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# Agenda

Meeting: Licensing Sub-Committee

Date: **15 August 2017** 

Time: **2.00 pm** 

Place: Council Chamber - Civic Centre Folkestone

To: To all members of the Licensing Sub Committee

The sub-committee will consider the matters listed below at the date, time and place shown above. The meeting will be open to the press and public.

Members of the sub-committee who wish to have information on any matter arising on the Agenda which is not fully covered in these papers are requested to give notice prior to the meeting to the Chairman or appropriate officer.

#### 1. Apologies of absence

#### 2. Declarations of interest

Members of the Council should declare any interests which fall under the following categories\*:

- a) disclosable pecuniary interests (DPI)
- b) other significant interests (OSI)
- c) voluntary announcements of other interests

#### 3. **Declarations of lobbying**

Members should complete the enclosed yellow form and return it to the Committee Administrator at the meeting.

4. Application for a new premise licence at Par Three, Unit 2, Princes Gate, Bayle Street, Folkestone, Kent, CT20 1SF (Pages 3 - 36)

Report DCL/17/10 sets out the facts for the Licensing Committee to consider in determining a premise licence. The licensing committee is the Licensing Authority acting in a role formally taken by the Magistrates Court.

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It is, therefore, not appropriate for officers to make additional comments other than in the capacity as a Responsible Authority under the legislation of the Licensing Act 2003. Therefore there are no comments from Legal, Finance or other officers included in this report

#### \*Explanations as to different levels of interest

- (a) A member with a discloseable pecuniary interest (DPI) must declare the nature as well as the existence of any such interest and the agenda item(s) to which it relates must be stated. A member who declares a DPI in relation to any item must leave the meeting for that item (unless a relevant dispensation has been granted).
- (b) A member with an other significant interest (OSI) under the local code of conduct relating to items on this agenda must declare the nature as well as the existence of any such interest and the agenda item(s) to which it relates must be stated. A member who declares an OSI in relation to any item will need to remove him/herself to the public gallery before the debate and not vote on that item (unless a relevant dispensation has been granted). However, prior to leaving, the member may address the meeting in the same way that a member of the public may do so.
- (c) Members may make voluntary announcements of other interests which are not required to be disclosed under (a) and (b). These are announcements made for transparency reasons alone, such as:
- · membership of outside bodies that have made representations on agenda items, or
- · where a member knows a person involved, but does not have a close association with that person, or
- where an item would affect the well-being of a member, relative, close associate, employer, etc. but not his/her financial position.

Voluntary announcements do not prevent the member from participating or voting on the relevant item

This report will be made public on 7 August 2017



To: Licensing Sub-Committee

Date: 15 August 2017

Status: Non-Executive Decision

Head of service: Dr Sarah Robson

SUBJECT: APPLICATION FOR A NEW PREMISE LICENCE PAR THREE, UNIT 2, PRINCES GATE, BAYLE STREET, FOLKESTONE, KENT CT20 1SF

**SUMMARY:** This sets out the facts for the Licensing Committee to consider in determining a premise licence. The licensing committee is the Licensing Authority acting in a role formally taken by the Magistrates Court. It is, therefore, not appropriate for officers to make additional comments other than in the capacity as a Responsible Authority under the legislation of the Licensing Act 2003. Therefore there are no comments from Legal, Finance or other officers included in this report

#### **REASONS FOR DETERMINATION:**

The Committee is obliged to determine the application with a view of promoting the licensing objectives. In making its decision the Committee must also have regard to all the representations made and the evidence it hears. The Committee is obliged to have regard to the national guidance and the councils own licensing policy.

#### **DETERMINATION:**

The Licensing Sub-Committee is asked to:

- 1. Note the contents of Report
- 2. Determine the application. The options for determining the application are set out in section 5 below.

#### 1. BACKGROUND

1.1 Part 1 of the Licensing Act 2003 provides that the sale or supply of alcohol on and off the premise and other licensable activities must be authorised by a premise licence..

