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Decision Summary

Committee:

Date:

Committee Clerk:

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LICENSING PANEL

WEDNESDAY 23 AUGUST 2023

Nicola Sylvester

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Chair

Councillor Amanda Pinnock

Councillors Attended

Councillor Ammar Anwar

Councillor Donna Bellamy

Attendees

Tahir Hanif, Senior Legal Officer

Mike Skelton, Senior Licensing Officer

Apologies

Councillor Zarina Amin

1 Site Visit

Site Visit in respect of Bankgate Mills, Bankgate, Slaithwaite, Huddersfield, HD7 5DL to be undertaken.

The site visit was undertaken by Councillor Ammar Anwar.

2 Minutes of Previous Meeting

To approve the Minutes of the meeting of the Panel held on the 5th June 2023.

That the minutes of the meeting held on the 5th June 2023 be approved as a correct record.

3 Declaration of Interests

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

Councillor Donna Bellamy declared an other interest in relation to agenda item 7 as a previous Ward Councillor for the Colne Valley Ward.

4 Admission of the Public

Most agenda items take place in public. This only changes where there is a need to consider exempt information, as contained at Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972. You will be informed at this point which items are to be recommended for exclusion and to be resolved by the Panel.

All agenda items were considered in public.

5 Deputations/Petitions

The Panel will receive any petitions and/or 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 submit a petition at the meeting relating to a matter on which the body has powers and responsibilities.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 10, Members of the Public must submit a deputation in writing, at least three clear working days in advance of the meeting and shall subsequently be notified if the deputation shall be heard. A maximum of four deputations shall be heard at any one meeting.

No deputations or petitions were received.

6 Public Question Time

To receive any public questions.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 11, the period for the asking and answering of public questions shall not exceed 15 minutes.

Any questions must be submitted in writing at least three clear working days in advance of the meeting.

Please note that in line with pre-election rules, questions relating to the Batley East Ward and By-Election issues will not be heard.

No public questions were asked.

7 Licensing Act 2003 - Application for the Grant of a Premises Licence: Bankgate Mills, Bankgate, Slaithwaite, Huddersfield, HD7 5DL

To consider the application at 13:00pm.

Contact: Mike Skelton, Senior Licensing Officer. Tel: 01484 221000

RESOLVED:

That the application for the Grant of a Premises License, Bankgate Mills, Bankgate, Slaithwaite, Huddersfield, HD7 5DL be refused.

The reasons for the Panel's decision was that the following licensing objectives will not be met:

1. Protection of children from harm
 2. Public Safety
 3. Prevention of public nuisance
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