises rateable value is in Bands D or E and the premises is primarily used for the consumption of alcohol on the premises then your are required to pay a higher fee

Band D - £7001 to £12500 = £900.00

Band E - £125001 and over £1,905.00

There is an exemption from the payment of fees in relation to the provision of regulated entertainment at church halls, chapel halls or premises of a similar nature, village halls, parish or community halls, or other premises of a similar nature. The costs associated with these licences will be met by central Government. If, however, the licence also authorises the use of the premises for the supply of alcohol or the provision of late night refreshment, a fee will be required.

Schools and sixth form colleges are exempt from the fees associated with the authorisation of regulated entertainment only where the entertainment is provided by and at the school or college and for the purposes of the school or college.

If you operate a large event you are subject to ADDITIONAL fees based upon the number in attendance at any one time

Capacity 5000-9999 = £1,000.00

Capacity 10000 -14999 = £2,000.00

Capacity 15000-19999 = £4,000.00

Capacity 20000-29999 = £8,000.00

Capacity 30000-39000 = £16,000.00

Capacity 40000-49999 = £24,000.00

Capacity 50000-59999 = £32,000.00

Capacity 60000-69999 = £40,000.00

Capacity 70000-79999 = £48,000.00

Capacity 80000-89999 = £56,000.00

Capacity 90000 and over = £64,000.00

NOTE: From 1st January 2018 Licences if you are granted a Licence to permit the sale/supply of alcohol between midnight and 6am (00:00 and 06:00 hours) on any day you will be liable to pay the Late Night Levy charge. The charge must be paid 14 days after the grant of your Licence, unless you fall within one of the exemption categories. Non-payment of the levy can result in suspension of your licence, as per sections 55A and 92A of the Licensing Act 2003, as amended and section 229(6) of the Police and Social Responsibility Act 2011. For more information below visit <https://www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/latenightlevy>

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* Fee amount (£)

190.00

DECLARATION

* I/we understand it is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to level 5 on the standard scale, under section 158 of the licensing act 2003, to make a false statement in or in connection with this application.

[APPLICABLE TO INDIVIDUAL APPLICANTS ONLY, INCLUDING THOSE IN A PARTNERSHIP WHICH IS NOT A LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP] I UNDERSTAND I AM NOT ENTITLED TO BE ISSUED WITH A LICENCE IF I DO NOT HAVE THE ENTITLEMENT TO LIVE AND WORK IN THE UK (OR IF I AM SUBJECT TO A CONDITION PREVENTING ME FROM DOING WORK RELATING TO THE CARRYING ON OF A LICENSABLE ACTIVITY) AND THAT MY LICENCE WILL BECOME INVALID IF I CEASE TO BE ENTITLED TO LIVE AND WORK IN THE UK (PLEASE READ GUIDANCE NOTE 15). THE DPS NAMED IN THIS APPLICATION FORM IS ENTITLED TO WORK IN THE UK (AND IS NOT SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS PREVENTING HIM OR HER FROM DOING WORK RELATING TO A LICENSABLE ACTIVITY) AND I HAVE SEEN A COPY OF HIS OR HER PROOF OF ENTITLEMENT TO WORK, IF APPROPRIATE (PLEASE SEE NOTE 15).

Ticking this box indicates you have read and understood the above declaration

This section should be completed by the applicant, unless you answered "Yes" to the question "Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?"

* Full name

Abbie Kumar

* Capacity

[REDACTED]

* Date

[REDACTED]
dd mm yyyy

Add another signatory

Once you're finished you need to do the following:

1. Save this form to your computer by clicking file/save as...
2. Go back to <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-a-licence/premises-licence/tower-hamlets/apply-1> to upload this file and continue with your application.

Don't forget to make sure you have all your supporting documentation to hand.

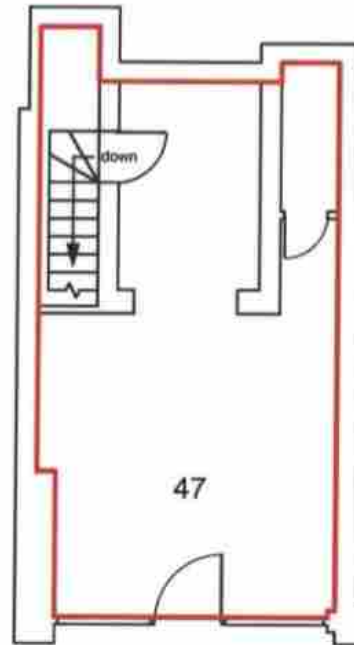
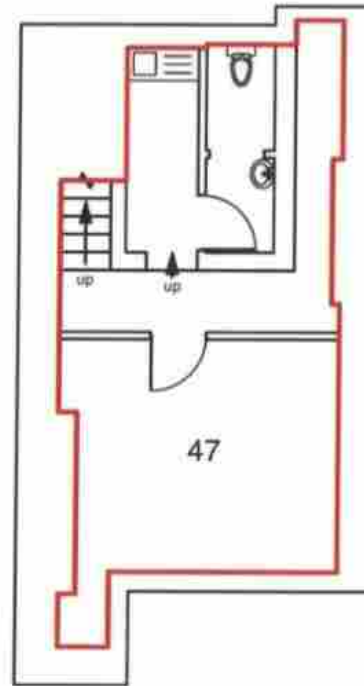
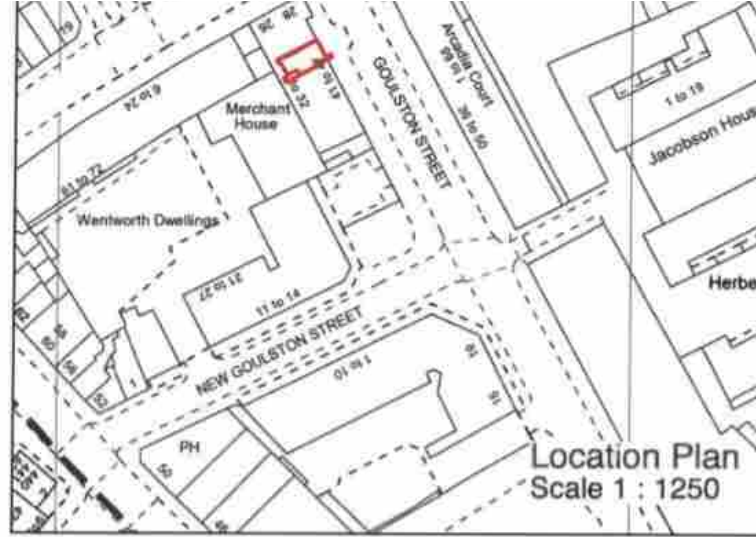
IT IS AN OFFENCE LIABLE TO SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE OF ANY AMOUNT UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION

IT IS AN OFFENCE UNDER SECTION 24B OF THE IMMIGRATION ACT 1971 FOR A PERSON TO WORK WHEN THEY KNOW, OR HAVE REASONABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE, THAT THEY ARE DISQUALIFIED FROM DOING SO BY REASON OF THEIR IMMIGRATION STATUS. THOSE WHO EMPLOY AN ADULT WITHOUT LEAVE OR WHO IS SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS AS TO EMPLOYMENT WILL BE LIABLE TO A CIVIL PENALTY UNDER SECTION 15 OF THE IMMIGRATION, ASYLUM AND NATIONALITY ACT 2006 AND PURSUANT TO SECTION 21 OF THE SAME ACT, WILL BE COMMITTING AN OFFENCE WHERE THEY DO SO IN THE KNOWLEDGE, OR WITH REASONABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE, THAT THE EMPLOYEE IS DISQUALIFIED

