



Minutes of the Licensing Sub-Committee

2 November 2017

-: Present :-

Councillors Doggett, Thomas (D) and Thomas (J)

60. Election of Chairman/woman

Councillor Thomas (J) was elected as Chairman for the meeting.

61. Minutes

The Minutes of the meetings of the Sub-Committee held on 14 September 2017 and 20 October 2017 were confirmed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

62. Gio's Bar, 18 Esplanade Road, Paignton

Members considered a report on an application for a Premises Licence in respect of Gio's Bar, 18 Esplanade Road, Paignton.

Written Representations received from:

Name	Details	Date of Representation
Devon & Cornwall Police	Representation in relation to licensing objectives of 'The Prevention of Crime and Disorder' and recommendations on conditions for the licence if granted.	Dated 6 October 2017
Public Protection Officer	Representation objecting to the application in relation to licensing objective 'Prevention of Public Nuisance'.	Dated 11 October 2017
Member of the Public	Representation objecting to the application on the grounds of 'The Prevention of Public Nuisance', 'Prevention of Crime and Disorder' and 'Public Safety'.	Undated

Member of the Public	Representation objecting to the application on the ground of 'The Prevention of Public Nuisance'.	Received on 21 September 2017
Member of the Public	Representation objecting to the application on the ground of 'The Prevention of Public Nuisance'.	Received on 25 September 2017
Member of the Public	Representation objecting to the application on the ground of 'The Prevention of Public Nuisance'.	Dated 25 September 2017
Member of the Public	Representation objecting to the application on the ground of 'The Prevention of Public Nuisance'.	Dated 5 October 2017
Member of the Public	Representation objecting to the application on the ground of 'The Prevention of Public Nuisance'.	Dated 24 September 2017
Member of the Public	Representation objecting to the application on the ground of 'The Prevention of Public Nuisance'.	Dated 3 October 2017
Member of the Public	Representation objecting to the application on the grounds of 'The Prevention of Public Nuisance'.	Undated
Member of the Public	Representation objecting to the application on the ground of 'The Prevention of Public Nuisance'.	Received 6 October 2017
Member of the Public	Representation objecting to the application on the ground of 'The Prevention of Public Nuisance'.	Dated 20 September 2017
Member of the Public	Representation objecting to the application on the ground of 'The Prevention of Public Nuisance' and 'The Prevention of Crime and Disorder'.	Dated 6 October 2017

Prior to the commencement of the hearing, it was noted that application had not been duly signed by an authorised person of the company, nor the required Notice stating that the Designated Premises Supervisor or Manager present, were nominated to speak on their behalf.

There was a delay to the hearing start time to allow a representative of the company to attend the hearing.

Oral Representations received from:

Name	Details
Applicants	The Applicants outlined the application and responded to Members questions. During their oral representation, the Applicants proposed changes to their application to introduce a noise limiter, the licence to be until 03.00 hours in one area of the premises with a limit to 80 people in this area and the licence for the remainder of the premises to be until 01.00 hours.
Representative from Devon & Cornwall Police	The Representative from Devon & Cornwall Police outlined the Police's representation and responded to Members' questions.
Public Protection Officer	The Public Protection Officer outlined his representation and responded to Members' questions.

In light of the Applicants proposed changes and the subsequent oral representation from the Responsible Authorities which highlighted their concerns in respect of the lack of notification or opportunity to consider the impact of these changes, the Chairman adjourned the meeting to determine whether the hearing should be adjourned to a later date to enable the Responsible Authorities sufficient time to consider and respond to that now being put forward by the Applicants.

Decision:

That the application for a premises licence in respect of Gio's Bar, 18 Esplanade Road, Paignton shall be deferred until 23 November 2017.

Reasons for decision:

Following significant proposed changes to the application by the Applicants and the subsequent oral representations from the Responsible Authorities, Members resolved that they were unable at this stage to make an informed determination on this application which ensured that the Licensing Objectives would be promoted.

At this juncture the meeting was adjourned until Thursday 23 November 2017.

Members of the public who attended the hearing were thanked for their attendance and assured of the purpose for this adjournment.

Chairman
