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10 October 2023

Worthing Licensing and Control Sub-Committee B

Date:	18 October 2023
Time:	6.30 pm
Venue:	Gordon Room, Worthing Town Hall

Committee Membership: Councillors Henna Chowdhury (Chair), Charles James and Dale Overton

Agenda

Part A

4. Licensing Act 2003 – Application for the Review of a Premises Licence under Section 51 (Pages 3 - 10)

To consider a report by the Director for Sustainability & Resources, copy attached as item 4.

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Duration of the Meeting: Three hours after the commencement of the meeting the Chairperson will adjourn the meeting to consider if it wishes to continue. A vote will be taken and a simple majority in favour will be necessary for the meeting to continue.

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Addendum – Trading Standards Email

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RE: WBC Licensing Sub-Committee Review Hearing Package - 18 October 2023

1 message

Peter Aston <peter.aston@westsussex.gov.uk>
To: Simon Jones <simon.jones@adur-worthing.gov.uk>

12 October 2023 at 12:37

Hi Simon,

I will be seeking a 3 month suspension and these would be in addition to that. Has David agreed his conditions with the Agent do you know?

Regards

Peter

Peter Aston

Trading Standards Team Manager

Trading Standards, West Sussex County Council

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From: Simon Jones <simon.jones@adur-worthing.gov.uk>

Sent: 12 October 2023 11:52**To:** Peter Aston <peter.aston@westsussex.gov.uk>**Subject:** Re: WBC Licensing Sub-Committee Review Hearing Package - 18 October 2023

****EXTERNAL****

Hi Peter

Do you want this email forwarded to the sub-committee members & the licence holder?

Are you now changing your position and seeking these conditions instead of the 3 month suspension or are these in addition?

Regards

Simon

Simon Jones

Team Leader - Licensing, Public Health & Regulation

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<http://www.adur-worthing.gov.uk/licensing-and-permits/>



On Wed, 11 Oct 2023 at 14:31, Peter Aston <peter.aston@westsussex.gov.uk> wrote:

Hi Simon,

It is my intention to ask the committee to consider the conditions below. I have not received any contact from the licence holder or their agent as yet but in the event the committee decide not to suspend or revoke, it would be good to have these agreed.

Regards

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For the Protection of Children from Harm:

The premises will operate a "Challenge 25" policy whereby any person attempting to buy alcohol or any other age restricted product who appears to be under 25 will be asked for photographic ID to prove their age.

The Premises Licence Holder shall ensure that all staff members (including family members, friends and people who are helping out on a casual or informal basis) engaged or to be engaged, in selling alcohol or any other age restricted product at the premises shall receive induction training. This training will take place prior to the selling of such products:

No more than two (2) children or young persons under 18 shall be permitted in the shop at any time unless accompanied by an adult.

This is a small shop therefore in my view there should be a limit imposed, if they allow a whole group in they could just steal the vapes, tobacco and alcohol.

Peter Aston

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From: Simon Jones <simon.jones@adur-worthing.gov.uk>

Sent: 11 October 2023 11:14

To: Trading Standards <trading.standards@westsussex.gov.uk>; [REDACTED]

Cc: Peter Aston <peter.aston@westsussex.gov.uk>; balakaja03@gmail.com

Subject: WBC Licensing Sub-Committee Review Hearing Package - 18 October 2023

****EXTERNAL****

Dear Sir/Madam

Re: WBC LA 2003 Premises Licence Review Application - Premises Licence 100001395

Premises: Express Supermarket, 68-70 Newland Road, Worthing, West Sussex, BN11 1JX

Licence Holder: Mr Arumugam Balachandran

Applicant: WSCC Trading Standards Service

Please find attached an unredacted copy of the WBC L&C Sub-Committee papers for the hearing on 18 October. I must emphasise that this document must not be shared.

The public redacted copy can be found at: <https://democracy.adur-worthing.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=171&MId=1999&Ver=4>

Regards

Simon

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