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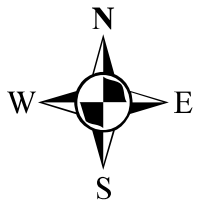


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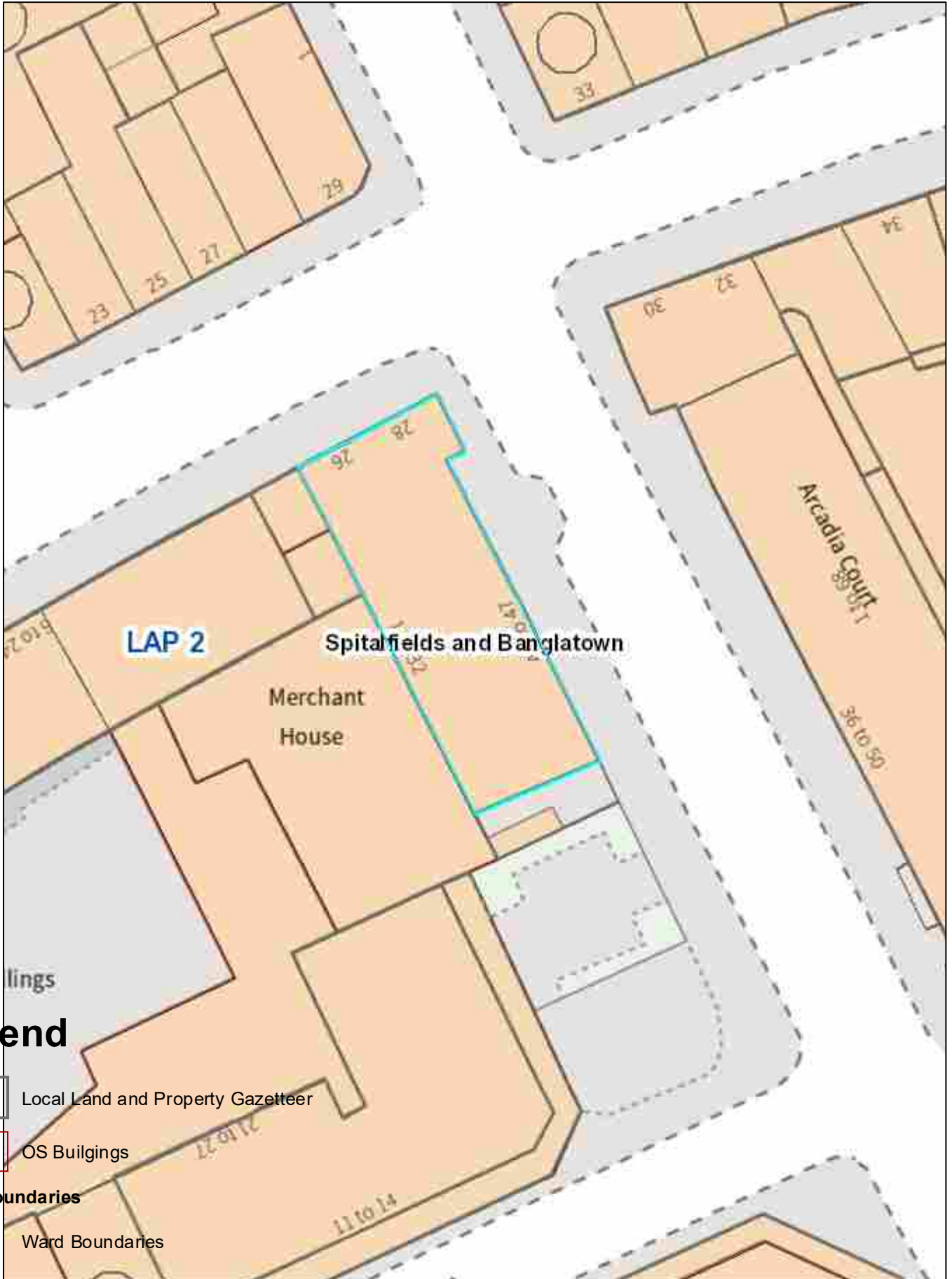
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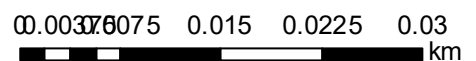


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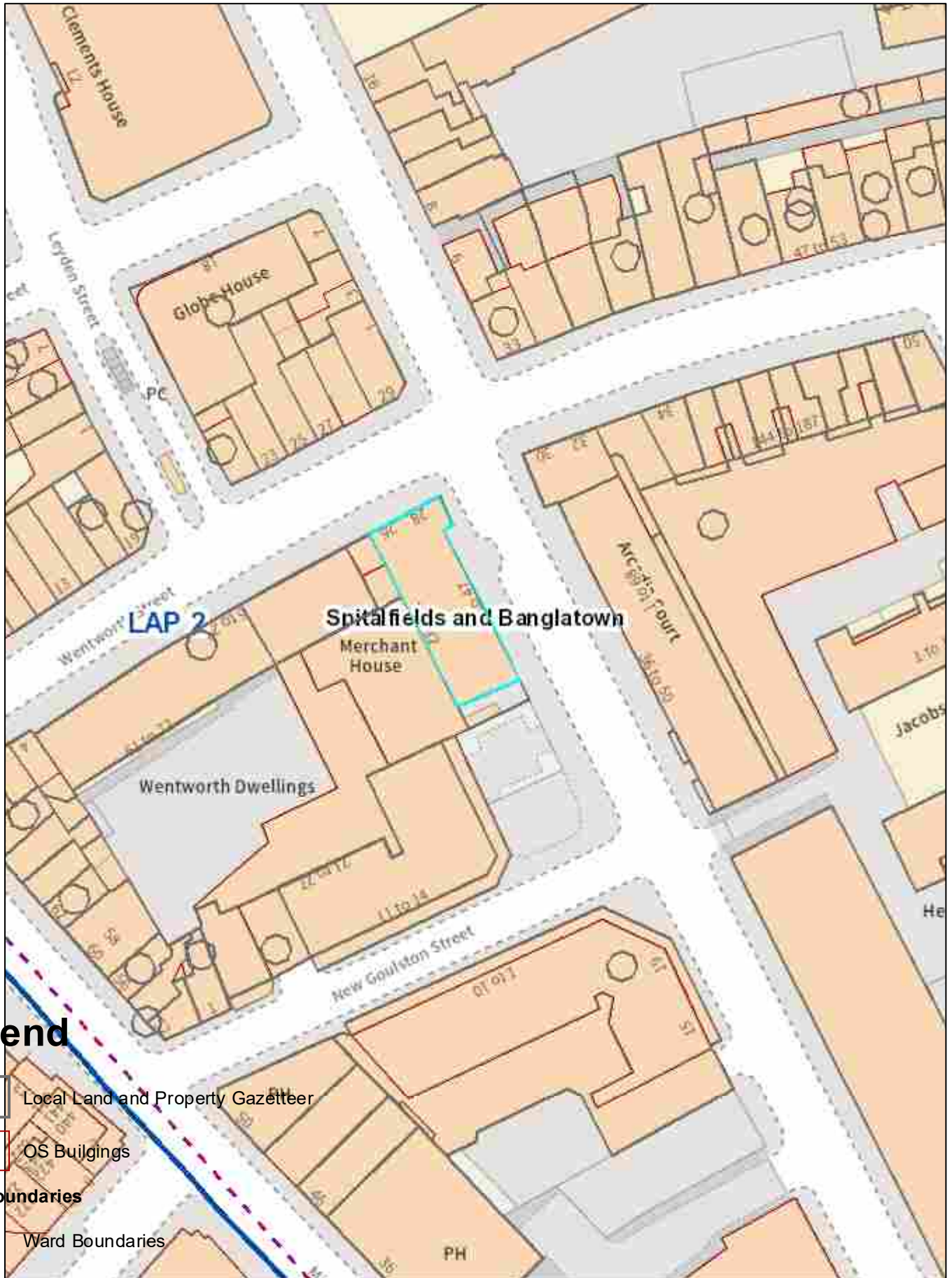
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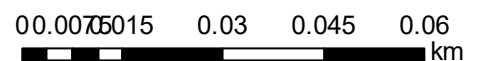


