WIRRAL COUNCIL

LICENSING ACT 2003 COMMITTEE
LICENSING ACT 2003 SUB-COMMITTEE – 18 NOVEMBER 2010

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF LAW, HR AND ASSET MANAGEMENT

NAME OF PREMISES: TDS CONVENIENCE STORE, 15-17 ALBANY ROAD,

ROCK FERRY

NAME OF APPLICANT: KANAGASABAI SHATTHIYANANTHAMOORTHI

1.0 **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

1.1 The purpose of this report is to consider an application for a Premises Licence under the provisions of the Licensing Act 2003.

2.0 RELEVANT BACKGROUND

2.1 These premises do not currently hold a Premises Licence.

3.0 APPLICATION

3.1 An application has been received for the grant of a Premises Licence for these premises for the following hours:

Supply of Alcohol

Monday to Sunday 08:00 to 23:00

Hours Open to the Public

Monday to Sunday 06:00 to 23:00

3.2 Following consultation with Merseyside Police, the applicant has amended the hours for the Supply of Alcohol. Therefore the hours originally set out in this application have been amended as above.

4.0 PROMOTION OF LICENSING OBJECTIVES

- 4.1 Applicants are required to submit as part of their application an operating schedule that sets out how they will conduct/manage their business in accordance with the four Licensing Objectives. A copy of the full application is available.
- 4.2 Members of the Licensing Act 2003 Sub-Committee are advised that the proposals set out in the operating schedule may become conditions of licence should the licence be granted.

5.0 RELEVANT REPRESENTATIONS

5.1 The following Representations have been received in respect of the above application.

Interested Party - Local Residents

In respect of this application, two representations have been received from Local Residents. The representations relate to anti-social behaviour and public nuisance which is currently a problem within the vicinity of the premises. A petition has also been received signed by 264 residents who are against the application. The petition relates to anti-social behaviour caused by individuals who are intoxicated by alcohol within the vicinity of the premises. Copies of the representations and petition are available.

5.2 There have been no other representations received from the following Responsible Authorities:

Wirral Safe Guarding Children Board Trading Standards Environmental Health Planning Authority Merseyside Police Fire Authority

6.0 FINANCIAL AND STAFFING IMPLICATIONS

6.1 A statutory fee has been paid in respect of the application, which goes towards administrative and enforcement costs.

7.0 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS

- 7.1 There are none arising from this report.
- 8.0 LOCAL AGENDA 21 IMPLICATIONS
- 8.1 There are none arising directly from this report.
- 9.0 LOCAL MEMBER SUPPORT IMPLICATIONS
- 9.1 The premises are located in the Rock Ferry ward.
- 10.0 HUMAN RIGHTS IMPLICATIONS
- 10.1 Article 6, of the First Protocol, concerned with the right to a fair hearing, may be applicable.

11.0 **COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS**

11.1 Effective control of Licensing Legislation can assist in raising standards and improve the perception of community safety.

12.0 PLANNING IMPLICATIONS

12.1 There are no Planning implications arising from this report.

13.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

- 13.1 Application form applying for a Premises Licence Operating Schedule.
- 13.2 Petition signed by local residents.

14.0 **RECOMMENDATIONS**

14.1 The Licensing Act 2003 Sub-Committee are asked to consider the application for a Premises Licence in respect of the above premises.

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