

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF TIME

LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE AGENDA



Friday 16th May 2014

at 10.00am

**in Committee Room C,
Civic Centre, Hartlepool**

MEMBERS: LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE:

Councillors Ainslie, Morris and Tempest

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2. TO RECEIVE ANY DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST BY MEMBERS

3. MINUTES

- 3.1 To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 6th March 2014
- 3.2 To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 12th March 2014
- 3.3 To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 25th March 2014

4. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

- 4.1 Application for a new premises licence, 23 Jesmond Road, Hartlepool –
Director of Public Health

5. ANY OTHER ITEMS THE CHAIR CONSIDERS ARE URGENT



LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE

MINUTES AND DECISION RECORD

6th March 2014

The meeting commenced at 10.00am in the Civic Centre, Hartlepool

Present:

Councillor: Ged Hall (In the Chair)

Councillors: Keith Dawkins and Mary Fleet

Officers: Ian Harrison, Principal Trading Standards and Licensing Officer
Tony Macnab, Solicitor
Jo Stubbs, Democratic Services Officer

56. Apologies for Absence

None

57. Declarations of interest by Members

None

58. Application for a new premises licence, 23 Jesmond Road, Hartlepool *(Director of Public Health)*

An application had been received in relation to 23 Jesmond Road. The Principal Trading Standards and Licensing Officer informed members that the applicant was not present. Members asked that the hearing be adjourned to give the applicant the opportunity to attend. The Principal Trading Standards and Licensing Officer would write to the applicant advising her of the adjournment and informing her that if she was failed to attend a second time the case would be heard in her absence.

Decision

That the meeting be adjourned to a future date

The meeting concluded at 10.25am

CHAIR

LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE

MINUTES AND DECISION RECORD

12th March 2014

The meeting commenced at 2.00pm in the Civic Centre, Hartlepool

Present:

Officers Jo Stubbs, Democratic Services Officer

59. Meeting abandoned

Following withdrawal of application, the meeting was abandoned. The Chair and his colleagues had been advised of the situation prior to the meeting.

CHAIR

LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE

MINUTES AND DECISION RECORD

25th March 2014

The meeting commenced at 10.00am in the Civic Centre, Hartlepool

Present:

Councillors: Paul Beck and Peter Jackson

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 4.2 Councillor Rob Cook was in attendance as substitute for Councillor Ray Martin-Wells

Also present: Councillors Ged Hall and John Lauderdale

Officers: Ian Harrison, Principal Trading Standards and Licensing Officer
Tony Macnab, Solicitor
Jo Stubbs, Democratic Services Officer

60. Appointment of Chair

Members appointed Councillor Cook as Chair of the sub-committee

61. Apologies for Absence

Apologies were submitted by Councillor Ray Martin-Wells

62. Declarations of interest by Members

None

63. To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 14th February 2014 at 2.00pm

Confirmed

64. To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 14th February 2014 at 2.30pm

Confirmed

65. To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 5th March 2014

Confirmed

66. Application for a new premises licence, 91 Elwick Road, Hartlepool *(Director of Public Health)*

An application had been submitted by Varan Thananayagam to enable him to sell alcohol at his premises on 91 Elwick Road 9am-11pm 7 days a week. A copy of the application was appended to the report. 83 objections had been received including 3 from local councillors, 1 from the Burn Valley North Residents Association and 79 from local residents. There had been no submissions from the police.

Jane Gilliead spoke on behalf of Mr Thananayagam. She advised that he and his wife had been shopkeepers for 8 years. Since opening 91 Elwick Road in 2013 they had been selling age restricted products albeit not alcohol and therefore already had procedures in place including use of a register and an age restriction reminder on the till. A number of premises in the area were able to sell alcohol later than the 11pm requested however despite this Mr Thananayagam would be happy to amend his closing time to 10pm in order to comply with the Council's licensing policy. Ms Gilliead felt that the lack of any submission from the police spoke volumes as according to the legislation the police were an essential source of advice and information particularly with regards to the crime and disorder objective. In terms of the specific objections raised Ms Gilliead felt that many of these were based on fears of what might happen in terms of crime and anti-social behaviour but the lack of a police submission suggested these fears were unfounded. Under age sales should not be a problem given the stringent age restriction policies already in place. If adults were buying age restricted products for children Mr Thananayagam could not be held responsible. References to the premises being located next to a private dwelling rather than on a block of shops were irrelevant as were concerns as to the number of licensed premises in the vicinity and complaints that granting this licence would reduce house prices. In terms of littering Mr Thananayagam would continue to clear up outside the front of his premises.

