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Notice of Meeting

Dear Member

Licensing Panel

The **Licensing Panel** will meet in the **Virtual Meeting - online** at **10.00 am** on **Monday 19 April 2021**.

This meeting will be live webcast. To access the webcast please go to the Council's website at the time of the meeting and follow the instructions on the page.

The items which will be discussed are described in the agenda and there are reports attached which give more details.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Julie Muscroft', on a light-colored background.

Julie Muscroft

Service Director – Legal, Governance and Commissioning

Kirklees Council advocates openness and transparency as part of its democratic processes. Anyone wishing to record (film or audio) the public parts of the meeting should inform the Chair/Clerk of their intentions prior to the meeting.

The Licensing Panel members are:-

Member

Councillor Amanda Pinnock (Chair)

Councillor Michelle Grainger-Mead

Councillor David Hall

Agenda

Reports or Explanatory Notes Attached

Pages

1: Interests

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The Councillors will be asked to say if there are any items on the Agenda in which they have disclosable pecuniary interests, which would prevent them from participating in any discussion of the items or participating in any vote upon the items, or any other interests.

2: Admission of the Public

Most debates take place in public. This only changes when there is a need to consider certain issues, for instance, commercially sensitive information or details concerning an individual. You will be told at this point whether there are any items on the Agenda which are to be discussed in private.

3: Deputations/Petitions

The Committee will receive any petitions and hear any deputations from members of the public. A deputation is where up to five people can attend the meeting and make a presentation on some particular issue of concern. A member of the public can also hand in a petition at the meeting but that petition should relate to something on which the body has powers and responsibilities.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 10 (2), Members of the Public should provide at least 24 hours' notice of presenting a deputation.

4: Application for the Grant of a Premises Licence: Blue Convenience Store, 4-6 Crackenedge Lane, Dewsbury, WF13 1PT

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To determine the application at 10:00am.

Contact: Mike Skelton, Licensing Officer, Licensing Service
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KIRKLEES COUNCIL			
COUNCIL/CABINET/COMMITTEE MEETINGS ETC			
DECLARATION OF INTERESTS			
Licensing Panel			
Name of Councillor			
Item in which you have an interest	Type of interest (eg a disclosable pecuniary interest or an "Other Interest")	Does the nature of the interest require you to withdraw from the meeting while the item in which you have an interest is under consideration? [Y/N]	Brief description of your interest

Signed: Dated:

NOTES

Disclosable Pecuniary Interests

If you have any of the following pecuniary interests, they are your disclosable pecuniary interests under the new national rules. Any reference to spouse or civil partner includes any person with whom you are living as husband or wife, or as if they were your civil partner.

Any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain, which you, or your spouse or civil partner, undertakes.

Any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from your council or authority) made or provided within the relevant period in respect of any expenses incurred by you in carrying out duties as a member, or towards your election expenses.

Any contract which is made between you, or your spouse or your civil partner (or a body in which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, has a beneficial interest) and your council or authority -

- under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed; and
- which has not been fully discharged.

Any beneficial interest in land which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, have and which is within the area of your council or authority.

Any licence (alone or jointly with others) which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, holds to occupy land in the area of your council or authority for a month or longer.

Any tenancy where (to your knowledge) - the landlord is your council or authority; and the tenant is a body in which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, has a beneficial interest.

Any beneficial interest which you, or your spouse or your civil partner has in securities of a body where -

- (a) that body (to your knowledge) has a place of business or land in the area of your council or authority; and
- (b) either -

the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body; or

if the share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, has a beneficial interest exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.

Name of meeting: Licensing Panel

Date: Wednesday 31st March 2021

Title of report: Licensing Act 2003 – Application for the Grant of a Premises Licence: Blue Convenience Store, 4-6 Crackenedge Lane, Dewsbury, WF13 1PT

Purpose of report: To determine the application

Key Decision - Is it likely to result in spending or saving £250k or more, or to have a significant effect on two or more electoral wards?	Not applicable
Key Decision - Is it in the Council's Forward Plan (key decisions and private reports?)	Not applicable
The Decision - Is it eligible for call in by Scrutiny?	Not applicable
Date signed off by <u>Strategic Director</u> & name	Fiona Goldsmith as agreed by Sue Proctor
Is it also signed off by the Service Director (Finance)?	Not applicable
Is it also signed off by the Service Director for Legal Governance and Commissioning?	Not applicable
Cabinet member portfolio	Cllr Paul Davies

Electoral wards affected: Dewsbury East

Ward councillors consulted: Cllr Eric Firth
 Cllr Cathy Scott
 Cllr Aleks Lukic

Public or private: **Public**

GDPR Implications:

GDPR has been considered and appropriate sections of the report have been amended.

