

NOTICE OF MEETING

SPECIAL LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE

Friday, 18th February, 2022, 10.30 am - Microsoft Teams (watch the live meeting [here](#) and watch the recording [here](#))

Members: Councillors Gina Adamou (Chair), Bob Hare and Sarah Williams

Quorum: 3

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2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive any apologies for absence.

3. URGENT BUSINESS

It being a special meeting of the Sub Committee, under Part Four, Section B, Paragraph 17, of the Council's Constitution, no other business shall be considered at the meeting.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

A member with a disclosable pecuniary interest or a prejudicial interest in a matter who attends a meeting of the authority at which the matter is considered:

- (i) must disclose the interest at the start of the meeting or when the interest becomes apparent, and
- (ii) may not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must withdraw from the meeting room.

A member who discloses at a meeting a disclosable pecuniary interest which is not registered in the Register of Members' Interests or the subject of a pending notification must notify the Monitoring Officer of the interest within 28 days of the disclosure.

Disclosable pecuniary interests, personal interests and prejudicial interests are defined at Paragraphs 5-7 and Appendix A of the Members' Code of Conduct.

5. SUMMARY OF PROCEDURE

The Chair will explain the procedure that the Committee will follow for the hearing considered under the Licensing Act 2003.

6. APPLICATION FOR A NEW PREMISES LICENCE AT CHANNEL LOUNGE, 775 HIGH ROAD, TOTTENHAM, LONDON, N17 (PAGES 1 - 42)

To consider an application for a new premises licence.

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Thursday, 10 February 2022

Report for: Licensing Sub Committee – 18 February 2022

Title: Application for a New Premises Licence – Channel Lounge, 775 High Road Tottenham London N17.

Report authorised by: Daliah Barrett, Licensing Team Leader, Regulatory Services

Ward(s) affected: Northumberland Park

**Report for Key/
Non Key Decision:** Not applicable

1. Describe the issue under consideration

1.1. This report relates to an application for a new premises licence by Bikal Yassou.

1.2. The application seeks the following:

Regulated Entertainment: Recorded Music

Sunday to Thursday	1000 to 0100 hours
Friday to Saturday	1000 to 0200 hours

Late Night Refreshment

Sunday to Thursday	2300 to 0100 hours
Friday to Saturday	2300 to 0200 hours

Supply of Alcohol

Sunday to Thursday	1000 to 0100 hours
Friday to Saturday	1000 to 0200 hours

Supply of alcohol **ON** the premises.

Hours open to Public

Sunday to Thursday	1000 to 0100 hours
Friday to Saturday	1000 to 0200 hours

1.3. The application is set out at **Appendix 1** to the report.

1.4. Representations have been received from the Licensing Authority, The Met Police and Public Health as set out in **Appendix 2**.

1.5. Recommendation

In considering the representations received and what is appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives, the steps the Sub Committee can take are:

- Grant the application as requested.
- Grant the application whilst imposing additional conditions and/or altering in any way the proposed operating schedule.
- Exclude any licensable activities to which the application relates
- Reject the whole or part of the application.

Members of the Licensing Sub Committee are asked to note that they may not modify the conditions or reject the whole or part of the application merely because it considers it desirable to do so. It must be appropriate in order to promote the licensing objectives.

2. Background

- 2.1. The premises are situated along HighRoad N17 next door to BetFred betting shop. The premises comprises of three sections shown on the plan submitted. The front café area is the area being requested to be the licensed area. The plan shows a middle room which is now shown as seated area and a kitchen at the rear.
- 2.2. The applicant has previously applied for a premises licence which was refused by the LSC, a copy of the LSC refusal is attached at App 4. The premises was visited on 25th September 2021 at which time it was found to be offering alcohol for sale and on display. Customers were onsite consuming alcohol. The staff were asked to remove all alcohol from public view and to not offer or sell alcohol as there was no licence in place to authorise this. Officers also witnessed the premises being used for shisha smoking in an area that would not have been compliant in doing so or had the correct Planning permission for the premises to be used in this way. This room is only accessible via a pin code lock. So does not allow for any potential unauthorised activity taking place in this area to be readily witnessed by officers on entry to the premises.
- 2.3. The premises was also subject to an inspection by the Fire Authority and Mr Gizaw was required to undertake some works to address the concerns found. Appendix 3. The applicant was required to undertake a fire risk assessment via an independent provider.
- 2.4. Since the submission of this second application for a new premises licence as a serious incident took place at the premises which resulted in a customer being stabbed. This matter is referred to in the Police representation.
- 2.5. Mr Gizaw has subsequently discussed the various concerns raised with the Police but the representation remains.