#### 2. APPLICATION

- 2.1 An application has been made under the Licensing Act 2003 for the grant of a Premise Licence by Andrew Kevin Pook, 29 King Edwards Avenue, Broadstairs, Kent, CT10 1PH.
- 2.2 The application is in relation to Unit 2 Princes Gate, Bayle Street, Folkestone CT20 1SF
- 2.3 The application is for the sale of alcohol off the premises between the hours of 08.00am and 22.00pm Monday to Sunday.
- 2.4 A copy of the application is attached at Appendix 1.
- 2.5 The applicant is mindful of his responsibilities and has received copies of the objections (see Appendix 2). Within the licence application he has detailed how he promotes the four licensing objectives.

#### 3. OBSERVATIONS

- 3.1 The Committee must take such steps, as it considers necessary for the promotion of the licensing objectives:
  - The prevention of crime and disorder
  - Public Safety
  - The prevention of public nuisance
  - The protection of children from harm

Any further steps the applicant intends to take to promote the four licensing objectives can been found on part **M** of the application form attached and are reflected in 2.5 above.

#### 4. RELEVANT REPRESENTATIONS

4.1 The comments received from the Responsible Authorities are set out in the table below:

Responsible Authority	Comments
Environmental Health (Commercial)	No objections
Kent Fire & Rescue Officer	No objections
Child Protection Agency	No objections
Planning Officer	No objections
Kent Police	No objection but have agreed
	conditions.
Environmental Health (Pollution)	No objections

4.2 Three representations have been received from interested parties by the Licensing Authority regarding the application. These objections can be found in Appendix 2.

#### 5. OPTIONS

- 5.1 The licensing sub-committee has the following options:
  - a) Grant the licence as requested.
  - b) Modify the licence, by adding or amending conditions.
  - c) Reject whole or part of the application.
- The committee is asked to note that it may not modify the conditions or reject the whole or part of the application merely because it considers it desirable to do so. It must actually be necessary in order to promote the licensing objectives.

#### 6. CONTACT OFFICERS AND BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

Councillors with any questions arising out of this report should contact the following officer prior to the meeting:

Arthur Atkins, Environmental Health and Licensing Manager

Telephone: 01303 853242

Email: arthur.atkins@shepway.gov.uk

No published documents have been relied upon in the preparation of the report.

#### Appendices:

Appendix 1. Application for premise licence Appendix 2. Relevant Representations



## Appendix 1.

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e)	live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)	
f)	recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)	P
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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	ANDREW KENN 1	Pook
Date of birth	18/4/1965	
Address	9 KING GOWARD	AVENUE
	BRODDSMIKS	
	KENT	
Postcode	CTIO IPH	
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Issuing licensing authority (if known)
THANKT DISTRICT COUNCIL
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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).

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e) The protection of children from harm

Checklist: Please tick to indicate agreement I have made or enclosed payment of the fee.

- I have enclosed the plan of the premises.
- I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable.
- I have enclosed the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be designated premises supervisor, if applicable.
- I understand that I must now advertise my application.
- I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected.

[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 MANGRATION, 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.

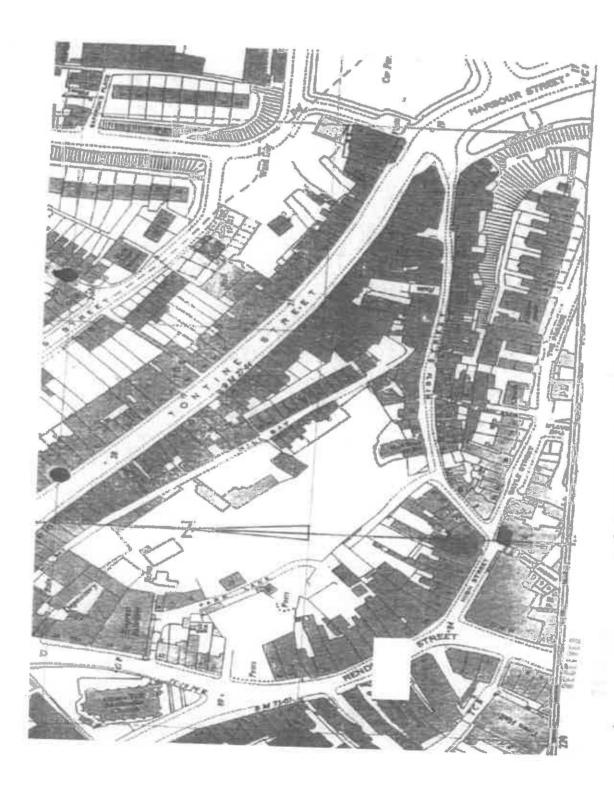
Declaration

[Applicable to individual applicants only, including those in a partnership which is not a limited flability 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 licesable 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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Date	14th June 2017 DIRECTOR.
Capacity	DIRECTOR.
authorised aco	cations, signature of 2 <sup>nd</sup> applicant or 2 <sup>nd</sup> applicant's solicitor or other ent (please read guidance note 13). If signing on behalf of the nee state in what capacity.
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#### **Notes for Guidance**