1 Summary

The purpose of this report is to inform Members of an application for the grant of a premises license, which as a result of representations received, has been referred to this Panel for determination.

2 Information required to take a decision

2.1 Application

2.1.1 On 21st January 2021, the Licensing department received an application for the grant of a premises licence for the Blue Convenience Store. The application was made by JMC Licensing Consultants on behalf of the applicant. A copy of this application may be seen at **Appendix A**.

2.1.2 The licensable activities applied for by the applicant are as follows;

the supply of alcohol for consumption off the premises, 7 days a week from 08:00hrs to 23:00hrs.

2.1.3 During the consultation period, one representation was received. The representation was from West Yorkshire Police. This representation was received on 1st February 2021 but was subsequently withdrawn as the Police wanted to seek clarification on the relevance of any criminal convictions that were deemed spent under the Rehabilitation of offender's act. Having obtained this clarification, The Police resubmitted their representation on 4th February 2021. On 11th February 2021, further correspondence was received from the Police. This correspondence was a series of photographs that they had obtained and wanted to exhibit these alongside their representation. The application was also served on the responsible authorities and local ward councillors, to which none objected within the specified timeframe. The representation from the Police considers that the following licensing objectives would not be met should this licence be granted:

- Public Safety
- Prevention of Crime and Disorder

A copy of the representation and supporting documents may be seen at **Appendix B**

2.2 Licensing Policy

Members considering the application should take note of the Authority's Statement of Licensing Policy, which provides the following guidance on how Members should approach the application and representation:

1.0 – Executive Summary

1.2 In exercising its duties and responsibilities under the terms of the Licensing Act 2003, the Council will operate within the statements and procedures mentioned in this policy statement. Notwithstanding this statement, all applications will be treated on their merits and judged accordingly. The council will have regard to any relevant guidance issued by the Secretary of State exercising its powers under the Act.

2.0 – Purpose and Scope of the Licensing Policy

2.7 The Licensing Authority recognises that each licence application must be considered on its own individual merits in the context of the four licensing objectives, and that unless relevant representations are received from responsible authority's or interested parties, there is no provision for a Licensing Authority to impose conditions on a licence other than those proposed within an application. Only conditions which have been volunteered by the applicant or which have been determined at a Licensing Panel hearing can be attached to a licence or certificate. If no relevant representations are made in respect of an application, the Licensing Authority is obliged to issue the licence on the terms sought.

Licensing Objectives.

1. Public Safety
2. Prevention of crime & disorder
3. Prevention of public nuisance
4. Protection of children from harm

2.3 Secretary of State Guidance

Members also need to consider statutory guidance issued, by the Secretary of State, under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003. As the representations relate to all four licensing objectives, Members attention is drawn to Section 2 of this Guidance, the relevant parts of which may be found at **Appendix C**.

3 Implications for the Council

3.1 Working with People

Residents of Kirklees need to be confident that under the Licensing Act 2003 licence holders under the Licensing Act 2003 are in a position to uphold the four licensing objectives. The committee is required to take appropriate and necessary action against licence holders where they fall short of their duties under the Licensing Act 2003. This will support both the licensing objectives and support the corporate outcomes of citizens in Kirklees living in cohesive communities, feeling safe and protected from harm.

3.2 Working with Partners

The Council's licensing team work closely with partnering agencies, named 'Responsible Authorities' under the Licensing Act 2003. Responsible authorities include Planning, West Yorkshire Police, Trading Standards, Environmental Health, Fire Service, and Safe Guarding Children team.

3.3 Place Based Working

Working closely with Responsible Authorities the Licensing Authority can address issues within the districts that make up Kirklees.