A resident, Pauline Fisher, spoke in objection to the granting of the licence. Her home was directly adjacent to the premises and there had been recent incidents involving gangs of youths sitting on her wall and bricks being thrown at her house. She felt threatened in her own home and believed that the granting of this licence would only exacerbate this. She had a good personal relationship with Mr Thananayagam but was fearful of what this licence would bring. A Member queried whether Mrs Fisher had contacted the police regarding these incidents. Mrs Fisher said she had but the police

had not attended during the incident and following it was too late. She was also concerned that by contacting the police she was making herself and her family a target.

Councillor John Lauderdale spoke against the application. His main concerns related to the location of the premises in a residential area rather than in a shopping precinct. He felt that the granting of an alcohol licence could have a negative impact on the shop itself as any anti-social behaviour associated with the premises could encourage law-abiding shoppers to stay away. He understood that the police may not have objected because there was not much actual crime but fear of crime and intimidation could not be discounted

Councillor Ged Hall referred to similar applications which had led to an increase in anti-social behaviour in their respective areas. Other premises in the vicinity were not in residential areas and some had security in place. He acknowledged the safeguards which were in place to protect children but there were no safeguards to protect the residents from anti-social behaviour. In terms of the closing hours while Councillor Hall welcomed the offer to amend it to 10pm the residents felt that 7pm might be more appropriate as an hour's difference was negligible.

The Chair of the Burn Valley North Residents Association, Carol Laud, advised that they were in regular contact with the police regarding anti-social behaviour in the area which was greater than the town average. She was extremely disappointed that the police had not objected. Members acknowledged and supported this frustration at the lack of response from the police

In summing up Ms Gilliead referred to a petition of support for the granting of the licence which had been signed by 280 people. There was an assumption that Mr Thananayagam would fail in his responsibilities and the store would be a massive problem for the community but Mr Thananayagam had demonstrated his willingness to work with residents and responsible authorities to ensure this did not happen. He was a responsible retailer with fully trained staff and had already agreed to reduce his opening hours. If any problems became apparent in the future the licence could be brought back for review. He urged members to support the granting of the licence in its entirety.

Mrs Fisher reiterated that this was not a personal issue with Mr Thananayagam but a genuine fear of what could result and the detrimental impact it might have on her quality of life while Councillor Hall felt the premises was too close to Mrs Fisher's home and called for members to reject the application.

Members discussed the application at length in closed session.

Decision

That the application be granted subject to the condition that alcohol cannot be sold after 10:00pm

The meeting concluded at 12.20pm

CHAIR

LICENSING ACT 2003

Procedure for Hearings



Prior to the commencement of the meeting, a representative of the Democratic Services Section shall establish the identity of those present, who they represent and who intends, or wishes to speak.

1. The Chair's opening comments, including introduction of Members of sub-committee and officers present. Explanation of the decision to be considered.
2. The Director of Public Health shall outline the application, any relevant representations and relevancy to Licensing Policy and statutory guidance.
3. Members ask any questions of the Director of Public Health.
4. Applicant presents their case (either personally or via legal representation) and introduces witnesses where appropriate.
5. Questions by Members to applicant and/or applicant's witnesses.
6. Representations by responsible bodies and/or interested parties and witnesses introduced where appropriate.
7. Questions by Members to responsible bodies/interested parties and/or their witnesses.
8. Parties may question and clarify issues raised with the consent of the Chair.
9. If required, responsible bodies/interested parties to be given opportunity to sum up.
10. If required, the applicant to be given opportunity to sum up.
11. Members to have the opportunity to clarify any points raised. The Chair shall ask whether all parties are satisfied they have said all they wish to.
12. Members to go into closed session to deliberate.
13. Chair informs parties of their decision, with reasons.

Report of: Director of Public Health

Subject: APPLICATION FOR A NEW PREMISES LICENCE,
23 JESMOND ROAD, HARTLEPOOL

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To consider an application for a new premises licence in respect of 23 Jesmond Road, Hartlepool.

