

Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005

Reference: 255529
Name: Squawk Brewing Company
Address: Unit 4, Tonge Street, Manchester, M12 6LY
Ward: Ardwick
Application Type: Premises Licence (new)
Name of Applicant: Squawk Brewing Company Ltd
Date of application: 4 February 2021

Agreement has been reached between the applicant and all parties that submitted relevant representations.

The Sub-Committee is asked to grant the application subject to the modifications agreed between the parties without the need for a hearing.

If the Sub-Committee is not minded to grant the application as above, it is requested to adjourn the matter for a full hearing to be held to determine the application.

Proposed licensable activities and opening hours to be granted
The supply of alcohol for consumption off the premises only: Mon to Fri 12 noon to 5pm Opening hours: The premises will not be open to the public

Representations received	
Trading Standards	Concerned that the original application is vague and does not submit much information addressing the four licensing Objectives, especially in relation to protecting children from harm.

Agreements between parties

Trading Standards:

1. The Challenge 25 scheme must be operated to ensure that any person who appears to be under the age of 25 shall provide documented proof that he/she is over 18 years of age. Proof of age shall only comprise a passport, photo card driving licence, an HM Forces warrant card, or a card bearing the PASS hologram.
2. A message will be displayed on the website notifying customers of the Challenge 25 policy in place and that orders will not be left with any person under 18 years of age upon delivery and that the courier may request the recipient to produce satisfactory identification evidence to prove that they are at least 18 years of age.
3. All sales will be made through online sales only, there shall be no other means to place an order.
4. All staff engaged in the delivery of alcohol will be trained with regards to the Challenge 25 policy and proxy sales to persons under 18. This training will be documented, and training should be refreshed at no greater than 12 monthly intervals.
5. At the point of delivery, the Challenge 25 policy should be operated. The only ID that should be accepted is a passport, photo driving licence, PASS accredited proof of age card or military identification card.
6. The Premises Licence Holder will ensure that a sticker is applied to all consignments of alcohol. It shall read "Note to delivery service, this package contains age restricted products. Ensure recipient is over 18".
7. A log shall be kept and record all instances when a consignment of alcohol has not been delivered for the reasons that the person(s) is, or appear to be, under 18 years of age. The log shall record the date and time of the refusal and the name of the member of staff who refused the sale. The log will be available on request by the police or an authorised officer of Manchester City Council. The log shall be checked on a regular basis by the Designated Premises Supervisor to ensure that it is being used by staff and each check shall be recorded in the log.
8. The Premises Licence Holder shall provide the following information in writing to the Licensing Authority before any sale of alcohol is carried out:
 - a) The trading name of any company that will operate under the licence
 - b) All telephone numbers that will be used to accept orders
 - c) The URL/website address that will be used to accept orders
9. Any promotional material and/or any website homepage used as part of the business operating under this licence will clearly state the premises licence number. For the avoidance of doubt, this includes Flyers/leaflets/business cards promoting the business.

Background documents (available for public inspection):

- Manchester City Council Statement of Licensing Policy 2016 - 2021
- Guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003, April 2017
- Original application form
- Representations made against application and respective agreements