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Appendix 4

Nearest licences: (A.V Wholesale), 47 Goulston Street, London E1 7TP

Name and address	Licensable activities and hours	Opening hours
(HappyDays) 44 Goulston Street London E1	The sale by retail of alcohol and Regulated Entertainment (On sales only) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday to Sunday 11 00 hrs to 23 00 hrs 	Monday to Sunday 11 00 hrs to 23 00 hrs
Satay Street 15 Goulston Street London E1 7TP	The sale by retail of alcohol (On sales only) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday to Sunday from 11:00 hours to 22:30 hours 	Monday to Sunday from 11:00 hours to 23:00 hours
(The Hungry Tummy) 24a Wentworth Street London E1 7TF	The sale by retail of alcohol - On and off sales <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday to Thursday, from 10:00 hours to 20:00 hours Friday and Saturday from 10:00 hours to 21:00 hours 	Monday to Saturday, from 10:00 hours to 22:00 hour
(Hungry Donkey) 56 Wentworth Street London <i>E1 7AL</i>	Sale by retail of alcohol (On sale) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday to Thursday from 11:00hrs to 23:00hrs Friday and Saturday from 11:00hrs to 23:30hrs Sunday from 11.00hrs to 22:00hrs sale by retail of alcohol (Off sale) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday to Saturday from 11:00hrs to 23:00hrs Sunday from 11:00hrs to 22:00hrs The provision of regulated entertainment <u>Recorded Music</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday to Thursday from 11:00hrs to 23:00hrs Friday and Saturday from 11:00hrs to 23:30hrs Sunday from 11:00hrs to 22:00hrs Provision of late night refreshment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday to Thursday from 23:00hrs to 23:30hrs Friday and Saturday from 23:00hrs to 00:00hrs (midnight) 	Monday to Thursday from 07:30hrs to 23.30hrs Friday and Saturday from 07.30hrs to 00:00hrs (midnight) Sunday, from 07:30hrs to 22:30hrs

Nearest licences: (A.V Wholesale), 47 Goulston Street, London E1 7TP

YeYe London 58 Wentworth Street London E1 7AL	The sale by retail of alcohol (On sales only) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Monday to Sunday from 12:00 hours to 23:00 hours	Monday to Sunday from 12:00 hours to 23:00 hours
(Xian Biang Biang) 62 Wentworth Street London E1 7AL	The sale by retail of alcohol (On sales only) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Monday to Sunday from 11:00 hours to 22:30 hours	Monday to Sunday from 11:00 hours to 23:00 hours
(Unity Diner) 60 Wentworth Street London E1 7AL	The sale by retail of alcohol (On sales only) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Monday to Friday from 12:00 hours to 23:00 hoursSaturday, from 12:00 hours to 23:30 hours (midnight)Sunday, from 12:00 hours to 21:30 hours	Monday to Friday from 12:00 hours to 23:30 hours Saturday, from 12:00 hours to 00:00 hours Sunday, from 12:00 hours to 22:00 hours

Appendix 5

Section 182 Advice by the Home Office Updated on August 2023

Relevant, vexatious and frivolous representations

- 9.4 A representation is “relevant” if it relates to the likely effect of the grant of the licence on the promotion of at least one of the licensing objectives. For example, a representation from a local businessperson about the commercial damage caused by competition from new licensed premises would not be relevant. On the other hand, a representation by a businessperson that nuisance caused by new premises would deter customers from entering the local area, and the steps proposed by the applicant to prevent that nuisance were inadequate, would be relevant. In other words, representations should relate to the impact of licensable activities carried on from premises on the objectives. For representations in relation to variations to be relevant, they should be confined to the subject matter of the variation. There is no requirement for a responsible authority or other person to produce a recorded history of problems at premises to support their representations, and in fact this would not be possible for new premises.
- 9.5 It is for the licensing authority to determine whether a representation (other than a representation from responsible authority) is frivolous or vexatious on the basis of what might ordinarily be considered to be vexatious or frivolous. A representation may be considered to be vexatious if it appears to be intended to cause aggravation or annoyance, whether to a competitor or other person, without reasonable cause or justification. Vexatious circumstances may arise because of disputes between rival businesses and local knowledge will therefore be invaluable in considering such matters. Licensing authorities can consider the main effect of the representation, and whether any inconvenience or expense caused by it could reasonably be considered to be proportionate.
- 9.6 Frivolous representations would be essentially categorised by a lack of seriousness. Frivolous representations would concern issues which, at most, are minor and in relation to which no remedial steps would be warranted or proportionate.
- 9.7 Any person who is aggrieved by a rejection of their representations on either of these grounds may lodge a complaint through the local authority’s corporate complaints procedure. A person may also challenge the authority’s decision by way of judicial review.
- 9.8 Licensing authorities should not take decisions about whether representations are frivolous, vexatious or relevant to the licensing objectives on the basis of any political judgement. This may be difficult for councillors who receive complaints from residents within their own wards.

If consideration is not to be delegated, contrary to the recommendation in this Guidance, an assessment should be prepared by officials for consideration by the sub-committee before any decision is taken that necessitates a hearing. Any councillor who considers that their own interests are such that they are unable to consider the matter independently should disqualify themselves.

- 9.9 It is recommended that, in borderline cases, the benefit of the doubt about any aspect of a representation should be given to the person making that representation. The subsequent hearing would then provide an opportunity for the person or body making the representation to amplify and clarify it.
- 9.10 Licensing authorities should consider providing advice on their websites about how any person can make representations to them.

Appendix 6

Mohshin Ali

From: Abbie Kumar [REDACTED]
Sent: 21 November 2023 16:57
To: Lavine Miller-Johnson
Cc: Mohshin Ali
Subject: Re: New Premises Licence - 47 Goulston Street E1 7TP MA 164181

Hello,

Thank you for this. We have read the terms and agree to these. Please note we already cctv at the premises and we have already received communication for the noise complaints and will be adding a notice asking people to leave the area respectfully and quietly which will be clearly displayed at the entry/exit points ,this has already been ordered. We also understand the challenges 25 and accept it and will display it on the shatter that the tobacco will be stored behind. In terms of documentation for the police and incident reports we agree to these as will and will have designated note books which will be filled in and available to police. As well as staff will only be able to sell these goods if they are signed and authorised by the DSP. We'd like to also add our main sale will be of cigarettes and tobacco. Majority of alcohol sold will be show pieces bottles which are sold vary rarely and consumed at homes.