3.4 Improving outcomes for children

A key objective of the Licensing Act is the protection of children from harm, and any decision made by the Council, in its capacity as Licensing Authority, will have to have regard to this objective.

3.5 Other (e.g. Legal/Financial or Human Resources)

In determining the application Members should have regard to the Authority's licensing policy statement and the Secretary of State's Guidance. The applicant or any other person who made relevant representations in relation to the application have a right of appeal to the Magistrates' court.

4 Consultees and their opinions

Consultation has taken place in accordance with the Act. There have been no matters arising from responsible authorities.

5 Next steps and timelines

5.1 When determining the application Members, having had regard to the representation, may take such steps as they consider appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives. The steps are

- grant the application,
- grant the application with the appropriate conditions,
- exclude from the scope of the licence any of the licensable activities which relate to this application, or
- reject the application

5.2 Findings on any issues of fact should be on the balance of probability.

5.3 In arriving at a decision Members must have regard to the relevant provisions of statutory guidance and the licensing policy statement and reasons must be given for any departure.

5.4 The decision should be based on the individual merits of the application.

6 Officer recommendations and reasons

6.1 Members of the Panel are requested to determine the application

7 Cabinet portfolio holder's recommendations

Not applicable

8 Contact officer

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9 Background Papers and History of Decisions

- 9.1 Appendix A – Application for the Grant of a Premise Licence from Blue Convenience Store
- 9.2 Appendix B – Representation from West Yorkshire Police
- 9.3 Appendix C – Relevant sections of Secretary of State Guidance – Section 182 of Licensing Act 2003

10 Service Director responsible

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Appendix A

Application for a premises licence to be granted under the Licensing Act 2003

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

I/We

(Insert name(s) of applicant)

apply for a premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 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

Part 1 – Premises details

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description <u>Blue Convenience Store</u> 4-6 Crackenedge Street,			
Post town	Dewsbury,	Postcode	WF13 1PT
Telephone number at premises (if any)		[REDACTED]	
Non-domestic rateable value of premises		£ 11,750.00	

Part 2 - Applicant details

- | | |
|---|---|
| Please state whether you are applying for a premises licence as | Please tick as appropriate |
| a) an individual or individuals * | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> please complete section (A) |
| b) a person other than an individual * | |
| i as a limited company/limited liability partnership | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| ii as a partnership (other than limited liability) | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| iii as an unincorporated association or | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| iv other (for example a statutory corporation) | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| c) a recognised club | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| d) a charity | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| e) the proprietor of an educational establishment | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| f) a health service body | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |

- g) a person who is registered under Part 2 of the Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respect of an independent hospital in Wales please complete section (B)
- ga) a person who is registered under Chapter 2 of Part 1 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 (within the meaning of that Part) in an independent hospital in England please complete section (B)
- h) the chief officer of police of a police force in England and Wales please complete section (B)

* If you are applying as a person described in (a) or (b) please confirm (by ticking yes to one box below):

I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves the use of the premises for licensable activities; or

I am making the application pursuant to a statutory function or

a function discharged by virtue of Her Majesty's prerogative

(A) INDIVIDUAL APPLICANTS (fill in as applicable)

Mr <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mrs <input type="checkbox"/>	Miss <input type="checkbox"/>	Ms <input type="checkbox"/>	Other Title (for example, Rev)	
Surname [REDACTED]			First names [REDACTED]		
Date of birth: [REDACTED]		I am 18 years old or over		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Please tick yes
Nationality: [REDACTED]					
Current residential address if different from premises address		[REDACTED]			
Post town	[REDACTED]	Postcode	[REDACTED]		
Daytime contact telephone number		[REDACTED]			
E-mail address (optional)		[REDACTED]			

SECOND INDIVIDUAL APPLICANT (if applicable)

Mr <input type="checkbox"/>	Mrs <input type="checkbox"/>	Miss <input type="checkbox"/>	Ms <input type="checkbox"/>	Other Title (for example, Rev)	
Surname			First names		
Date of birth		I am 18 years old or over		<input type="checkbox"/>	Please tick yes
Nationality					
Current postal address if different from premises address					
Post town		Postcode			
Daytime contact telephone number					

E-mail address (optional)	
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(B) OTHER APPLICANTS

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

Name
Address
Registered number (where applicable)
Description of applicant (for example, partnership, company, unincorporated association etc.)
Telephone number (if any)
E-mail address (optional)

Part 3 Operating Schedule

When do you want the premises licence to start?

