WIRRAL COUNCIL

LICENSING ACT 2003 COMMITTEE LICENSING ACT 2003 SUB-COMMITTEE - 14 JUNE 2007

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF REGENERATION

NAME OF PREMISES: MURCO COSTCUTTER, LEASOWE ROAD,

WALLASEY

NAME OF SECRETARY: MURCO PETROLEUM LIMITED

1.0 **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

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

2.0 RELEVANT BACKGROUND

2.1 These premises currently have a premises licence with the following hours:

Supply of Alcohol

Monday to Saturday 11.00am to 11.00pm Sunday 12.00noon to 10.30pm

3.0 **APPLICATION**

3.1 The application to vary the Premises Licence is as follows:

Supply of Alcohol

Sunday to Saturday 24 Hours

Hours Open to the Public

Sunday to Saturday 24 Hours

Late Night Refreshment

Sunday to Saturday 11.00pm to 5.00am

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 detailing the steps proposed by the applicant is available.
- 4.2 Members of the Licensing Act 2003 Sub-Committee are advised that the proposals set out in the operating schedule would become conditions of licence should the licence be granted.

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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 22 representations have been received from Local Residents. The representations relate to the potential for public nuisance and anti-social behaviour. A petition containing 30 signatures has also been received. Copies of the representations and the petition are available.

Interested Party – Ward Councillors

Ward Councillors have also made representations to the application which supports the views expressed by the local residents. A copy of the representation is available.

Merseyside Police

Merseyside Police have made a representation in respect of this application concerning crime and disorder. A copy of the representation is available together with incident logs in relation to the surrounding area.

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

Fire Authority
Wirral Area Child Protection Committee
Trading Standards
Environmental Health
Planning 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 Wallasey 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.

PLANNING IMPLICATIONS 12.0

12.1 There are no planning implications.

13.0 **BACKGROUND PAPERS**

- Application form applying to vary a Premises Licence Operating Schedule. 13.1
- 13.2 Representation received from Ward Councillors.
- 13.3 Representations received from Local Residents.

14.0 **RECOMMENDATIONS**

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

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