Thanks,
AVK

Sent from my iPhone

On 21 Nov 2023, at 4:21 pm, Lavine Miller-Johnson [REDACTED] wrote:

Dear Licensing Authority,

Please find attached a representation from this Responsible Authority (LA)

Kind Regards

Lavine Miller-Johnson

Licensing Officer - Licensing and Safety
Environmental Health and Trading Standards
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Sent to:

Licensing Authority : [REDACTED]

Applicant: [REDACTED]

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21st November 2023

Email: licensing@towerhamlets.gov.uk

My reference: P/EHTS/LIC/164181/LMI

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Dear Licensing Authority,

Licensing Act 2003
New premise licence Shop
47 Goulston Street E1 7TP

The Licensing Authority (acting as a Responsible Authority) is making a representation against the above application.

Special Cumulative Impact Policy for the Brick Lane

This special policy creates a rebuttable presumption that applications for the grant or variation of premises licences or club premises certificates which are likely to add to the existing cumulative impact will normally be refused following the receipt of representations, unless the applicant can demonstrate in the operation schedule that there will be no negative cumulative impacts with one or more of the licensing objectives.

The Council reviewed the Special Cumulative Impact Policy in 2021 and, following consultation, decided it was still of the opinion that the concentration of licensed premises within Brick Lane area was having a cumulative impact on the licensing objectives of crime and disorder and prevention of public nuisance.

The Licensing Authority is of the view that the number, type and density of premises selling/supplying alcohol for consumption on and off the premises and/or the provision of late night refreshment in the Brick Lane is having a cumulative impact on the licensing objectives. Therefore, it is likely that granting further licences would be inconsistent with the authority's duty to promote the licensing objectives. Thus, it has declared a cumulative impact assessment within these areas.

This Policy will be strictly applied and where relevant representations are received and it is the view of the Council that the application will be refused. Applicants will need to demonstrate that there are exceptional circumstances and that granting their application will not negatively add to the cumulative effect on the Licensing Objectives within the Brick Lane CIA if they wish to rebut this presumption.

The Special Cumulative Impact policy creates a rebuttable presumption that where relevant



representations are received by one or more of the responsible authorities and/or other persons against applications (Councillors, Members of the Public) within the CIA zones the application will be refused.

Where representations have been received in respect to applications within the CIA zones the onus is on the applicant to adequately rebut the presumption.

This special policy is not absolute and the Licensing Authority recognises that it has to balance the needs of businesses with local residents. The circumstances of each application will be considered on its merits and the Licensing Authority shall grant applications, when representations are not received. The applicant should demonstrate that the operation of the premises will not add to the cumulative impact on one or more of the following licensing objectives:

- *Prevention of Crime and Disorder;*
- *Prevention of Public Nuisance.*

Therefore, applicants will be expected to comprehensively demonstrate why a new or varied licence will not add to the cumulative impact. They are strongly advised to give consideration to mitigating potential cumulative impact issues when setting out steps they will take to promote the licensing objectives in their operating schedule.

Possible exceptions to the Brick Lane and Bethnal Green Cumulative Impact Assessments

- *Applications for licences for small premises with a capacity of fifty persons or less who only intend to operate within framework hours, and that;*
 - *Only have consumption of food (late night refreshment) and drink (alcohol) on the premises only,*
 - *Only provide Off sales of food (late night refreshment) and drink (alcohol) for delivery (i.e. not for take away),**and,*
 - *Have arrangements to prevent vertical drinking, for example fully seated venues;*
- *Applications for licences that are not alcohol led (e.g. Hairdressers wanting to provide alcohol to clients during their hair cut/treatments),*
- *Applications for licences where the applicant has recently surrendered a licence for another premises of a similar size and providing similar licensable activities in the same CIA Area.*

*Licensing Authority will **not** consider the following as possible exceptions:*

- *that the premises will be well managed and run,*
- *that the premises will be constructed to a high standard,*
- *that the applicant operates similar premises elsewhere without complaint.*

Licensable activities and times

The Licensing Authority has had regard to the Guidance to the Act when determining this policy. The end times set out in the policy are not (and should not be regarded as) the 'usual' or 'normal' terminal hour for licensable activities in the Borough. Instead, the 'framework hours' serve to identify cases where the Licensing Authority will pay particular regard to the likely effect on the local neighbourhood of carrying out the proposed licensable activities during the hours applied for. Applications for hours



up to the end of the Framework Hours will not automatically be granted. This policy will be applied only where relevant representations are made. Each case will be considered on its merits.

- *Sunday* – 06:00 hours to 22:30 hours
- *Monday to Thursday* – 06:00 hours to 23:30 hours
- *Friday and Saturday* – 06:00 hours to 00:00 hours (midnight)

Applications in respect of premises licences and club premises certificates to authorise licensable activities outside the framework hours, and in respect of which relevant representations are made, will be decided on their own merits and with particular regard to the following.

- a) 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).*
- b) 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.*
- c) The adequacy of the applicant's proposals to address the issues of the prevention of crime and disorder and the prevention of public nuisance.*
- d) Where the premises have been previously licensed, the past operation of the premises.*
- e) 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.*
- f) The proximity of the premises to other licensed premises in the vicinity and the hours of those other premises.*

The Home Office guidance

under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003 (8.42) says:

“Applicants are, in particular, expected to obtain sufficient information to enable them to demonstrate, when setting out the steps they propose to take to promote the licensing objectives, that they understand:

- *the layout of the local area and physical environment including crime and disorder hotspots, proximity to residential premises and proximity to areas where children may congregate;*
- *any risk posed to the local area by the applicants' proposed licensable activities; and*
- *any local initiatives (for example, local crime reduction initiatives or voluntary schemes including local taxi-marshalling schemes, street pastors and other schemes) which may help to mitigate potential risks.”*

Application:

The applicant has described the application as being for a retail premises.



The applicant has applied for:

- **Sales of Alcohol** (off sales only)
Monday to Sunday 10:30 hrs – 20:30 hrs
- **Opening hours**
Monday to Sunday 10:30 hrs – 20:30 hrs

Although licensable activities are within framework hours, the applicant has not acknowledged that the premises falls within a CIA. There is insufficient information on how they intend to uphold the licensing objectives in regard to public nuisance within the CIA. The applicant has not demonstrated how the premises will not have a negative effect on the already saturated area.

On a balance of probability, this Authority is concerned by the addition of this premises selling alcohol within the CIA, potentially adding to the existing anti-social issues in the area.

If the applicant is unable to prove to the Licensing Sub-Committee, through the implementation of appropriate conditions within the Operating Schedule, that the granting of the application will not undermine the licensing objectives; then the application should be rejected. However, if the Sub-Committee is minded to grant a licence, then I would ask that the following conditions be attached:

1. The premises shall install and maintain a comprehensive CCTV system as per the minimum requirements of the Tower Hamlets Police Licensing Team. All entry and exit points will be covered enabling frontal identification of every person entering in any light condition. The CCTV system shall continually record whilst the premises is open for licensable activities and during all times when customers remain on the premises. All recordings shall be stored for a minimum period of 31 days with date and time stamping. Viewing of recordings shall be made available immediately upon the request of Police or authorised officer throughout the entire 31 day period.
2. A staff member from the premises who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system shall be on the premises at all times when the premises are open. This staff member must be able to provide a Police or authorised council officer copies of recent CCTV images or data with the absolute minimum of delay when requested.
3. When the designated premise supervisor is not on the premises any or all persons authorised to sell alcohol will be authorised by the designated premises supervisor in writing. This shall be available on request by the Police or any authorised officer.
4. An incident log shall be kept at the premises and be available on request to the Police or an authorised officer. It must be completed within 24 hours of any incident and will record the following:
 - a) all crimes reported to the venue;
 - b) all ejections of patrons;
 - c) any complaints received concerning crime and disorder;
 - d) any incidents of disorder;



- f) any faults in the CCTV system;
 - h) any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.
5. A Challenge 25 proof of age scheme shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are recognised photographic identification cards, such as a driving licence, passport or proof of age card with the PASS Hologram.
 6. A record shall be kept detailing all refused sales of alcohol. The record should include the date and time of the refused sale and the name of the member of staff who refused the sale. The record shall be available.
 7. Notices shall be prominently displayed at the main exit requesting patrons to respect the needs of residents and leave the area quietly.