DD	M	YYY
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If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, when do you want it to end?

DD	M	YYYY

<p>Please give a general description of the premises (please read guidance note 1)</p> <p>Large continental convenience store situated on a main road, in the town centre</p>

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

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What licensable activities do you intend to carry on from the premises?

(please see sections 1 and 14 and Schedules 1 and 2 to the Licensing Act 2003)

Provision of regulated entertainment (please read guidance note 2)

Please tick all that apply

- a) plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)
- b) films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)
- c) indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C)
- d) boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)
- e) live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)
- f) recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)
- g) performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)
- h) anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H)

Provision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box I)

Supply of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box J) X

In all cases complete boxes K, L and M

A

Plays Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			<u>Will the performance of a play take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 3)		Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 4)			
Mon						
Tue						
			<u>State any seasonal variations for performing plays</u> (please read guidance note 5)			
Wed						
Thur						
			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of plays at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 6)			
Fri						
Sat						
Sun						

B

Films Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			Will the exhibition of films take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 4)		
Mon					
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for the exhibition of films (please read guidance note 5)		
Thur					
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the exhibition of films at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 6)		
Sat					
Sun					

C

Indoor sporting events Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			<u>Please give further details</u> (please read guidance note 4)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon			<u>State any seasonal variations for indoor sporting events</u> (please read guidance note 5)
Tue			
Wed			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for indoor sporting events at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 6)
Thur			
Fri			
Sat			
Sun			

D

Boxing or wrestling entertainments Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			<u>Will the boxing or wrestling entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 3)		Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 4)			
Mon						
Tue			<u>State any seasonal variations for boxing or wrestling entertainment</u> (please read guidance note 5)			
Wed						
Thur			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for boxing or wrestling entertainment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 6)			
Fri						
Sat						
Sun						

E

Live music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			Will the performance of live music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 4)		
Mon					
Tue			State any seasonal variations for the performance of live music (please read guidance note 5)		
Wed					
Thur			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of live music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 6)		
Fri					
Sat					
Sun					

F

Recorded music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 4)		
Mon					
Tue			State any seasonal variations for the playing of recorded music (please read guidance note 5)		
Wed					
Thur			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the playing of recorded music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 6)		
Fri					
Sat					
Sun					

G

Performances of dance Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			<u>Will the performance of dance take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish			
Mon			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 4)		
Tue					
Wed			<u>State any seasonal variations for the performance of dance</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Thur					
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of dance at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Sat					
Sun					

H

Anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			Please give a description of the type of entertainment you will be providing		
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Will this entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 4)		
Wed					
Thur					
Fri			<u>State any seasonal variations for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g)</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat					
Sun					
			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 6)		

I

Late night refreshment Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			Will the provision of late night refreshment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 3)		Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 4)			
Mon						
Tue			<u>State any seasonal variations for the provision of late night refreshment</u> (please read guidance note 5)			
Wed						
Thur			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of late night refreshment at different times, to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 6)			
Fri						
Sat						
Sun						

J

Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption – please tick (please read guidance note 8)	On the premises	<input type="checkbox"/>			
				Off the premises	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>			
Day	Start	Finish	State any seasonal variations for the supply of alcohol (please read guidance note 5)					
Mon	08.00	23.00						
Tue	08.00	23.00						
Wed	08.00	23.00						
Thur	08.00	23.00				Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the supply of alcohol at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 6)		
Fri	08.00	23.00						
Sat	08.00	23.00						
Sun	08.00	23.00						

State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as designated premises supervisor (Please see declaration about the entitlement to work in the checklist at the end of the form):

Name ████████████████████	
Date of birth: ██████████	Place of birth: ██████████
Nationality: ██████████	
Address ████████████████████ ████████████████████	
Postcode	██████████
Personal licence number (if known) ████████████████████	
Issuing licensing authority (if known) ████████████████████	

K

Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 9).

