LICENSING ACT 2003 COMMITTEE LICENSING ACT 2003 SUB-COMMITTEE – 10 AUGUST 2007

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF REGENERATION

NAME OF PREMISES: BIRKENHEAD PARK RUGBY UNION FOOTBALL CLUB, PARK ROAD NORTH, BIRKENHEAD NAME OF SECRETARY: PETER GREVILLE

1.0 **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

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

2.0 **RELEVANT BACKGROUND**

2.1 The premises currently have the benefit of a Club Premises Certificate with the following hours:

Supply of Alcohol

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

2.2 An application has now been received to vary the Club Premises Certificate.

3.0 APPLICATION

3.1 The application to vary the Club Premises Certificate is as follows:

Supply of Alcohol

Monday to Saturday	11.00am to 12.30am
Sunday	12.00noon to 10.30pm

Hours Open to Members and their Guests

Monday to Saturday	8.00am to 1.30am
Sunday	9.00am to 12.00midnight

Regulated Entertainment (Live Music)

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

The Secretary of the Club, Peter Greville, has indicated within the application that Live Music is to be used for occasional functions only.

Regulated Entertainment (Recorded Music)

Monday to Saturday	11.00am to 12.30am
Sunday	12.00noon to 10.30pm

Non-standard Timing:

New Years Eve:

Supply of Alcohol and Regulated Entertainment - 11.00am to 3.00am Hours Open to Members and their Guests – 8.00am to 4.00am

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 variation 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 12 representations have been received from local residents. The representations relate to loud noise from music emanating from the premises and anti-social behaviour from customers leaving the premises at a late hour. Copies of the representation are available.

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

Merseyside Police Environmental Health Fire Authority Wirral Area Child Protection Committee Trading Standards 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 Claughton 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 in respect of this application.

13.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

- 13.1 Application form applying to vary a Club Premises Certificate Operating Schedule.
- 13.2 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 Club Premises Certificate in respect of the above premises.

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