2. SUMMARY OF APPLICATION

- 2.1 Applicant: Mrs Jasdeep Kaur

Premises: 23 Jesmond Road
Hartlepool
TS26 0JD

- 2.2 The applicant has applied for the following activities: -

Supply of Alcohol (Off Sales)

Monday to Sunday

09:00 – 22:00

A copy of the application is attached as **Appendix 1**.

3. BACKGROUND

- 3.1 The application has been advertised in the prescribed manner and three representations have been received from local residents (attached as **appendices 2, 3 and 4**) and, in addition, a petition signed by 21 signatories was also submitted (attached as **Appendix 5**).
- 3.2 A number of conditions that will be attached to the licence have been agreed following discussions between the applicant, Trading Standards and the Police. These are designed to reduce the possibility of sales of alcohol to children and the installation of a CCTV system and the applicant's acceptance of them has resulted in there being no objections from either Trading Standards or the Police.
- 3.3 The objections that have been received collectively refer to the potential impact of granting the application on the four licensing objectives of: -

- Prevention of Crime and Disorder
- Public Safety
- Prevention of Public Nuisance
- Protection of Children from Harm

3.4 Among the issues specifically raised by the objectors are a potential for traffic related accidents, particularly due to the premises close proximity to Jesmond Road primary school, anti social behaviour problems, children attempting to purchase alcohol and noise from the shop shutters when closing at night.

4. ISSUES

4.1 As relevant representations have been received within the prescribed time period a hearing must be held for Members to consider the application (unless all parties agree a hearing is unnecessary).

4.2 The premises to which this application relates was previously a dressmaking business.

4.3 Having regard to the representations received, Members may take any of the following steps for the promotion of the licensing objectives:

- i) To approve the application in its entirety
- ii) To approve the application in part - with or without the addition of further conditions
- iii) To reject the whole or part of the application

4.4 The licensing objectives are:

- i) The prevention of crime and disorder
- ii) Public safety
- iii) The prevention of public nuisance, and
- iv) The protection of children from harm

4.5 Members are reminded that they must only consider those aspects of the licence application that are relevant to the representations received.

5. RECOMMENDATIONS

5.1 That Members consider the representations made by applicant and the objectors and determine what aspects, if any, of the application should be granted and, if appropriate, what conditions, if any, should be attached.

9 Copies + Plan

£100



Application for a premises licence to be granted
under the Licensing Act 2003

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

I/We Mrs Jasdeep Kaur
(Insert name(s) of applicant)

apply for a premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below (the premises) and I/we are making this application to you as the relevant licensing authority in accordance with section 12 of the Licensing Act 2003

Part 1 – Premises Details

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description	
23. Jesmond Road	
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; float: right;"> RECEIVED 15 JAN 2014 </div>	
Post town	Hartlepool
Postcode	TS26 0JD
Telephone number at premises (if any)	—
Non-domestic rateable value of premises	£ 2,900

Part 2 – Applicant Details

Please state whether you are applying for a premises licence as

Please tick as appropriate

- | | |
|---|---|
| a) an individual or individuals * | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> please complete section (A) |
| b) a person other than an individual * | |
| i. as a limited company | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| ii. as a partnership | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| iii. as an unincorporated association or | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| iv. other (for example a statutory corporation) | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| c) a recognised club | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |
| d) a charity | <input type="checkbox"/> please complete section (B) |

- e) the proprietor of an educational establishment ☐ please complete section (B)
- f) a health service body ☐ please complete section (B)
- g) a person who is registered under Part 2 of the Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respect of an independent hospital in Wales ☐ please complete section (B)
- ga) a person who is registered under Chapter 2 of Part 1 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 (within the meaning of that Part) in an independent hospital in England ☐ please complete section (B)
- h) the chief officer of police of a police force in England and Wales ☐ please complete section (B)

* If you are applying as a person described in (a) or (b) please confirm:

Please tick yes

I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves the use of the premises for licensable activities; or ☐

I am making the application pursuant to a
 statutory function or ☐
 a function discharged by virtue of Her Majesty's prerogative ☐

(A) INDIVIDUAL APPLICANTS (fill in as applicable)

Mr	Confidential
Surname	
I am 18	
Current different address	
Post town	
Daytime	
E-mail address (optional)	

SECOND INDIVIDUAL APPLICANT (if applicable)

Mr <input type="checkbox"/>	Mrs <input type="checkbox"/>	Miss <input type="checkbox"/>	Ms <input type="checkbox"/>	Other Title (for example, Rev)	
Surname			First names		
I am 18 years old or over				<input type="checkbox"/>	Please tick yes
Current postal address if different from premises address					
Post town				Postcode	
Daytime contact telephone number					
E-mail address (optional)					

(B) OTHER APPLICANTS

Please provide name and registered address of applicant in full. Where appropriate please give any registered number. In the case of a partnership or other joint venture (other than a body corporate), please give the name and address of each party concerned.