None

L

Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 5)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon	08.00		Non standard timings. Where you intend the premises to be open to the public at different times from those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 6)
		23.00	
Tue	08.00		
		23.00	
Wed	08.00		
		23.00	
Thur	08.00		
		23.00	
Fri	08.00		
		23.00	
Sat	08.00		
		23.00	
Sun	08.00		
		23.00	

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

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b, c, d and e) (please read guidance note 10)

1. CCTV

1.1 The premises shall install and maintain a CCTV system with 8 cameras

1.2. The CCTV system shall have sufficient hard drive storage capacity to store a minimum of 31 days.

1.3The CCTV system shall be capable of obtaining clear facial recognition images and a clear head and shoulders image of every person entering or leaving the premises at each exit and entrance point.

1.4 A CCTV log will be completed on a weekly basis to record all elements of the CCTV System is maintained in good working order and recordings date and time stamped.

1.5 Only nominated staff shall be trained in the operation of the CCTV system to ensure rapid data retrieval & downloads of footage can be provided to the Police & the Local Authority Officer upon reasonable request in accordance with the Data Protection Act.

1.6 CCTV shall be continually recording during licensable hours

1.7 In the event of a failure of the CCTV system for any reason, a record of the failure will be recorded in the premises log and immediate steps will be made to rectify the problem.

1.8 Proxy signs will be sited on the premises to deter proxy sales on behalf of under 18's.

1.9 The DPS will provide training to staff in relation to alcohol sales and to authorise the employees the DPS considers competent to sell alcohol on their behalf in writing. A written sale of Alcohol register will be maintained at the premises.

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

2. Incident / Refusals Register

2.1 An incident log must be kept at the premises. Log records will be retained for a period of 12 months from the date it occurred. It will be made immediately available on request to an 'authorised person' (as defined by section 13 of the Licensing Act 2003), an authorised trading standards officer or the police, and must record the following;

(a) All crimes reported to the premises (where relevant to the licensing objectives)

(c) Any incidents of disorder

3. When the designated premises supervisor is not on duty, a contact telephone number will be available at all times.

4. All spirits will be stored and sold behind the counter.

5. Metal security shutters have been installed at the front and a steel security door at the rear of the premises.

c) Public safety

No risk has been assessed under the Licensing Act 2003

d) The prevention of public nuisance

6. Prominent, clear and legible signage shall be displayed at all exits to the premises requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to leave the premises and the area quickly and quietly. (Quiet Notice)

e) The protection of children from harm

7. A written register of refusals will be kept including a description of the people who have been unable to provide required identification to prove their age. Such records shall be kept for a period of 12 months and will be collected by the designated premises supervisor and produced to the police or an 'authorised person' (as defined by section 13 of the licensing act 2003) or an authorised trading standards officer the local authority/council on demand.

8. All staff engaged in the sale of alcohol to be trained in Challenge 25. Training records shall be kept on the premises and produced to the police or an 'authorised person' (as defined by section 13 of the licensing act 2003) or an authorised trading standards officer of the local authority/council on demand

9. Challenge 25

9.1 The premises shall operate a Challenge 25 policy. Such policy shall be written down and kept at the premises. The policy shall be produced on demand of the police or an 'authorised person' (as defined by section 13 of the licensing act 2003) or an authorised trading standards officer the local authority/council.

9.2 Prominent, clear and legible Challenge 25 signage shall also be displayed at all entrances to the premises as well as at, at least one location behind any counter advertising the scheme operated.

9.3 Proxy signs will be fitted near to all alcohol P.O.S positions warning people not to buy alcohol for children.

Checklist:

Please tick to indicate agreement

- I have made or enclosed payment of the fee. X
- I have enclosed the plan of the premises. X
- I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable. □
Electronic application
- I have enclosed the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be designated premises supervisor, if applicable. X
- I understand that I must now advertise my application. X
- I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected. X
- X
[Applicable to all individual applicants, including those in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership, but not companies or limited liability partnerships] I have included documents demonstrating my entitlement to work in the United Kingdom (please read note 15).

It is an offence, under section 158 of the licensing act 2003, to make a false statement in or in connection with this application. Those who make a false statement may be liable on summary conviction to a fine of any amount.