3. Licensing Policy

- 3.1. The Committee will also wish to be aware of the guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003. Licensing is about regulating the provision of licensable activities on licensed premises, by qualifying clubs and at temporary events within the terms of the Licensing Act 2003. The terms and conditions attached to various permissions are focused on matters which are within the control of individual licensees and others granted relevant permissions. Accordingly, these matters will centre on the premises and places being used for licensable activities and the vicinity of those premises and places.

- 3.2. The objective of the licensing process is to allow for the carrying on of retail sales of alcohol and the prevention of public nuisance, prevention of crime and disorder, public safety, and protection of children from harm. It is the Licensing Authority's wish to facilitate well run and managed premises with licence holders displaying sensitivity to the impact of the premises on local residents.
- 3.3. In considering licence applications, where relevant representations are made, the Licensing Authority will consider the adequacy of measures proposed to deal with the potential for public nuisance and/or public disorder having regard to all the circumstances of the case.
- 3.4. Applications shall only be granted where the Licensing Authority is satisfied the grant of the licence would not harm the licensing objectives following a hearing. Where relevant representations are made, the Licensing Authority will also have particular consideration to the hours requested for sales of alcohol. Persons who are alcohol-dependant may be drawn to particular premises if they are licensed to sell alcohol at earlier or later times than other premises. Additionally, if there are issues related to late-night disorder, the hours for alcohol sales from the premises may be restricted. Other conditions may be imposed directed at avoiding problematic street drinking in the vicinity of the premises. Another particular concern will be irresponsible drink promotions that do not follow best practice, would appeal to underage drinkers or street drinkers, or encourage excessive consumption.
- 3.5. Where relevant representations are made, this authority will demand stricter conditions with regard to noise control in areas that have denser residential accommodation, but this will not limit opening hours without regard for the individual merits of any application. This authority will consider each application and work with the parties concerned to ensure that adequate noise control measures are in place. Any action taken to promote the licensing objectives will be appropriate and proportionate.
- 3.6. This Licensing Authority, in determining what action to take, will seek to establish the cause of concern and any action taken will be directed at these causes. Any action taken to promote the licensing objectives will be appropriate and proportionate.
- 3.7. Also, the Licensing Authority may not impose conditions unless its discretion has been exercised following receipt of relevant representations and it is satisfied as a result of the hearing that it is appropriate to impose conditions to promote one or more of the four licensing objectives. Therefore conditions may not be imposed for the purpose other than promoting the licensing objectives and in some cases no additional conditions will be required.
- 3.8. Members should make their decisions on the civil burden of proof, that is the balance of probability.
- 3.9. Members should consider in all cases whether or not primary legislation is the appropriate method of regulation and should only consider licence conditions when the circumstances in their view are not already adequately covered elsewhere.

- 3.10. The government has advised that conditions must be tailored to the individual type, location and characteristics of the premises and events concerned. Conditions cannot seek to manage the behaviour of customers once they are beyond the direct management of the licence holder and their staff. The Council's Statement of Licensing Policy generally expects applicants to address the licensing objectives and discuss how to do this with the relevant responsible authorities.

4. Licensing hours

- 4.1. Where relevant representations are made, the Council will consider the proposed hours on their individual merits. Notwithstanding this, the Council may require stricter conditions in areas that have denser residential accommodation to prevent public nuisance. The Council will endeavour to work with all parties concerned in such instances to ensure that adequate conditions are in place. The Council may restrict the hours that certain premises can offer alcohol for sale for consumption off the premises for preventing crime, disorder and nuisance.

5. Powers of a Licensing Authority

- 5.1. The decision should be made with regard to the Secretary of the State's guidance and the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy under the Licensing Act 2003. Where the decision departs from either the Guidance or the Policy, clear and cogent reasons must be given. Members should be aware that if such a departure is made the risk of appeal / challenge is increased.
- 5.2. The Licensing Authority's determination of this application is subject to a 21 day appeal period or if the decision is appealed the date of the appeal is determined and /or disposed of.

