

Licensing Sub Committee Hearing Panel

Minutes of the meeting held on Thursday, 6 June 2019

Present: Councillor Ludford (Chair)

Councillors: T Judge and McHale

LACHP/19/96. Application for a Premises Licence Variation - Whiskey Down, 18-22 Lloyd Street, Manchester, M2 5WA

The Committee heard that an agreement had been reached between the Applicant and the Responsible Authorities. The Committee considered the content of the agreement and was satisfied that a licence granted on these terms should not undermine the Licensing Objectives.

Decision

To grant the Premises Licence variation, subject to the agreement between the Applicant and the Responsible Authorities.

LACHP/19/97. Application for a Sex Establishment Licence Variation - Whiskey Down, 18-22 Lloyd Street, Manchester, M2 5WA

The Committee considered the representations from all parties and noted that although this was an existing licence it had recently been transferred to the applicant who was a new operator of these premises. These premises did have a history of problems however the Committee took account of the fact that this had been under the management of a different operator. The Committee considered that the hours now requested would alleviate the concerns of the objectors that commuters would be coming across patrons leaving the premises. The Committee was satisfied that the conditions agreed between the parties with the amendment added above would ensure the premises were managed appropriately. The Committee therefore considered there were no grounds on which to refuse the application.

Decisions

1. To grant the application for a Sex Establishment Licence variation, subject to the agreement reached with Licensing and Out of Hours and GMP in respect of the hours the premises are open to the public and the conditions agreed between the parties save for condition 8 which has been amended as follows:
2. The use of flyers and similar promotional material to promote SEV activities at the premises is prohibited. A sample of each flyer or similar promotional material to be kept by the management of the premises and on request are to be made available for inspection by officers from the Licensing Authority or any Responsible Authority.

LACHP/19/98. Determination - Civic Centre Service Station, Rowlandsway, Sharston, Manchester, M22 5RG

The Committee considered the content of the agreement and was satisfied that a licence granted on these terms should not undermine the Licensing Objectives.

Decision

To grant the application subject to the agreements reached with Licensing Out of Hours team.

LACHP/19/99. Determination - The Edge Theatre and Arts Centre, Manchester Road, Chorlton, Manchester, M21 9JG

The Committee considered the content of the agreement and was satisfied that a licence granted on these terms should not undermine the Licensing Objectives.

Decision

To grant the application subject to the agreements reached with Greater Manchester Police and Licensing Out of Hours team.

LACHP/19/100. Application for Renewal of a Sex Establish Licence - The Clone Zone Ltd, 36-38 Sackville Street, Manchester, M1 3WA

The Committee noted there had been no objections to the application and heard that the premises had been established for 18 years without any complaints in respect of its operation. In all the circumstances the Committee was satisfied there were no grounds for refusal.

Decision

To grant the application for the renewal of a sex establishment licence.