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

Part 4 – Signatures (please read guidance note 11)

Signature of applicant or applicant’s solicitor or other duly authorised agent (see guidance note 12). **If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.**






Declaration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • [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)
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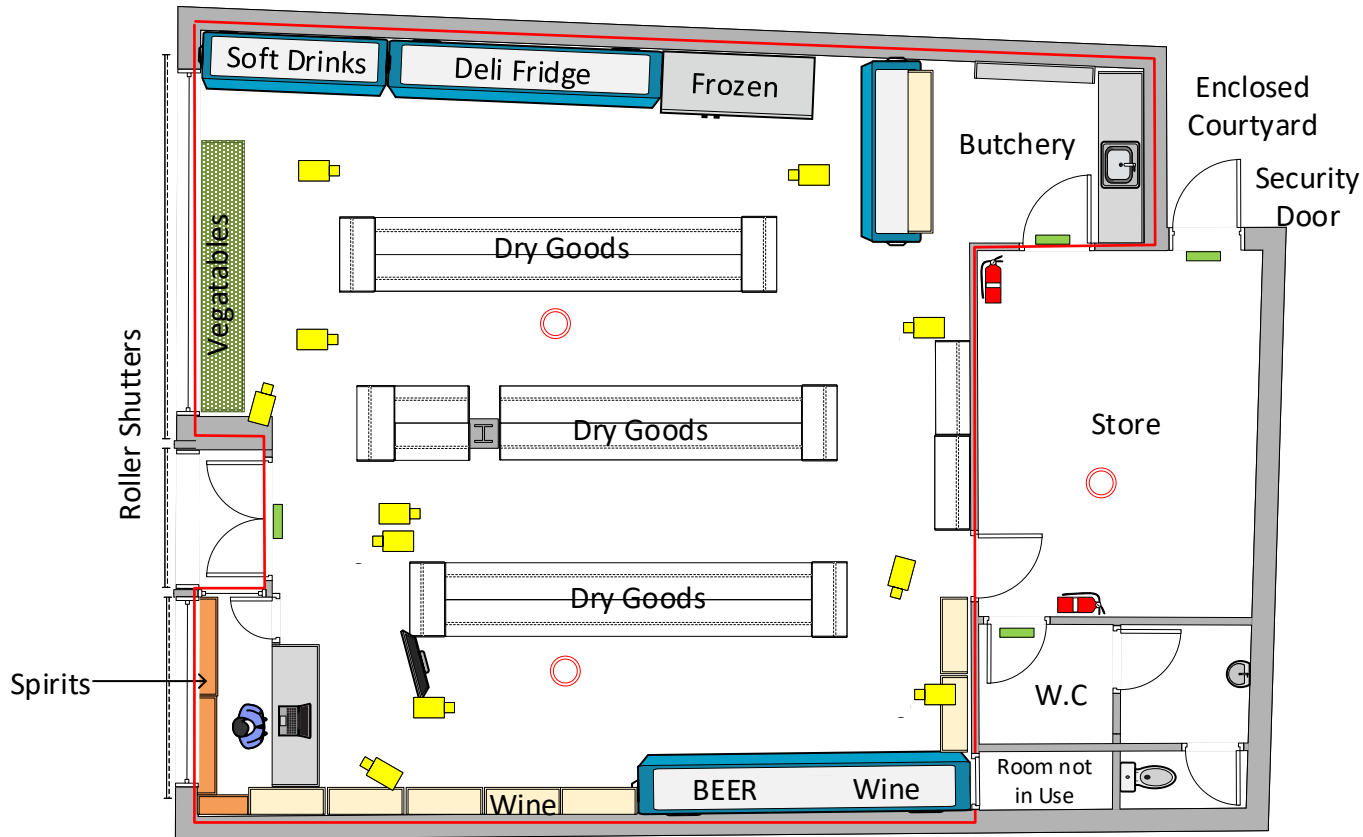
Signature	██████████
Date	20 th January 2021
Capacity	Agent on behalf of the applicant

For joint applications, signature of 2nd applicant or 2nd applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent (please read guidance note 13). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

Signature	
Date	
Capacity	

Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 14) Tony Clarke JMC Licensing Consultants, ██████████			
Post town	██████████	Postcode	██████████
Telephone number (if any)	██████████		
If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail, your e-mail address (optional) ██████████			

LEGEND	Smoke Detector		Fire Bell		Fire Exit	
	Camera		Fire Ext. Water		Monitor	
					Licensable Area	



Drawing Purpose

PREMISES LICENCE APPLICATION

Drawing Details

The purpose of this drawing is for the submission of a Premises Licence Application.
All Measurements have been drawn in millimetres.
This drawing is not be used for the intention of any building, shop fitting or construction purposes.

