

Licensing & Out of Hours Compliance Team - Representation

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Premises Details	
Application Ref No	MAU273670
Name of Premises	The Great Northern Street Festival (deansgate Mews)
Address	Deansgate Mews, 253 Deansgate, Manchester, M3 4EN

Representation
<p>The Licensing and Out of Hours (LOOH) team have assessed the likely impact of the grant of this Temporary Event Notice (TEN) in its current form. Taking into account a number of factors, including the nature of the area in which the premises is located and any potential risk the granting of this Temporary Event could lead to issues of Public Nuisance and Public Safety.</p> <p>The TEN proposes to hold “The Great Northern Street Festival” on Deansgate Mews within the Great Northern complex, licensable activities would include the sale by retail of alcohol and the provision of regulated entertainment</p> <p>The TEN user has not provided any detail within the TEN as to how the event will be effectively managed with limited detail regarding security provided. There is no mention of how patrons attending the event will be kept separate from patrons attending nearby licensed premises, therefore ensuring that people attending the event does not exceed the 300 specified within this TEN.</p> <p>No steps were offered within the TEN detailing how patrons will be prevented from leaving the licensable area with open containers of alcohol. This could potentially lead to patrons exiting the TEN area with open containers of alcohol therefore creating a heightened risk that the alcohol could be consumed on the street. This would breach the Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) which relates to people drinking alcohol or having open containers of alcohol in the streets and could lead to instances of disorder and public nuisance.</p> <p>Additionally, with the provision of regulated entertainment taking place in an open space and not within a physical premises. There is a heightened risk that entertainment if not monitored and controlled could cause a nuisance to nearby businesses and residents.</p> <p>A request was made to the TEN user to ask for clarification on these points prior to submission of this representation however at present no response has been received. To address these concerns, LOOH have reviewed the temporary event notice, taking into account the above concerns and recommend that the following conditions are attached to this TEN if granted at committee, or by the licensing authority:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. A plan of the premises must be submitted prior to the start of this event to the licensing authority. The plan must clearly define the area covered by this TEN.

2. During the event at least two SIA registered door supervisors must be on duty from 10:00am until the event has ended and all patrons have left.
3. 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 EU/EEA national ID card or similar document, an HM Forces warrant card, a card bearing the PASS hologram, or any electronic or biometric age verification technology approved by the licensing authority
4. Open containers of alcohol shall not be removed from the licensable area.
5. Drinks must only be served in polycarbonate/plastic containers.
6. No noise shall emanate from the event that gives rise to a nuisance.

Recommendation: Approve with Conditions (Outlined Above)