



## Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005

**Reference:** 256516  
**Name:** Bar Pop  
**Address:** 10 Canal Street, Manchester, M1 3EZ  
**Ward:** Piccadilly  
**Application Type:** Premises Licence variation  
**Name of Applicant:** FCG Operating Co Limited  
**Date of application:** 18 March 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**

Variation as applied for with amendments made to the opening times on statutory holidays/bank holidays as agreed with Licensing Out of Hours:

- Vary the layout of the premises in accordance with the plans attached to the licence;
- Amend the opening hours so that they commence from 08:00 Monday to Friday and 10:00 Saturday and Sunday (and 10:00 on days specified under non-standard timings);
- Remove conditions 4, 5, 7, 9, 13 and 20 of Annex 2 and 9, 19, 22, 24, 27, 28 and 41 of Annex 3;
- Replace conditions 10-17 of Annex 3 with the following: "The premises shall install and maintain a comprehensive digital colour CCTV system. All public areas of the licensed premises, including all public entry and exit points. The CCTV cameras shall continually record whilst the premises are open to the public and recording shall be kept available and unedited for a minimum of 28 days with the date and time stamping. A staff member who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system shall be present on the premises at all times when they are open to the public and must be able to produce / download / burn CCTV images upon request by a police officer or an authorised officer of the licensing authority. Any footage must be in a format so it can be played back on a standard personal computer or standard DVD player. Where the recording is on a removable medium (i.e. compact disc, flash card etc.), a secure storage system to store those recording mediums shall be provided."

- Replace condition 26 of Annex 3 with the following: 'The last time of entry for customers will be 02:30 hours on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday; 03:00 hours on Thursday and Sunday; 04:00 hours on Friday and Saturday; and half an hour before the end of hours for sale of alcohol on Bank Holidays/New Year's Eve. After these times, no customers will be allowed to enter or re-enter the venue for any reason, including those who have left the venue to smoke.'
- Amend condition 34 of Annex 3 to read as follows: 'All windows and doors to be kept closed from 23:00 daily, except for access and egress.'
- Replace condition 40 of Annex 3 with the following: 'On the ground floor and basement floor of the venue after 23:00 hours, there will be no glass in the parts of the venue which customers have access to, unless there is a show/event in which all customers are seated at tables. Management will at all times continually risk assess the need to serve drinks in plastic/polycarbonate vessels.'

These amendments have been discussed and agreed with the Licensing and Out of Hours Team.

**Proposed hours and licensable activities:**

No changes to licensable activities (opening hours only).

Opening hours:

Current hours: Mon to Wed 11am to 3.30am, Thu & Sun 11am to 4am, Fri to Sat 11am to 5am

New Year's Eve: Start 1100 Finish 0600  
 New Year's Day  
 August Bank Holiday Weekend: Start Friday 1100, Finish Tuesday 0600  
 All other statutory holidays/bank holidays: Start 1100, finish 0600  
 On the day British Summertime commences: one additional hour additional to the terminal hour

Proposed hours: Mon to Wed 8am to 3.30am, Thu 8am to 4am, Fri 8am to 5am, Sat 10am to 5am, Sun 10am to 4am

New Year's Eve: Start 10:00 Finish 06:00  
 New Year's Day  
 August Bank Holiday Weekend: Start Friday 10:00 Finish Tuesday 06:00  
 All other statutory holidays/bank holidays: Start 10:00 Finish 06:00  
 On the day British Summer Time commences: one additional hour to the terminal hour

**Representations received**

Licensing & Out of Hours Compliance	Grounds for objection: The risk of public nuisance to local residents caused by the proposed early opening time on bank holidays.
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**Agreements between parties**

**Licensing & Out of Hours Compliance:**

Amend the opening hours so that they commence from 08:00 Monday to Friday and 10:00 Saturday and Sunday (and 10:00 on days specified under non-standard timings).

**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