Name of Premises

Blue Convenience Store

Premises Address

**4-6 Crackenedge Lane
Dewsbury
WF13 1PT**

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Appendix B

Mike Skelton

From: Woodhead, Richard [REDACTED]
Sent: 10 February 2021 12:06
To: Mike Skelton
Cc: Jagger, Kathryn
Subject: OBJECTION TO CRACKENEDGE LANE LICENCE APPLICATION. [OFFICIAL]

Classification: OFFICIAL

Good Afternoon,

As you will be aware West Yorkshire police initially objected to this application, but lifted the objection until clarity was sought on the use of spent convictions in presenting evidence to the panel. Spent convictions cannot be regarded in the issuing of a personal licence, but nowhere in the licensing act does it state such previous convictions cannot be used in considering a premises licence application.

West Yorkshire police therefore wish to object to the grant of a premises licence, to be known as:

Blue Convenience Store.
4/6 Crackenedge Lane,
Dewsbury
WF13 1PT.

The reason behind the objection is that we feel granting this licence to [REDACTED] would seriously impact on both the crime and disorder licensing objective as well as the public safety objective.

[REDACTED] has been convicted of selling illegal, none duty paid tobacco products in the past. [REDACTED] shop was in [REDACTED] but [REDACTED] given address is [REDACTED]. In the application made to Kirklees his given address still is the same one in [REDACTED].

The licence holder in question is :

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] address at the time of conviction was

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] has given a personal licence number of [REDACTED], Issued by [REDACTED] Council.

[REDACTED] was convicted of the following offences at [REDACTED] magistrates for selling illegal tobacco products from [REDACTED] store in [REDACTED]. The date of the convictions were 23rd March 2018

2x separate offences of producing/ supplying a tobacco product with no health warnings.
10x separate offences of possession of goods with false trademarks for sale or hire.

Email from [REDACTED] Trading Standards to [REDACTED] police after I requested further information on the convictions.

From: Karen Woad [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: 28 January 2021 07:21
To: Chapman, Garry 2249 < [REDACTED]>
Subject: RE: West Yorkshire police enquiry [OFFICIAL]

Morning Garry

I've attached our court summary for [REDACTED] [REDACTED] pleaded guilty to 12 offences on [REDACTED] following a raid on [REDACTED]

It was the most elaborate concealment that we have ever encountered – a custom-made cupboard beneath a sink with a magnetic closure, probably still under construction. We only really found it as they were in the process of filling it up when we raided! To add to the deliberate concealment element, there was also a pack of about 20 garlic bulbs on the base, presumably to try and put a sniffer dog off the scent...

In total, there were 17840 cigarettes and 6.25kg of HRT forfeited by the court.

Please feel free to get back to me if you need anything more

Best wishes
Karen

Karen Woad
Trading Standards Officer
Trading Standards | Waste & Public Protection | [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Court Summary

[REDACTED]

The defendant attended Court today represented by [REDACTED] Solicitor and pleaded guilty to all 12 charges.

The matter was stood down for probation to do a report. District Judge Hopkinson gave [REDACTED] a 12 month Community Order, with one requirement of unpaid work. The Judge gave 100 hours unpaid work for 4 of the offences and 150 hours unpaid work for the remaining 8 all to run concurrently so the defendant would have to do 150 hours in total over the next 12 months. [REDACTED] was ordered to pay £360 investigation costs and £250 costs at £20pw commencing in 14 days and he made a Collection Order. Court made a forfeiture and destruction order.

[REDACTED] admitted the offences by pleading guilty.

Because of these convictions as well as his actions in concealing illegal products destined for retail to the general public, the we must object to [REDACTED] taking over a business within Kirklees. [REDACTED] previous actions have proven [REDACTED] to be a threat to public safety, as well has having complete disregard to the crime and disorder objective.