Yours faithfully

[Redacted signature]

Lavine Miller-Johnson
Licensin Officer

[Redacted contact information]

Appendix 7

Mohshin Ali

From: Licensing
Sent: 14 November 2023 19:12
To: Mohshin Ali
Subject: FW: Reference: CLC/EHTS/LIC/164181

-----Original Message-----

From: Nahid Islam [redacted] >
Sent: Tuesday, November 14, 2023 6:11 PM
To: Licensing <Licensing@towerhamlets.gov.uk>
Subject: Reference: CLC/EHTS/LIC/164181

Dear Licencing team

Re: 47 Goulston Street, London E1 7TP

I am writing to object to the premises application for the above. The area is already oversaturated with establishments that provide/sell alcohol.

Local residents already suffer from noise nuisance and anti-social behaviours at all hours of the day and night.

Granting this application will only add to the ever increasing issues of drunken behaviour, alcohol related antisocial behaviour and crime.

I would urge that the committee refuse this application.

Thank you

Name: Mrs Ashon Khanum

[redacted]

Sent from my iPhone

Appendix 8



18th November, 2023

licensing@towerhamlets.gov.uk

London Borough of Tower Hamlets
Licensing Team
Environmental Health & Trading Standards
160 Whitechapel Road
LONDON E1 1BJ

Sent via EMail

Dear Licensing Team

Re: Objection to the licensing application for 47 Goulston Street, E1 7TP

I write to object to the application for an alcohol licence for 47 Goulston Street E1 7TP. These premises are within the Brick Lane Cumulative Impact Assessment ('CIA') and in one of the Ward's most prolific hotspots for antisocial behaviour. Also, the location of these premises is a few minutes' walk from two of the Ward's primary care hostels.

New licence applications within the CIA are meant to be limited, if not prohibited; and I think that the likely consequences of this application are of real concern given these hostels deal with vulnerable people with a history of alcohol and substance abuse.

Accordingly, in summary, I object to the granting of a licence for off-sales of alcohol, on the grounds that where alcohol is taken away and consumed off the applicant's premises, the inevitable consequence, in my view, is that, given the location near local hostels - and the well-documented antisocial behaviour hotspot in the Ward - it would lead to an increase in antisocial behaviour, and to issues of public safety and public nuisance in what is already an area saturated with well documented antisocial behaviour problems,

Yours sincerely

Alan Williams

PS Please redact my personal information from any digital copy of this letter

Appendix 9

Mohshin Ali

From: Licensing
Sent: 22 November 2023 11:04
To: Mohshin Ali
Subject: FW: shop 47 goulston Street London E1 7TP

From: Aysha Hussain <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Monday, November 20, 2023 6:48 PM
To: Licensing <Licensing@towerhamlets.gov.uk>
Subject: shop 47 goulston Street London E1 7TP

Ref no. CLC/EHTS/LIC/164181

Dear Licencing team

Re: shop 47 Goulston Street London E1 7TP

I am writing to object to the premises application for the above. The area is already oversaturated with establishments that provide/sell alcohol.

Local residents already suffer from noise nuisance and anti-social behaviours at all hours of the day and night.

Granting this application will only add to the ever increasing issues of drunken disorderly behaviour alcohol related antisocial behaviour and crime.

I would urge that the committee to refuse this application.

Thank you

Name: Aysha Hussain
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Appendix 10

16th November 2023

London Borough of Tower Hamlets
Licensing Team
Environmental Health & Trading Standards
160 Whitechapel Road
London
E1 1BJ
licensing@towerhamlets.gov.uk

Sent via Email

Re: Formal objection to the proposed licencing application for “shop” 47 Goulston Street, London E1 7TP

Dear Licensing Team

My name is Christopher Lloyd and I am the Vice Chair of Spitalfields Residents Against Anti-Social Behaviour (“SPIRE”), a community group established in 2012, which represents individuals and, at least, six of the largest resident associations including, Exchange Building Residents Association, St George's Residents Association, Spitalfields Community Group (SCG), Spitalfields Market Residents Association (SMRA), Norton Folgate Community Group (NFCG), and Spitalfields Society, in Spitalfields and Banglatown (“the Ward”).

SPIRE reviews all new and/or amended applications for alcohol licences in the Ward to ensure the interests of individuals and groups it represents are not negatively impacted by any such application(s).

Specifically, SPIRE reviews all new and/or amended applications for alcohol licences to ensure they do not contravene applicable law, guidelines, and/or other acceptable practices for alcohol licences in the Ward. This includes, but not limited to, the appropriate enforcement of the Brick Lane Cumulative Impact Assessment (CIA), which applies to a majority of the Ward.

SPIRE is a 'pro-commerce' community group and supports the careful balance of a vibrant, diverse, and commercial ward with the needs of residents and visitors to appreciate a safe, clean, and liveable neighbourhood free from anti-social behaviour and related issues. Consequently, when a formal objection is raised by SPIRE, such as the case detailed below, it has been carefully considered and represents a substantial number of constituents in the Ward.

Formal Objection

SPIRE raises a formal objection to the proposed application for an alcohol licence for **47 Goulston Street E1 7TP** referenced "shop" ("the Premise").

The Premise is located within the CIA and in one of the ward's most prolific hotspots for antisocial behaviour. New licence applications within this area are meant to be limited if not prohibited and this is of real concern given the location being a few minutes walk from 2 of the ward's primary care hostels The Dellow Centre and Founders House. These hostels deal with vulnerable people with a history of alcohol and substance abuse and in the past licences have been removed from similar types of off-sales business in the direct vicinity as they have encouraged alcohol sales to these vulnerable people, sometimes with disastrous consequences to them and local residents. Excessive alcohol use frequently leads onto other substance abuse with vulnerable people which in turns adds to the antisocial behaviour.

SPIRE objects fully to the granting of a licence for off-sales of alcohol, the main issue is that alcohol is taken away and consumed off the applicant's premises and given the location to local hostels and the well documented antisocial behaviour hotspot in the ward it is inevitable that it would lead to an increase in antisocial behaviour.

In summary SPIRE asks the licencing committee to reject the licence application on the grounds that any such off-sales licence would inevitably lead to issues of public safety and public nuisance in what is an already saturated area with well documented antisocial behaviour problems,

Please acknowledge that our objection has been received and that the contents of this letter will be considered as part of the overall review process.

Yours sincerely

Christopher Lloyd
Vice Chair, SPIRE



Appendix 11

Mohshin Ali

From: dobir31 [REDACTED]
Sent: 02 November 2023 23:26
To: Licensing
Subject: FW: shop 47 goulston Street London E1 7TP

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
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Sent from my Galaxy

Ref no. CLC/EHTS/LIC/164181

Dear Licencing team

Re: shop 47 Goulston Street London E1 7TP

I am writing to object to the premises application for the above. The area is already oversaturated with establishments that provide/sell alcohol.