6. Other considerations

- 6.1. Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 states: 'Without prejudice to any other obligation imposed on it, it shall be the duty of each authority to which this section applies to exercise its various functions with due regard to the likely effect of the exercise of those function on, and the need to do all that it reasonably can to prevent crime and disorder in its area'.

7. Human Rights

- 7.1. While all Convention Rights must be considered, those which are of particular relevance to the application are:
- Article 8 – Right to respect for private and family life.
 - Article 1 of the First Protocol – Protection of Property.
 - Article 6(1) – Right to a fair hearing.
 - Article 10 – Freedom of Expression.

8. Use of Appendices

Appendix 1 – Application Form and plan of premises.

Appendix 2 – Responsible Authority Representations

Appendix 3 – Fire Authority findings

Appendix 4 – Previous LSC resolution.

9. Background papers

Section 82 Guidance

Haringey Statement of Licensing Policy

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Appendix 1 – Application Form and plan of premises.

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Start

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant? No

Applicant: Applicant details

Full name: Beakal Gizaw

Email: [REDACTED]

Phone/mobile: [REDACTED]

Which legal structure are you applying as A business or organisation including as a sole trader

Is your business registered in the UK Yes

Is your business registered outside the UK:

Commercial register:

Registration number: 13297484

Business name: CHANNEL LOUNGE

Are you VAT registered?: No

VAT number:

Legal status: Private Limited Company

What is your position in the business?: Director

Home country: united kingdom

Address: Shop 775, High Road, Tottenham, Haringey, London, N17 8AH

Premises details

Premises or Trading name: CHANNEL LOUNGE

Please provide a postcode, OS Map Reference or description Address

Premises OS Map reference:

Address Description:

Full address of the premises: Shop 775, High Road, Tottenham, Haringey, London, N17 8AH

Premises phone number: [REDACTED]

Plan of the premises: sandbox-files://61b8c150a4b5c044147708

Do you have a rateable value based on VOA? Yes

What is the non-domestic rateable value band?: B (£4,301-£33,000)

Are you applying to only sell alcohol?:

NDR Fee to Pay: £190

Applicant 2: Application details

In what capacity are you applying for the premises licence? Limited company / limited liability partnership

Confirm the following: I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves the use of the premises for licensable activities

Non-individual applicant details

Full name: CHANNEL LOUNGE

Do you have a registration number?: Yes

Please enter your registration number: 13297484

Description of applicant: Limited Company

Address: Shop 775, High Road, Tottenham, Haringey, London, N17 8AH

Phone number: [REDACTED]

Email address: [REDACTED]

Date of birth: [REDACTED]

Nationality: [REDACTED]

Operating Schedule

When do you want the premises licence to start?: 21/12/2021

When do you want the premises licence to end?:

Please give a general description of the premises: The premises is Cafe and Restaurant with a ground floor only. There is an indoor seating area from the front and back side for the customer to sit down and consume food and Alcohol.

Do you expect more than 5,000 or more people to attend the premises at any one time? No

How many people do you expect to attend the premises at any one time?:

Additional fee to be paid for over 5,000 capacity: £

Regulated entertainment

This section covers regulated entertainment

Provision of plays

Will you be providing plays?: No

Provision of films

Will you be providing films?: No

Provision of indoor sporting events

Will you be providing indoor sporting events?: No

Provision of boxing or wrestling entertainments

Will you be providing boxing or wrestling entertainments?: No

Provision of live music

Will you be providing live music?: No

Provision of recorded music

Will you be providing recorded music?: Yes

Which days of the week do you intent the premises to be used for the activity?Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday

Give timings in 24 hour clock. (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.:

Monday:

- Start 1: 10:00
- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 10:00
- End 2: 01:00

Tuesday:

- Start 1: 10:00
- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 10:00
- End 2: 01:00

Wednesday:

- Start 1: 10:00
- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 10:00
- End 2: 01:00

Thursday:

- Start 1: 10:00
- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 10:00
- End 2: 01:00

Friday:

