

LICENSING ACT 2003 LICENSING ACT 2003 SUB-COMMITTEE 20 JULY 2017

REPORT TITLE	APPLICATION TO REVIEW A PREMISES LICENCE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003
REPORT OF	MANAGING DIRECTOR FOR DELIVERY

REPORT SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to consider an application for a Review of a Premises Licence under the provisions of the Licensing Act 2003. The application is made by the Licensing Authority and relates to the premises known as The Venue, 30 Conway Street, Birkenhead.

RECOMMENDATION/S

The Licensing Act 2003 Sub-Committee are asked to Review the Premises Licence in respect of the above premises.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

1.0 REASON/S FOR RECOMMENDATION/S

1.1 It is a statutory requirement for this Committee to determine the application.

2.0 OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED

2.1 There is no provision for other options to be considered.

3.0 BACKGROUND INFORMATION

3.1 These premises currently have a Premises Licence which permits the following Licensable Activities:

Sale by Retail of Alcohol

Monday to Thursday	20:30 to 03:30
Friday	20:30 to 04:00
Saturday	11:00 to 04:00
Sunday	11:00 to 03:00

Live Music

Friday 20:30 to 00:00 Saturday and Sunday 11:00 to 00:00

Recorded Music and Performance of Dance

Monday to Thursday 20:30 to 03:30 Friday 20:30 to 04:00 Saturday 11:00 to 04:00 Sunday 11:00 to 03:00

Anything of a Similar Description to that of Live Music, Recorded Music and Performance of Dance

Saturday 11:00 to 04:00 Sunday 11:00 to 03:30

Late Night Refreshment

Sunday to Thursday 23:00 to 03:30 Friday and Saturday 23:00 to 04:00

Hours Open to the Public

Monday to Thursday 20:30 to 03:30 Friday 20:30 to 04:30 Saturday 11:00 to 04:30 Sunday 11:00 to 04:00

- 3.2 The Licensing Act 2003 Sub-Committee may, having regard to the application for a Review and any relevant representations, take such of the following steps as it considers appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives:
 - Modify the Conditions of the Licence.
 - Exclude a licensable activity from the scope of the Licence.
 - Remove the Designated Premises Supervisor.
 - Suspend the Licence for a period not exceeding three months.
 - Revoke the Licence.

The licensing authority may decide that no action is appropriate if it finds that the Review does not require it to take any steps that are appropriate to promote the licensing objectives.

3.3 APPLICATION

- 3.4 An application has been received from the Licensing Authority to review the Premises Licence for the premises known as The Venue. The grounds for review are in relation to evidence of drug taking at the premises, breaches of the Premises Licence conditions and the fire exits being blocked.
- 3.5 Further information to support the above grounds for the Review is included within the application which is available.

3.6 REPRESENTATIONS

Merseyside Police

In respect of this application, a representation has been received from Merseyside Police which supports the application to Review the Premises Licence made by the Licensing Authority. A copy of the representation is available.

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

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

4.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

4.1 There are no specific implications arising from this report.

5.0 LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

5.1 A decision of this Committee can be subject to Appeal.

6.0 RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS: ICT, STAFFING AND ASSETS

6.1 There are no specific implications arising from this report.

7.0 RELEVANT RISKS

7.1 There are none arising directly from this report.

8.0 ENGAGEMENT/CONSULTATION

8.1 Statutory consultation has been undertaken in respect of this application.

9.0 EQUALITY IMPLICATIONS

9.1 Has the potential impact of your proposal(s) been reviewed with regard to equality?No because there is no relevance to equality.

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APPENDICES

None

REFERENCE MATERIAL

• Application for a Review of a Premises Licence

SUBJECT HISTORY (last 3 years)

Council Meeting	Date

Location of Premises