Local residents already suffer from noise nuisance and anti-social behaviours at all hours of the day and night.

Granting this application will only add to the ever increasing issues of drunken disorderly behaviour alcohol related antisocial behaviour and crime.

I would urge that the committee to refuse this application.

Thank you

Name: Mr Dobir Miah

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Appendix 12

19th November 2023

London Borough of Tower Hamlets
Licensing Team
Environmental Health & Trading Standards
licensing@towerhamlets.gov.uk

Sent via E-Mail

Re: Formal Objection to Proposed Application for the Sale of Alcohol by the “shop”, 47 Goulston Street, London E1 7TP (“the Premise”).

Dear Licensing Team

While I serve as Chairman of Spitalfields Residents Against Antisocial Behaviour (SPIRE), which regularly reviews licencing applications submitted in Spitalfields and Banglatown, I am writing on behalf of the Spitalfields and Banglatown Ward Panel for which I also serve as Chairman. An official objection for the above listed application on behalf of SPIRE has been made by Christopher Lloyd, Vice Chair, and submitted for your attention on 16th November 2023.

Overseen by the Metropolitan Police Service (MPS), the Spitalfields and Banglatown Ward Panel is a group of community members and partner agencies that meets regularly with the ward’s Safer Neighbourhood Police Team (SNT) to account for issues affecting the community and help set policing priorities for the ward. The ward panel works closely with the London Borough of Tower Hamlets Safer Neighbourhoods and Community Safety teams to identify, review, and help shape local plans to respond to crime and antisocial behaviour (ASB) in the community that negatively impact residents, businesses, and visitors.

Formal Objection

On behalf of the ward panel (and resident of the area), I formally object to the proposed application for licence to sell alcohol between the hours of 10:30 and 20:30 seven days a week by the Premise.

The Premise is in one of the Ward’s most prolific hotspots for antisocial behaviour and is an area of great concern. The Premise is located within the CIA for Brick Lane where new and varied premise licenses are meant to be limited, if not prohibited, based on the over saturation of businesses involved with the sale of alcohol and entertainment, attributable to the ward’s current issues with antisocial behaviour. In particular, the ward already suffers from open drinking and ASB related behaviour on its streets (this includes but is not limited to drunken behaviour, noise, public urination, and defecation, etc.) and the thought of a further supplier in an already predisposed, highly populated, and vulnerable part of the ward is unimaginable and unacceptable.

The Premise is also only streets away from two of the Ward's three primary care hostels, The Dellow Centre and Founders House. These hostels help many vulnerable people with substance abuse, including but not limited to alcohol. The presence of a further off-license selling take away alcohol is not only a direct risk for already vulnerable people (in reasonable concentration in the immediate area), but it also acts as a gateway for other substance dependent interest and behaviour. Off-licenses in the Ward attract (and worse sometimes engage in) trade involving other forms of illegal and addictive substances. In short, alcohol and other forms of addictive substances and behaviours go hand in hand.

Additionally, this area of the ward is one of great population density given the many social housing estates which exist near the Premise. The ward panel regularly receives complaints from residents about factors impacting the daily lives of families and children in this area. A number of residents familiar with the application for the Premise have specifically vocalised their concern about this type of trade and how it will continue to make challenging circumstances (open drinking, noise nuisance, drug trade, ASB, etc.) in the area worse if such licence is granted.

While the ward panel fully objects to the granting of a license for off-license sales of alcohol in the ward and more specifically within the Brick Lane CIA, it is especially concerning why any alcohol should be sold during the proposed hours of the application. For example, what is the need for sale of alcohol at 10:30 am?

Both SPIRE and the Ward Panel recently objected to a licence application for Baran Off Licence, 18 Wentworth Street, E1 7TF. The licencing committee found that such proposed application worked against the borough's licencing policy objectives and the Brick Lane CIA. It is believed the application for this Premise is no different and encourages the licencing committee to review this application in tandem.

The immediate area surrounding the Premise is one of the ward's most vulnerable and efforts by many including the Safer Neighbourhood Team (MET), Ward Panel for Spitalfields and Banglatown, local residents, and the local hostels are working hard to help 'clean-up' this part of the ward. Any approval of an off license in this area works directly against the efforts of many to improve crime and ASB in this area.

Despite any details the applicant may claim to support licensing objectives directly and/or as part of their operations and premise, the main issue is that alcohol is taken away and consumed away from the applicant's premise. Worse, it is often consumed openly on streets giving way to all the concerns which are supposed to be protected by the borough's licencing objectives. This includes but is not limited to increased public nuisance and potential crime, disorder, health and safety of residents and visitors, noise, and antisocial behaviour. These are all the things which are meant to be safeguarded by the implementation and effective monitoring and maintenance of the CIA for Brick Lane.

Please acknowledge that this objection has been received and that the contents of this letter will be considered as part of the overall review process.

Yours sincerely

Randall Thiel
Chairman, Spitalfields and Banglatown Ward Panel

Appendix 13

Mohshin Ali

From: Licensing
Sent: 14 November 2023 19:14
To: Mohshin Ali
Subject: FW: Reference: CLC/EHTS/LIC/164181

From: Saidul Hoque [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, November 14, 2023 4:30 PM
To: Licensing <Licensing@towerhamlets.gov.uk>
Subject: Reference: CLC/EHTS/LIC/164181

Dear Licencing team

Re: 47 Goulston Street, London E1 7TP

I am writing to object to the premises application for the above. The area is already oversaturated with establishments that provide/sell alcohol.

Local residents already suffer from noise nuisance and anti-social behaviours at all hours of the day and night.

Granting this application will only add to the ever increasing issues of drunken behaviour, alcohol related antisocial behaviour and crime.

I would urge that the committee refuse this application.

Thank you

Saidul Hoque



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Appendix 14

Mohshin Ali

From: Susan Kay [REDACTED]
Sent: 22 November 2023 14:05
To: Licensing
Subject: Objection to licensing application 47 Goulston St E1 7TP

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Completed

Dear Licensing team,

Re: 47 Goulston Street E1 7TP

My name is Susan Kay [REDACTED].

I have lived at the above address for 10 years and before that for 13 years in Spital Square.

I have spent time working on Spire and the Spitalfields Society and also sit on the St George Resident's Association Committee, known as SGRA.

I am writing to OBJECT on behalf of the Residents who live on the St George Estate to the proposed application for an off-license at the above premise.

The Premise is located within the CIZ and within an area that is known for particularly bad anti-social behaviour. This area is now overrun with bars and other drinking spots that the CIZ is beginning to be in danger of not being effective.

We have seen many problems at this end of Commercial Street and its tributary roads as there are two hostels housing vulnerable people very close by. The Dellow Centre and Founders House both deal with predominately ex addicts of drugs and alcohol. It has been noticed when other off-licenses were in operation in close proximity to these hostels, that ASB increased amongst those living in these hostels and also amongst those living on the streets close by.

It is too tempting to those receiving benefits to then spend their money in off-licenses so close to their homes such as proposed here.

I, on behalf of SGRA, OBJECT fully for the granting of a licence to the premise at 47 Goulston Street as we fear that any alcohol purchased from these premises will be drunk elsewhere and contribute to more noise and nuisance in an area already known for such high levels of ASB.

For the above reasons, I ask that the Licensing Committee REJECT this Application.

