

# LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

## REPORT OF THE HEAD OF HOUSING AND PUBLIC PROTECTION

### Licensing Act 2003

#### 1. SYNOPSIS

To determine an application for a premises licence in respect of The Angel of Corbridge, Main Street, Corbridge, NE45 5LA. The applicant has applied for the licensable activities of:

Sale of alcohol	Sunday - Thursday	10:00 - 23:00
	Friday - Saturday	10:00 - 24:00
Regulated entertainment	Sunday - Thursday	10:00 - 23:00
	Friday - Saturday	10:00 - 24:00
Late Night Refreshment	Sunday - Monday	23:00 - 23:30
	Friday - Saturday	23:00 - 00:30

One representation has been received from an interested party on the grounds of public nuisance.

#### 2. DETERMINATION OF APPLICATION

Having considered the report, all relevant representations and verbal submissions from those persons entitled to speak at the hearing; the Sub-committee is required to make its determination in respect of the application at the conclusion of the hearing.

In this particular case, the sub Committee **may**:

- 1) Grant the licence subject to conditions consistent with the operating schedule accompanying the application, modified to such extent as the Sub-committee considers appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives. All conditions should be precise and cable of being interpreted and applied by the applicant.

(Conditions may be modified if any of them is altered or omitted or any new condition is added)

and

Any mandatory condition under section 19 of the Act be included in the licence

- 2) Exclude from the scope of the licence any of the licensable activities to which the application relates
- 3) To reject the application if it is not possible to promote one or more of the licensing objectives by any other means.

Members are reminded that they may only attach additional conditions:

- In respect of those matters that are subject to the application and in respect of which a relevant representation has been made; and
- that are appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives.

### **3. APPEALS**

If the applicant, responsible authority or interested party who may have made a representation is aggrieved by the decision of the Licensing Sub-Committee in respect of:

- the decision to grant the licence or any part of it as set out in the attached document, or
- failure to exclude from the licence any of the licensable activities requested, or
- the decision to impose the specified conditions, or
- failure to modify or attach different or additional conditions appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives.

They may appeal to the Magistrates' Court within the period of twenty-one days beginning with the day on which they receive formal written notification of the determination.

### **4. CONSULTATION**

In accordance with the requirements of the Licensing Act 2003 and regulations made there under, the applicant has undertaken the following consultation in respect of the application:

A copy of the application has been sent to all Responsible Authorities as defined in the Licensing Act 2003 Section 13 (4).

A notice setting out details of the application has been displayed at the premises for a minimum period of 28 consecutive days starting on the day after the application was received by the licensing authority.

By publishing a notice in a local newspaper on at least one occasion during the period of 10 working days starting the day after the application was received by the licensing authority.

## 5. REPORT

### Background

On 15th June 2018 an application was received from Sintons Solicitors on behalf of Angel of Corbridge Limited for a premises licence with regards to Angel of Corbrige, Angel Inn, Main Street, Corbridge, Northumberland, NE45 5LA. A copy of the application is attached as (**Appendix A**).

The premises currently operate under premises licence no: NPR/132 (**Appendix B**). Refurbishment works have been carried out at the premises and as a result the applicant is now taking the opportunity to tidy up the existing licence and therefore submit a new premises licence application. The changes sought to the licence are:-

- Change to layout in accordance with the plans attached to the application
- Inclusion of the small fish and chip takeaway in the rear of the car park
- Addition of performance of dance as a licensed activity
- Extension of licensed activities to be allowed to commence at 10:00am rather than 11:00am
- Slight extension to finish time of all licensable activities on Sunday to 11:00pm
- To add a provision which would allow residents of the hotel to be provided alcohol 24 hours a day
- Removal of the existing Annex 2 and 3 provision to replace with a more standard set of conditions as the current conditions refer to outdated legislation.

One representation has been received from interested parties on the grounds of public nuisance (**Appendix C**).

## 6. DETAILS OF REPRESENTATIONS

Representations objecting to the application:

Responsible Authorities

Chief Officer of Police	None
The Fire Authority	None
Body Responsible for Health and Safety Enforcement	None
Local Planning Authority	None
Body Responsible for Minimising or Preventing the Risk of Pollution of the Environment or of Harm to Human Health	None
Northumberland Area Child Protection Committee	None

Trading Standards Authority	None
Interested Parties	Appendix C
Representations in support of the application	None

## 7. **Licensing Policy**

### **Premises Licences and Club Premises Certificates**

Introduction	3.1 – 3.1.6
Premises Licences - applications	Schedule 2
Decision making process	Schedule 5
The Prevention of Public Nuisance	Appendix C

## 8. **Guidance – Licensing Act 2003 – Section 182**

In considering the application, Elected Members are also directed to have regard to the guidance issued by the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003; specifically:

Section 2 - The Licensing objectives	2.1 – 2.31
Section 8 – Applications for premises licences	8.28 – 8.32 8.66 – 8.69
Section 9 – Determining applications	9.3 – 9.10 9.41 - 9.43
Section 10 – Conditions attached to premises licences	10.1 – 10.68

## 9. **BACKGROUND PAPERS**

Appendix A Application for premises licence  
 Appendix B Current premises licence NPR/132  
 Appendix C Representation from Interested Party

The Licensing Act 2003 and secondary legislation there under  
 The Council's Statement of Licensing Policy  
 The Guidance issued by the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003

## 10. **CONTACT OFFICER(S)**

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