- Start 1: 10:00
- End 1: 02:00
- Start 2: 10:00
- End 2: 02:00

Saturday:

- Start 1: 10:00
- End 1: 02:00
- Start 2: 10:00
- End 2: 02:00

Sunday:

- Start 1: 10:00
- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 10:00

- End 2: 01:00

Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both? Indoors
State type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details.: unamplified music

State any seasonal variations for playing of recorded music:None

Non standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the playing of recorded music at different times from those listed above, list below: None

Provision of performance of dance

Will you be providing performance of dance?: No

Provision of anything of a similar description to live music, recorded music or performances of dance

Will you be providing anything similar to live music, recorded music or performances of dance?: No

Late night refreshment

Will you be providing late night refreshment?: Yes

Which days of the week do you intend the premises to be used for the activity?Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday

Give timings in 24 hour clock. (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.:

Monday:

- Start 1: 23:00
- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 23:00
- End 2: 01:00

Tuesday:

- Start 1: 23:00
- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 23:00
- End 2: 01:00

Wednesday:

- Start 1: 23:00
- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 23:00
- End 2: 01:00

Thursday:

- Start 1: 23:00

- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 23:00
- End 2: 01:00

Friday:

- Start 1: 23:00
- End 1: 02:00
- Start 2: 23:00
- End 2: 02:00

Saturday:

- Start 1: 23:00
- End 1: 02:00
- Start 2: 23:00
- End 2: 02:00

Sunday:

- Start 1: 23:00
- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 23:00
- End 2: 01:00

Will the provision of late night refreshment take place indoors or outdoors or both? Indoors
State type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details.:

State any seasonal variations: None

Non standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the supply of late night refreshment at different times from those listed above, list below: None

Supply of alcohol

Will you be selling or supplying alcohol?: Yes

Which days of the week do you intend the premises to be used for the activity? Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday

Give timings in 24 hour clock. (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.:

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Friday:

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- Start 2: 10:00
- End 2: 02:00

Saturday:

- Start 1: 10:00
- End 1: 02:00
- Start 2: 10:00
- End 2: 02:00

Sunday:

- Start 1: 10:00
- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 10:00
- End 2: 01:00

Will the sale of alcohol be for consumption? On the premises

State any seasonal variations: None

Non standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the supply of alcohol at different times from those listed above, list below: None

Designated premises supervisor consent

Are you (as the applicant), the designated premises supervisor: No

How will the consent form of the proposed designated premises supervisor be supplied to the authority?: An attachment to this application

Please upload the completed consent form for the designated premises supervisor

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Do you know the reference number for the consent form

Please enter the reference number for the consent form: N/A

Name of designated supervisor: Beakal Missaye Gizaw

Address of designated supervisor: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Date of birth of designated supervisor: [REDACTED]

Enter the personal licence number: [REDACTED]

Issuing licensing authority: Ealing council

Adult entertainment

Highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, or other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children.

Give information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises which may give rise to concern in respect of children, regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises: None

Hours premises are open to the public

Which days of the week do you intent the premises to be used for the activity? Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Not applicable

Give timings in 24 hour clock. (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.:

Monday:

- Start 1: 10:00
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Saturday:

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- End 1: 02:00
- Start 2: 10:00
- End 2: 02:00

Sunday:

- Start 1: 10:00
- End 1: 01:00
- Start 2: 10:00
- End 2: 01:00

State any seasonal variations: None

Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises to be open to the members and guests at different times from those listed above, list below: None

Licensing objectives

a) **General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e):** We will take all the steps listed in the specific sections as well as continuously assess the risks on weekly/monthly basis and evolve our procedures to mitigate them.

- b) **The prevention of crime and disorder.**
1. The premises license holder shall ensure that CCTV cameras and recorders are installed at the premises and are of a standard acceptable to and approved by the Police.
 2. The system shall be maintained in good working order and at all times the premises is open to the public, be fully operational covering both internal and external areas of the premises to which the public have access.
 3. The CCTV camera views are not to be obstructed.
 4. At least one CCTV camera is to be placed no more than seven feet above floor level; near to the exit in order to capture clear facial images of all persons leaving the premises.
 5. The medium on which CCTV images are recorded shall be of evidential quality; stored securely; shall be retained for a period of 31 days; and be available for inspection by the Police or Local Authority upon request.
 6. At all times when the premises are open for the purposes of licensable activities, a suitably trained member of staff shall be present to assist the Police or an authorized officer in obtaining the CCTV footage.
 7. Copies shall be made available within 48 hours to the Police or Local Authority, upon request.
 8. The facility to transfer the images to compatible, removable format, shall be held on the premises.
 9. Staff working at the premises shall be trained in the use of CCTV and a log will be kept to verify this.

