

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003 SUB-COMMITTEE (B) HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CIVIC OFFICES, ANGEL STREET, BRIDGEND ON FRIDAY, 5 SEPTEMBER 2014 AT 10.00AM

Present:

Councillor D R W Lewis - Chairperson

Councillors

P A Davies
G W Davies MBE

Officers:-

R Morris - Senior Licensing and Registration Assistant
A Lee - Legal Officer
M A Galvin - Senior Democratic Services Officer - Committees

Representing South Wales Police:

R Davies - Police Barrister
PC K Ellis

Representing the Three Horseshoes:

C Davies - Solicitor
D Evans - Premises Licence Holder
A Williams - Proposed Designated Premises Supervisor

17 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

None.

18 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None.

19 LICENSING ACT 2003 - VARIATION OF DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR, THREE HORSESHOES, QUEEN STREET, BRIDGEND

The Chairperson opened the meeting and the necessary introductions were made.

The Legal Officer advised that prior to the report being presented to Members, it was her understanding that the applicant may be requesting an adjournment of the meeting.

The Solicitor acting on behalf of the representatives of the Three Horseshoes explained that this was the case, and the reason for the request was due to the fact that further information over and above that contained in the report had been served on her client separately by the Police after the date the agenda/report had initially been issued. As this had not been served/received until Wednesday of this week, and due to it containing further Police evidence against her client, she had not had time to fully read and respond to this further documentation.

She added that as she wished to fully try and protect her client's best interests, and in order to in turn come back with a response to both this further evidence of the Police as well as the

evidence before the Sub Committee today , she gratefully if Members would consider adjourning the meeting for this purpose.

The Chairperson asked the Police representative's if they were in agreement with this request for adjournment on the above grounds, and they agreed that they were.

- RESOLVED: (1) That the Sub-Committee agreed to adjourn the meeting, and requested that this be reconvened at the earliest possible date convenient to both parties.
- (2) It further instructed that when a date was agreed upon which to reconvene the meeting, then both parties should have with them all the evidence to which they are going to refer to at the meeting, and that this evidence should have been served on all the appropriate parties in advance of the meeting in accordance with the appropriate statutory timescales.

This meeting closed 10.40am.