Name
Address
Registered number (where applicable)
Description of applicant (for example, partnership, company, unincorporated association etc.)
Telephone number (if any)
E-mail address (optional)

Part 3 Operating Schedule

When do you want the premises licence to start?

DD	MM	YYYY
A	S	A
P		

If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, when do you want it to end?

DD	MM	YYYY

Please give a general description of the premises (please read guidance note 1)

General dealers / off-Licence

If 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend.

What licensable activities do you intend to carry on from the premises?

(Please see sections 1 and 14 of the Licensing Act 2003 and Schedules 1 and 2 to the Licensing Act 2003)

Provision of regulated entertainment

Please tick any that apply

- a) plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A) ☐
- b) films (if ticking yes, fill in box B) ☐
- c) indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C) ☐
- d) boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D) ☐
- e) live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E) ☐
- f) recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F) ☐
- g) performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G) ☐
- h) anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H) ☐

Provision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box I)

☐

Supply of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box J)

☒

In all cases complete boxes K, L and M

A

Plays Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the performance of a play take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)		Indoors <input type="checkbox"/>
					Outdoors <input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish			Both <input type="checkbox"/>
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)		
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for performing plays (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur					
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of plays at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat					
Sun					

B

Films Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the exhibition of films take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)		Indoors <input type="checkbox"/>
					Outdoors <input type="checkbox"/>
					Both <input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)		
Mon					
Tue					
			State any seasonal variations for the exhibition of films (please read guidance note 4)		
Wed					
Thur					
			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the exhibition of films at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		
Fri					
Sat					
Sun					

C

Indoor sporting events Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Please give further details (please read guidance note 3)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon			
Tue			State any seasonal variations for indoor sporting events (please read guidance note 4)
Wed			
Thur			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for indoor sporting events at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)
Fri			
Sat			
Sun			

D

Boxing or wrestling entertainments Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Will the boxing or wrestling entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)		
Mon					
Tue					
Wed			<u>State any seasonal variations for boxing or wrestling entertainment</u> (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur					
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for boxing or wrestling entertainment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat					
Sun					

E

Live music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the performance of live music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors <input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors <input type="checkbox"/>
				Both <input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)	
Mon				
Tue				
			State any seasonal variations for the performance of live music (please read guidance note 4)	
Wed				
Thur				
			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of live music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)	
Fri				
Sat				
Sun				

F

Recorded music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)		
Mon					
Tue					
			State any seasonal variations for the playing of recorded music (please read guidance note 4)		
Wed					
Thur					
			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the playing of recorded music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		
Fri					
Sat					
Sun					

G

Performances of dance Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Will the performance of dance take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 2)		Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)			
Mon						
Tue						
			<u>State any seasonal variations for the performance of dance</u> (please read guidance note 4)			
Wed						
Thur						
			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of dance at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)			
Fri						
Sat						
Sun						

H

Anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Please give a description of the type of entertainment you will be providing		
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Will this entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)		
Wed					
Thur			<u>State any seasonal variations for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g)</u> (please read guidance note 4)		
Fri					
Sat			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Sun					

I

Late night refreshment Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the provision of late night refreshment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish			
Mon			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)		
Tue					
Wed			<u>State any seasonal variations for the provision of late night refreshment</u> (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur					
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of late night refreshment at different times, to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat					
Sun					

J

Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption – please tick (please read guidance note 7)		On the premises <input type="checkbox"/>
					Off the premises <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
					Both <input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	State any seasonal variations for the supply of alcohol (please read guidance note 4)		
Mon	09:00	22:00			
Tue	09:00	22:00			
Wed	09:00	22:00			
Thur	09:00	22:00			
Fri	09:00	22:00			
Sat	09:00	22:00			
Sun	09:00	22:00	Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the supply of alcohol at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		

State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as designated premises supervisor:

Name	Confidential
Address	
Postcode	
Personal	
Issuing l	

K

Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 8).

N/A.

