

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL

LICENSING HEARING

At a meeting of the **Licensing Sub-Committee** held in the Chairman's Dining Room, County Hall, Morpeth, Northumberland, NE61 2EF at 2:00 pm on Monday, 25 September 2017

PRESENT

Councillor I Hutchinson
(in the Chair)

COUNCILLORS

B Crosby
K Parry (Reserve)

K Stow

OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE

H Bowers
T Hardy
N Masson

Democratic Services Officer
Licensing Manager
Principal Solicitor, Regulation

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE

L Fell
Councillor J Lang

Applicant
Observer

1. ELECTION OF CHAIR

RESOLVED that Councillor Ian Hutchinson be elected as Chair for the duration of the meeting.

2. APPLICATION FOR PREMISES LICENCE IN RESPECT OF CARNABY'S, BROWNIESIDE, CHATHILL, NORTHUMBERLAND, NE67 5HW

The purpose of the hearing was to determine the application for a premises licence in respect of Carnabys, Brownieside, Chathill, Northumberland, NE67 5HW.

An application had been received for the licensable activities of:

Sale of alcohol	Sunday - Thursday	11:00 - 19:00
	Friday - Saturday	11:00 - 00:00
Regulated entertainment	Sunday - Thursday	11:00 - 19:00
	Friday - Saturday	11:00 - 00:00

One representation had been received from an interested party on the grounds of public nuisance. (Attached to the report).

Tasmin Hardy, Licensing Manager, summarised the report and referred to the representation received. The objector was not in attendance.

The Sub-Committee considered the Officer's report and all representations received along with the proposed conditions, licensing guidance and licensing policy. The applicant then spoke in support of the application. In response to comments, the applicant confirmed that he would be happy to amend the times for the sale of alcohol and regulated entertainment until 11:00 pm and remove the outdoor element of the application.

Everyone left the room, except for members of the committee and the Principal Solicitor, in order for members to determine the application. Upon reconvening the meeting, the Chair read out the committee's decision notice to all those present.

The Sub-Committee have considered all the written and verbal representations before them and also the Council's policy and Home Office guidance and have determined to grant the application as amended by the applicant.

RESOLVED that the application for a premises licence be **GRANTED**, subject to the following reasons:

1. The reason for this decision is that the objection is based on perceived problems and there is no evidence that the granting of the licence will undermine the licensing objectives.

CHAIRMAN

DATE