- Describe the premises, for example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies, you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.
- 2. In terms of specific regulated entertainments please note that:
  - Plays: no licence is required for performances between 08:00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
  - Films: no ilcence is required for 'not-for-profit' film exhibition held in community premises between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day provided that the audience does not exceed 500 and the organiser (a) gets consent to



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## Appendix 2.

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Yours Sincerely

Licensing Team
Shepway District Council
Civic Centre

Castle Hill Avenue Folkestone CT20 2OY

20 June 2017

Dear Sirs,

Re: Application dated 14/6/2017 by Par Three Limited to operate as an Off-Licence at Unit 2
Princes Gate, Bayle Street, Folkestone, Kent CT20 1SF

I wish hereby to make representations against the application to operate an Off-Licence at the aforementioned premises, on the following grounds:

- 1. The premises concerned are located at the junction of Bayle Street and the Old High Street which:
  - a) has a high level of pedestrian traffic from and to the town and the harbour,
  - b) has no parking spaces available people will park illegally
  - c) has no means of exit for vehicles (dead end) other than turning
  - d) has very limited space for turning, in which there is also a primary school
  - e) will give rise to conflicts and chaos, since one can assume that patrons may already be partially inebriated.
- 2. There are already two bars directly across the road from the premises, and a pub (The Guildhall) within 100 metres.
- 3. As mentioned, there is a primary school nearby, and boozers of bulk alcohol are the very last people who should be attracted to the area.
- 4. George Lane, adjacent to the premises, already largely neglected by the SDC, will become a gathering and dossing place for drunkards.
- 5. The small and beautiful Bayle Pond Garden nearby (directly opposite to the school) will also become a convenient rendezvous for groups of drinkers and dope smokers, rendering it unusable by local families
- 6. The cleanliness of this residential area will deteriorate seriously, as always happens in the vicinity of any "take-away" premises, with the added hazard of bottles and broken glass, as drinkers dispose of containers while they drink on the move (like they do in the Lower Coastal Park after purchasing drink from the Mini-market off-licence nearby).
- 7. It is quite inevitable that vandalism and violence will become serious problems.
- 8. For those who wish to purchase bulk alcohol, there are several supermarkets in the town that are open from 0700 to 2200.

I trust that you will consider my remarks seriously, and reject this application definitively.

Yours faithfully

21 06, 2017

Licensing Team
Shepway District Council,
Civic Centre,
Castle hill Avenue,
Folkestone.
CT 20 2 QY



Dear Sirs,

I understand an application for a licence has been made for Unit 2 to serve as an Off Licence at Princes Gate, Bayle St. Folkestone. This premises was until recently a convenience shop which I believe, was shut due to erratic behaviour of 'teenagers'.

I hope you are aware of the position of this shop in a very restricted and congested area of The Bayle with extremely limited parking facility. Police presence is often noticed within the area near Prince's Gate.

As the shop is already undergoing refurbishment painting decoration I am surprised when the licence has not yet been granted unless of course it is for food provision only.

There are many shops, bars and licensed premises already in Folkestone surely the provision of another retailer is unnecessary and this historic area needs to be preserved to maintain its dignity. Many elderly people came to The Bayle for a peaceful retirement and live around The Bayle or in Glendale Retirement Apartments.

Please consider carefully before a licence for the sale of alcoholic drinks is granted . St. Eanswythe's School is in the vicinity

Thank you, Yours sincerely,

### **Shepway District Council**

## Licensing Sub-Committee 15 August 2017

### **Declarations of Lobbying**

Members of the Licensing Sub-Committee are asked to indicate if they have been lobbied, and if so, how they have been (i.e., letter, telephone call, etc.) in respect of the applications below:

Applicatio	n No.	Type of lobbying
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