Licensing Sub Committee Hearing Panel

Minutes of the meeting held on Monday, 7 February 2022

Present: Councillor Andrews – in the Chair

Councillors: Grimshaw and Hughes

LACHP/21/11. Application for a New Premises Licence - Ground Floor Shop, Jewish Cultural Centre, 1 Park Road, Crumpsall, Manchester, M8 4HT

Consideration was given to a report of the Director of Planning, Building Control and Licensing regarding a new Premises Licence application.

The Hearing Panel considered the written papers and oral representations of all parties, as well as the relevant legislation and guidance.

The applicant addressed the Hearing Panel, noting that there was an objection from GMP that had been withdrawn as the conditions requested by GMP had been accepted by the applicant. They noted there is one outstanding objection from a local councillor.

The Panel sought to clarify information regarding the addresses. The applicant stated that they used the address they were registered for to pay Council Tax due to the Cultural Centre not having a number. Using this address makes it easier for deliveries.

In summing up, the applicant addressed the remaining objectors' concerns. The applicant felt the concerns were more about the environment than the shop itself. They stated the shop is aimed at those who keep Kosher, and these people would not drive to the shop, which was a concern of the objector. The applicant addressed concerns around litter by stating that any shop can create litter.

Decision

To grant the Licence as amended with GMP conditions.

LACHP/21/12. Application for a New Premises Licence - Transit, Unit 4, ABC Building, 21-23 Quay Street, Manchester, M3 4AE

The applicant's representative addressed the Panel, requesting an adjournment to allow for the applicant to meet with all objectors to try to find a solution without the need for a Hearing.

Decision

The Panel agreed to the adjournment, re-arranging the Hearing for Tuesday 1 March, should it be required.

LACHP/21/13. Application for a Premises Licence Transfer - Bhatti Jee Takeaway, 792 Hyde Road, M18 7JD

The applicant was unable to attend the hearing, therefore the Panel agreed to defer the hearing.

Decision

To defer the hearing until Monday 14 February 2022.