Yours sincerely,

Susan Kay

[REDACTED]

Appendix 15

Mohshin Ali

From: Licensing
Sent: 20 November 2023 16:18
To: Mohshin Ali
Subject: FW: 47 Goulston Street CLC/EHTS/LIC/164181

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Flagged

From: Shamsur Rahman [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, November 20, 2023 2:53 PM
To: Licensing <Licensing@towerhamlets.gov.uk>
Subject: 47 Goulston Street CLC/EHTS/LIC/164181

Dear Licencing Team,

I am writing in regards to the premises licence submitted for the address 47 Goulston Street, London E1 7TP.

I would like to object against granting a licence to this premises as the area is already over saturated with establishments who sell alcohol.

In this particular area, local residents suffer from noise nuisance and antisocial behaviour and I feel by granting this application, it will add to the ever increasing issues of drunken disorderly behaviour and crime.

I am hopeful that the committee will refuse the application.

Kind Regards
Shamsur Rahman
[REDACTED]

Appendix 16

Mohshin Ali

From: Licensing
Sent: 14 November 2023 19:14
To: Mohshin Ali
Subject: FW: Reference: CLC/EHTS/LIC/164181

From: Yakub Meah [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, November 14, 2023 4:20 PM
To: Licensing <Licensing@towerhamlets.gov.uk>
Subject: Reference: CLC/EHTS/LIC/164181

Dear Licencing team

Re: 47 Goulston Street, London E1 7TP
Reference: CLC/EHTS/LIC/164181

I am writing to object to the premises application for the above. The area is already oversaturated with establishments that provide/sell alcohol.

Local residents already suffer from noise nuisance and anti-social behaviours at all hours of the day and night.

Granting this application will only add to the ever increasing issues of drunken behaviour, alcohol related antisocial behaviour and crime.

I would urge that the committee refuse this application.

Thank you

Name: Yakub Meah
[REDACTED]

Appendix 17

Mohshin Ali

From: Nicola Cadzow
Sent: 13 November 2023 15:39
To: Licensing
Cc: Lavine Miller-Johnson; 'MARK.J.Perry [REDACTED]'; avkwholesale [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: 164181 New premise license for Shop 47 Goulston Street, London, E1 7TP

Good afternoon Licensing,

I also wish to add that the application has agreed to a condition that -

Notices shall be prominently displayed at all exits requesting patrons to respect the needs of local residents and businesses and leave the area quietly.

Regards

Nicola Cadzow
Environmental Protection Officer
Communities Directorate

From: Nicola Cadzow
Sent: Monday, November 13, 2023 3:36 PM
To: Licensing <Licensing@towerhamlets.gov.uk>
Cc: Lavine Miller-Johnson <[REDACTED]>; 'MARK.J.Perry [REDACTED]'; 'MARK.J.Perry [REDACTED]'; avkwholesale [REDACTED]
Subject: 164181 New premise license for Shop 47 Goulston Street, London, E1 7TP

Good afternoon Licensing,

Whilst the premises application is for Shop 47 Goulston Street, London, E1 7TP, within the Brick Lane CIZ, I have no objections for the following reasons:

1. The hours are well within frameworks hours
2. There is no history of noise complaints

Kind regards

Nicola Cadzow
Environmental Protection Officer
Communities Directorate

From: Abbie Kumar <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Monday, November 13, 2023 3:04 PM
To: Nicola Cadzow <[REDACTED]>
Subject: Re: 164181 New premise license for Shop 47 Goulston Street, London, E1 7TP

Hello,

This will be of no issue I will promptly have a notice created and sent for printing that will state. "Please respect the needs of our local residents and fellow businesses and leave the area quietly Thank you."

And have this displayed at the exit/entrance of the premises.

Please note it will take a few days as we have to send it to be printed

Sent from my iPhone

On 13 Nov 2023, at 2:58 pm, Nicola Cadzow <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Good afternoon Abbie Kumar,

I am reviewing your new premises license application for Shop 47 Goulston Street, London, E1 7TP, with particular attention to the licensing objective for the prevention of public nuisance, and wish for the following noise condition to apply as below:

Notices shall be prominently displayed at all exits requesting patrons to respect the needs of local residents and businesses and leave the area quietly.

Await your confirmation

Kind regards

Nicola Cadzow
Environmental Protection Officer
Communities Directorate
Environmental Health and Trading Standards
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London, E1 1BJ



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Appendix 18

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 11.1 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 11.4**).

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 11.2 of the Licensing Policy**).

The Licensing Authority will consider attaching conditions to prevent nuisance. 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 to 9pm or limiting numbers)
- 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)
- Measures to prevent noise/fumes from engines, drivers (including smoking),
- Measures to prevent obstruct access to properties, pavements.
Measure to reduce the impact of people noise on residents

Police Powers

Part 8 of the Licensing Act 2003 enables a senior police officer to close down a premises for up to 24 hrs where public nuisance is being caused by noise coming from the premises and the closure of the premises is necessary to prevent that nuisance.

Guidance Issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003

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 (2.15).

Licence conditions should not duplicate other legislation (1.16).

Necessary and appropriate conditions should normally focus on the most sensitive periods (2.19) 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.

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.

Appendix 19

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.

Egress only is referred to-if necessary access can be added or substituted in.

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 Section 11 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 11.2 of the Licensing Policy**).

The policy also recognises that staggered closing can help prevent problems at closure time (**See Section 16.1**).

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 16.6**)

The Council has adopted a set of framework hours (**See 16.8 of the licensing policy**). This relates to potential disturbance caused by late night trading.

The Licensing Authority will consider attaching conditions to prevent nuisance and these may include Conditions drawn from the Model Pool of Conditions (**See Appendix 3 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

Guidance Issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003

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. (2.15).

Licence conditions should not duplicate other legislation (1.16).

Any conditions should be tailored to the type, nature and characteristics of the specific premises. Licensing authorities should be aware of the need to avoid inappropriate or disproportionate measures that could deter events that are valuable to the community, such as live music. Noise limiters, for example, are very expensive to purchase and install and are likely to be a considerable burden for smaller venues. (2.19)

Measures can include ensuring the safe departure of customers, these can include:

- Providing information on the premises of local taxi companies who can provide safe transportation home; and
- Ensuring adequate lighting outside the premises, particularly on paths leading to and from the premises and in car parks

Necessary and appropriate conditions should normally focus on the most sensitive periods (2.19) 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.

Appendix 20

Anti-Social Behaviour 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 Section 9 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 Conditions **(See Appendix 3 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 and SIA is acknowledged (2.1-2.2).

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 in the immediate vicinity of the premises as they seek entry or leave (1.16).

Conditions are best targeted on deterrence and preventing crime and disorder (2.3) communication, CCTV, police liaison, no glasses, capacity limits are all relevant (2.3 - 2.6).

The Guidance recognises working with Home Office Immigration Enforcement in the prevention of immigration crime. Licence conditions that are considered appropriate for the prevention of illegal working in licensed premises might include requiring a premises licence holder to undertake right to work checks on all staff employed at the licensed premises or requiring that a copy of any document checked as part of a right to work check are retained at the licensed premises.

Guidance Issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003

Conditions can be imposed for large capacity “vertical consumption” premises (10.23 – 10.24).