L

Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 4)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon	09:00	22:00	<p>Non standard timings. Where you intend the premises to be open to the public at different times from those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)</p>
Tue	09:00	22:00	
Wed	09:00	22:00	
Thur	09:00	22:00	
Fri	09:00	22:00	
Sat	09:00	22:00	
Sun	09:00	22:00	

M Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b, c, d and e) (please read guidance note 9)

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b) The prevention of crime and disorder

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c) Public safety

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d) The prevention of public nuisance

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e) The protection of children from harm

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Checklist:

Please tick to indicate agreement

- I have made or enclosed payment of the fee. ☒
- I have enclosed the plan of the premises. ☒
- I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable. ☒
- I have enclosed the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be designated premises supervisor, if applicable. ☒
- I understand that I must now advertise my application. ☒
- I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected. ☒

IT IS AN OFFENCE, LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING LEVEL 5 ON THE STANDARD SCALE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION.

Part 4 – Signatures (please read guidance note 10)

Signature of applicant or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (see guidance note 11).
If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

Signature	<div>Confidential</div>	
Date		
Capacity		

For joint applications, signature of 2nd applicant or 2nd applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent (please read guidance note 12). **If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.**

Signature	<div>Confidential</div>	
Date		
Capacity		

Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 13)

Post town		Postcode	
Telephone number (if any)			
If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail, your e-mail address (optional)			

By e-mail

I am putting in writing my objection to the alcohol license of number 23 Jesmond Road.

The objection plea is for the following reasons:

Obstruction of traffic causing potential accidents as people stop at the traffic lights 'to nip in to the shop'

Children loitering around shop causing anti social behaviour

Regards

DELETED

Hi

I would like to raise my concerns and object to a liquor licenc being granted for 23 Jesmond Road, Hartlepool,
my name is *DELETED* and currently reside at (*DELETED*) Chester Road, [*CLOSE TO*] to the said property.

Firstly i would like you to think about the noise this would cause ie shop door, customers/kids/teenagers gathering outside the property which is joined to mine, window shutters being opened and closed, i get up 5 days a week at 5am and would be awoken at 10pm when the shop closes by them being shut.

Secondly i think this would attract more traffic to an already extremely busy and dangerous corner where there has been numerous accidents which is going to endanger more childrens lives as they go to and from school or the nearby parks.

Lastly i think this could bring more anti social behaviour to our area which would not be welcomed.

Thankyou

DELETED
Chester Road
Hartlepool
TS26 0JE
01429 421724

Reasons for my objection to the license agreement are;

I believe it will cause a safety issue. The shop is located on a very busy junction adjacent to a school. My fear is that people will be stopping around the junction to pop into the premises to make purchases. Causing danger to other motorists. The junction is already very busy with the school and parents collecting children. I believe the shop will add to the chaos and potentially put the children in danger when cars are pulling in and out.

My other concern is shops located on corners attract groups of youths. This is evident with the shop on Hart Lane there is often groups of youths outside of this shop. The grave yard is also opposite the shop where youths will go in the summer I believe a shop located this close will only increase this problem and cause anti social behaviour.

Regards.

DELETED.

Licencing Department,
Civic Centre, Hartlepool.

Concerned Residents
Chester Road Area
Hartlepool

04 February 2014

4rd February 2014
The Licencing Team,
HBC. Civic Centre,
TS24 8AY.
Planning Reference for:



Address: 23 Jesmond Road,
Hartlepool. TS26 OJD.

Dear Sir/Madam,

We the undersigned residents of the Chester Rd area wish to oppose the application to change 23 Jesmond Rd (now trading as a hairdressers and nail bar) into an off Licence.

The junction of Cheester Rd / Jesmond Rd corner has had more than its fair share of traffic accidents over the years and with the entrance to the new junior school sited directly on the traffic lights, plus the usual high volume of traffic in the area and lack of parking eg: no layby, it is a major cause of concern regarding the safety of both the school children and the local residents and parents who drop off / or pick up the children from school and feel it increases the risk of a accident.

We know off licences (currently there is nine in the area) do attract some groups of under age youths who will pester adult passers by to purchase cigaretts, cans of lager, and other alcoholic drinks for their consumption making the adults feel uneasy and in some cases intimidated if they refuse the youths demands.

Also with the shop staying open until late at night we fear it may prevent families who live close to the shop from getting a good nights rest, plus the additional noise and litter pollution problems is causes a major concern for us the local residents.

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