Best Wishes

R.Woodhead

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Appendix C

Relevant Sections of Secretary of State Guidance – Under Section 182 of Licensing Act 2003

Public nuisance

2.15 The 2003 Act enables licensing authorities and responsible authorities, through representations, to consider what constitutes public nuisance and what is appropriate to prevent it in terms of conditions attached to specific premises licences and club premises certificates. It is therefore important that in considering the promotion of this licensing objective, licensing authorities and responsible authorities focus on the effect of the licensable activities at the specific premises on persons living and working (including those carrying on business) in the area around the premises which may be disproportionate and unreasonable. The issues will mainly concern noise nuisance.

2.16 Public nuisance is given a statutory meaning in many pieces of legislation. It is however not narrowly defined in the 2003 Act and retains its broad common law meaning. It may include in appropriate circumstances the reduction of the living and working amenity and environment of other persons living and working in the area of the licensed premises. Public nuisance may also arise as a result of the adverse effects of artificial light, dust, odour and insects or where its effect is prejudicial to health.

2.17 Conditions relating to noise nuisance will usually concern steps appropriate to control the levels of noise emanating from premises. This might be achieved by a simple measure such as ensuring that doors and windows are kept closed after a particular time, or persons are not permitted in garden areas of the premises after a certain time. More sophisticated measures like the installation of acoustic curtains or rubber speaker mounts to mitigate sound escape from the premises may be appropriate. However, conditions in relation to live or recorded music may not be enforceable in circumstances where the entertainment activity itself is not licensable (see chapter 16). Any conditions appropriate to promote the prevention of public nuisance should be tailored to the type, nature and characteristics of the specific premises and its licensable activities. Licensing authorities should avoid inappropriate or disproportionate measures that could deter events that are valuable to the community, such as live music. Noise limiters, for example, are expensive to purchase and install and are likely to be a considerable burden for smaller venues.

2.18 As with all conditions, those relating to noise nuisance may not be appropriate in certain circumstances where provisions in other legislation adequately protect those living in the area of the premises. But as stated earlier in this Guidance, the approach of licensing authorities and responsible authorities should be one of prevention and when their powers are engaged, licensing authorities should be aware of the fact that other legislation may not adequately cover concerns raised in relevant representations and additional conditions may be appropriate.

2.19 Where applications have given rise to representations, any appropriate conditions should normally focus on the most sensitive periods. For example, the most sensitive period for people being disturbed by unreasonably loud music is at night and into the morning.

2.20 Measures to control light pollution will also require careful thought. Bright lighting outside premises which is considered appropriate to prevent crime and disorder may itself give rise to light pollution for some neighbours. Applicants, licensing authorities and responsible authorities will need to balance these issues.

2.21 Beyond the immediate area surrounding the premises, these are matters for the personal responsibility of individuals under the law. An individual who engages in anti-social behaviour is accountable in their own right. However, it would be perfectly reasonable for a licensing authority to impose a condition, following relevant representations, that requires the licence holder or club to place signs at the exits from the building encouraging patrons to be quiet until they leave the area, or that, if they wish to smoke, to do so at designated places on the premises instead of outside, and to respect the rights of people living nearby to a peaceful night.

Dear Nick/ Licensing/ Mike.

After our conversation on Thursday after the hearing I can confirm the below additional conditions have been agreed between West Yorkshire police and the applicants representative. All other conditions that were supplied by the applicant on their original application for grant must also be placed upon the licence.

- 1) The DPS must be contactable at all times when licensable activities are taking place,.
- 2) The DPS must inform West Yorkshire police licensing Department, Kirklees Division, of any foreign travel seven days before departure.
- 3) A personal licence holder must be on duty at all time when licensable activities take place
- 4) No none duty paid products to be on the premises at any time. This also includes any members of staff who may bring such products into the shop for personal use.

As well as the cctv conditions volunteered on the application the following condition needs to be attached.

CCTV to cover all entrances and exits, as well as all storage areas under the control of the store.

These conditions have been agreed, and are considered reasonable and proportionate.

R.Woodhead West Yorkshire Police Licensing Officer.

Dear All,

All agreed.
Thank you very much

Kind Regards
Director at The Licensing Guys Ltd

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