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

Appendix 21

Anti-Social Behaviour 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” (**see Section 5.14 and 5.15 of the 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 9.2 of the Licensing Policy**)

The Licensing Authority will consider attaching conditions to deter crime and disorder and may be draw from the Model Conditions in **Appendix 3 of the Licensing Policy**. In particular Members may wish to consider (this list is not exhaustive):

- Bottle Bans
- Plastic containers
- CCTV (outside the premises)
- Restrictions on open containers for “off sales”
- Proof of Age scheme
- Crime prevention notices
- Drinks promotions-aimed at stopping irresponsible promotions
- Signage

Cumulative Impact

There is a process by which the Licensing Authority can determine that an area is saturated following representations. However, the process for this involves wide consultation and cannot come from representations about a particular application. **(See Section 20 of the Licensing Policy).**

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.

Guidance Issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003

The key role of the Police is acknowledged (2.1).

Conditions attached to licences cannot seek to manage the behaviour of customers once they are beyond the direct management of the licence holder, but can relate to the immediate vicinity of the premises as they seek entry or leave (1.16).

Conditions are best targeted on deterrence and preventing crime and disorder (2.3) CCTV inside & out, communication, police liaison, no glasses are all relevant

There is also guidance issued around public nuisance (2.15 – 2.21).

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 but it is essential that conditions are focused on measures within the direct control of the licence holder (2.18/2.21).

Licensing law is not the primary mechanism for the general control of nuisance and anti-social behaviour by individuals once they are away from the licensed premises and, therefore, beyond the direct control of the individual, club or business holding the licence, certificate or authorisation concerned (14.13).

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 anti- social behaviour committed by adults and young people. These include:

- Anti-Social Behaviour Orders

- Child Curfew Schemes
- Truancy
- Parenting Orders
- Reparation Orders
- Tackling Racism

Appendix 22

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.

Appendix 23

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:

- Monday to Thursday, from 06:00 hrs to 23:30 hrs
- Friday and Saturday, from 06:00 hrs to 00:00 hrs (midnight)
- Sunday, from 06:00 hrs to 22:30 hrs

(see 16.8 of the Licensing Policy)

In considering the applicability of framework 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 applicant's 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 16.9 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

Appendix 24

Licensing Policy – Sections 20, 21 and Appendix 5

Special Cumulative Impact Policy for the Brick Lane and Bethnal Green Area

1. The Licensing Authority has adopted a special policy relating to cumulative impact in areas of:
 - Brick Lane
 - Bethnal Green

This special policy creates a rebuttable presumption that applications for the grant or variation of premises licences or club premises certificates which are likely to add to the existing cumulative impact will normally be refused following the receipt of representations, unless the applicant can demonstrate in the operation schedule that there will be no negative cumulative impacts with one or more of the licensing objectives.

2. The Council reviewed the Special Cumulative Impact Policy in 2021 and, following consultation, decided it was still of the opinion that the concentration of licensed premises within Brick Lane area was having a cumulative impact on the licensing objectives of crime and disorder and prevention of public nuisance. As part of the review in 2021, the Council also decided that the concentration of licensed premises within the Bethnal Green area was also having a cumulative impact on the licensing objectives of crime and disorder and prevention of public nuisance.

Review of Cumulative Impact Assessment - Supporting Evidence

3. In determining the Councils CIAs for the area of Brick Lane and Bethnal Green (Figures One and Two Below) the Council considered the following evidence:
 - Hot spot maps of incidents of crime and disorder and ASB linked to Licence premises in the defined areas for 2017 to 2020.
 - Complaint data from Environmental Health and Trading Standards relating to Noise and Licensing.
 - Licence Application data for the defined areas for 2017 to 2020
 - Results of the Consultation, that included Survey data and comments and written responses.

This evidence is published on our website:

<http://democracy.towerhamlets.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=309&MId=12361>.

Cumulative Impact Assessments (Brick Lane and Bethnal Green)

4. The Licensing Authority is of the view that the number, type and density of premises selling/supplying alcohol for consumption on and off the premises and/or the provision of late night refreshment in the Brick Lane and Bethnal Green Areas (highlighted in Figures One and Two below) is having a cumulative impact on the licensing objectives. Therefore, it is likely that granting further licences would be inconsistent with the authority's duty to promote the licensing objectives. Thus, it has declared a cumulative impact assessment within these areas.
 5. The Brick Lane and Bethnal Green CIAs aim to manage the negative cumulative impact of the concentration of licensed premises in these areas and the stresses that the saturation of licensed premises has had on the local amenity, environmental degradation and emergency and regulatory services in managing this impact.
 6. The effect of this Special Cumulative Assessment Policy will apply to the following types of applications:
 - New Premises Licences applications,
 - New Club Premises Certificates applications
 - Provisional Statements,
 - Variation of Premises Licences and Club Premises Certificate applications (where the modifications are relevant to the issue of cumulative impact for example increases in hours or capacity).
- However, it will only apply where the application seeks to permit the Licensable activities of:
- the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on or off the premises, and/or,
 - the provision of late night refreshment.
7. **This Policy will be strictly applied and where relevant representations are received and it is the view of the Council that the application will be refused. Applicants will need to demonstrate that there are exceptional circumstances and that granting their application will not negatively add to the cumulative effect on the Licensing Objectives within the Brick Lane and Bethnal Green CIAs if they wish to rebut this presumption.**
 8. The Special Cumulative Impact policy creates a rebuttable presumption that where relevant representations are received by one or more of the responsible authorities and/or other persons against applications (Councillors, Members of the Public) within the CIA zones the application will be refused.
 9. Where representations have been received in respect to applications within the CIA zones the onus is on the applicant to adequately rebut the presumption.

10. It must be stressed that the presumption created by this special policy does not relieve responsible authorities or other persons of the need to make a representation. If there are no representations, the licensing authority must grant the application in terms that are consistent with the operating schedule submitted in line with their delegated authority.

11. This special policy is not absolute and the Licensing Authority recognises that it has to balance the needs of businesses with local residents. The circumstances of each application will be considered on its merits and the Licensing Authority shall grant applications, when representations are not received. The applicant should demonstrate that the operation of the premises will not add to the cumulative impact on one or more of the following licensing objectives:
 - Prevention of Crime and Disorder;
 - Prevention of Public Nuisance.

Therefore, applicants will be expected to comprehensively demonstrate why a new or varied licence will not add to the cumulative impact. They are strongly advised to give consideration to mitigating potential cumulative impact issues when setting out steps they will take to promote the licensing objectives in their operating schedule.

12. The Special Cumulative Impact policy will not be used to revoke an existing licence or certificate and will not be applicable during the review of existing licences.

Possible exceptions to the Brick Lane and Bethnal Green Cumulative Impact Assessments

- Applications for licences for small premises with a capacity of fifty persons or less who only intend to operate within framework hours, and that;
 - Only have consumption of food (late night refreshment) and drink (alcohol) on the premises only;
 - Only provide Off sales of food (late night refreshment) and drink (alcohol) for delivery (i.e. not for take away); and,
 - Have arrangements to prevent vertical drinking, for example fully seated venues.

- Applications for licences that are not alcohol led (e.g. Hairdressers wanting to provide alcohol to clients during their hair cut/treatments), .

- Applications for licences where the applicant has recently surrendered a licence for another premises of a similar size and providing similar licensable activities in the same CIA Area.

Licensing Authority will **not** consider the following as possible exceptions:

- that the premises will be well managed and run,
- that the premises will be constructed to a high standard,
- that the applicant operates similar premises elsewhere without complaint.

The Cumulative Impact Assessment Areas for the Brick Lane and Bethnal Green

13. The Cumulative Impact Assessment Areas are detailed in the maps below.

Figure One

Brick Lane area:



Figure Two:

Bethnal Green Area