



**MANCHESTER
CITY COUNCIL**

Licensing & Out of Hours Compliance Team - Representation

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Premise Details

Application Ref No	M/287536
Name of Premises	7Sins
Address	45 Lever Street, Manchester, M1 1FN.

Representation

Outline your representation regarding the above application below. This representation should describe the likely effect of the grant of the licence/certificate on the licensing objectives and on the vicinity of the premises.

Licensing and Out of Hours (LOOH) have assessed the likely impact of the grant of this application taking into account a number of factors, including the hours and activities applied for, the nature of the area in which the premises is located and any potential risk that granting the application could have on any of the four licensing objectives.

As a result of this assessment the Licensing and Out of Hours Team have concerns of granting the application, in its current form, is likely to lead to the Public Safety objective being undermined.

In reaching this decision we have given particular consideration to Manchester City Council's Statement of Licensing Policy 2021 - 2026 specifically: Working to prevent the threat of terrorism.

The premises is located on Lever Street within the Northern Quarter district of the city centre. There are commercial properties nearby and a number of alcohol led licensed premises in close proximity.

The application is for a variation, to extend the terminal hour for the provision of regulated entertainment and the supply of alcohol as licensable activities permitted by the Premises Licence, until 02:00hrs, Sunday to Wednesday, to extend the terminal hour for the provision of late-night refreshments until 02:00hrs, Monday to Sunday and to increase the opening hours of the premises to 02:30hrs, Sunday to Wednesday.

Within the application there are no proposed steps regarding training staff in Counter Terrorism Awareness. Terror attacks have the potential to target

bars, pubs and nightclubs therefore relevant training should be in place for all staff.

Furthermore, a licensed premises in the city centre is expected to be prepared with regards to the threat of a terror attack and should have a documented security risk assessment in place.

To: Martyn's Law:

- At all times that the premises are open to the public for licensable activities, all staff on-duty at the premises, including all door supervisors, and all on-duty managers must have completed Action Counters Terrorism (ACT) Awareness e-learning training. In addition, a minimum of 1 on-duty manager and any on-duty security supervisor/manager must also have attended a Counter Terrorism (CT) Awareness session delivered by Counter Terrorism Policing North West (CTPNW) trained personnel as soon as reasonably practicable. If not completed, they must have registered to attend a course and be able to provide evidence of this if requested by a police officer or authorised officer of the licensing authority.
- There must be a documented security assessment, which must incorporate counter terrorism measures for the premises. The assessment shall be routinely reviewed and must be reviewed following the elevation of the change of the national threat level. All reviews shall be documented.
- Within 28 days of the granting of the licence, the premises licence holder shall evaluate any risks identified through the security assessment and take prompt steps to eliminate them or to reduce the risk as far as is reasonably practicable. A documented record must be maintained of any remedial action implemented and made available upon request to any police officer or an authorised officer of Manchester City Council.
- The premises must have a documented security plan, which sets out counter measures to be implemented in response to a terrorist attack that incorporates the principles of 'Guide', Shelter' and 'Communicate' as appropriate in conjunction with relevant National Counter Terrorism Security Office (NACTSO) / Centre for the Protection of National Infrastructure (CPNI) guidance, and the purposes of those procedures and the necessity of following them must be understood by those carrying them out:
 - Guide – Direct people towards the most appropriate location (invacuation, evacuation, hide)
 - Shelter – Understand how your place or space might be able to lock-down and shelter people within it for several hours

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- Communicate – Have a means of communicating effectively and promptly with users of your place and have staff capable of giving clear instructions. Also have the capability of integrating with any response or rescue operation by providing information such as building plans

LOOH believe these conditions are proportionate and necessary to uphold the four licensing objectives.

Recommendation: Approve with Conditions (Outlined Above)