10. Signs must be displayed in the customer areas to advise that CCTV is in operation.

11. If the CCTV is inoperative or not installed and working to the satisfaction of the Police, then within 48 hours the Police shall be notified and an estimate given of the repair timescale. The premises shall comply with all reasonable requests from the Police.

- Text / radio pages / phones connecting to local police;
 - Door supervisors authorized by the SIA;
 - Plastic containers and toughened glass;
 - CCTV;
 - Open containers not to be taken from the premises;
 - Restrictions on drinking areas;
 - Safe capacity limits;
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- Proof of age schemes (No proof, no sale, no entry);
 - Crime prevention notices;
 - Signage;
 - Metal detectors and search policies;
 - Book recording all incidents at premises;

No irresponsible promotions that may lead to the excessive consumption of alcohol;

- A specified time between last sales and the close of the premises;
- Supply of free soft drink, water, coffee or food at the end of the evening.

c) **Public safety:** There will always be one member of staff trained in first aid at the premises. control overcrowding (leading to an increased risk of violence or to the safety of people in the premises)

fire issues (which should be reported to the fire service first)

anyone being hurt or having an accident in licensed premises (who should seek medical care and report to the relevant authorities)

The premises must comply with all food safety regulations.

The premises should comply with all statutory fire safety controls.

provide an auxiliary aid or service to assist or enable disabled people to use their service.

Safe capacity limits;

- Safety checks are carried out before the admission of the public;
- Any special effects or mechanical installation should be arranged and stored so as to minimize any risk to the safety of the audience, the performance and staff.

d) **The prevention of public nuisance:** Threats to community safety, litter, odor, smoke, lights and noise.

put a bin outside the entrance of the premises.

not empty bottles, bins and rubbish between 11pm and 7am.

details of the nearest public car park.

place notices at the entrances and exits to remind customers to leave quietly.

The premises should comply with all statutory fire safety controls.

No noise generated on the premises, shall emanate from the premises nor vibration be transmitted through the structure of the premises which gives rise to a nuisance. Deliveries to the premises shall only take place between 07:00 and 21:00 Monday to Sunday. Collections, including waste, shall only take place between 07:00 and 21:00 Monday to Sunday. Glass collections shall only take

place between 08:00 and 18:00 Monday to Sunday. Waste will be put outside no more than 30 minutes before the scheduled collection time.

Where the supply of alcohol includes delivery to the customer, the license holder shall ensure that specific procedures are in place and that the activity. Reported the incident to the relevant authorities in the first instance and the incident has happened on a repeated basis.

Hours of operation;

- Doors and windows at the premises to be closed where practicable;
- Installation of noise limiting devices on amplification equipment;
- Prominent, clear and legible notices are to be displayed on all exits

requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to leave the premises and the area quietly;

- No bright lights outside the premises;
- Book for recording nuisance complaints;

e) **The protection of children from harm:** The restrictions set out in the Licensing Act 2003 will apply.

No strong language, sexual expletives, adult entertainment, drinking alcohol, drug-taking, gambling, violence.

we will use clear signs so that people are aware when and where children are welcome in the premises

we will display signs and adhere to laws relating to alcohol and children

we have a clear policy for dealing with children on their premises, for example, having a policy which outlines age restrictions, thresholds, supervision, expectations of adults, timings, etc.

age-identification procedures used – national, local, premises schemes

how expectations on adults are enforced, for example instructions to staff

vetting procedures for staff, to ensure that no unsuitable adults are employed

staff should be easily identifiable (uniform or badge) and aware of safeguarding issues.

A challenge 25 policy will be operated at the premises; forms of identification that will be accepted are a valid passport, photo card driving license, HM Forces identity card and a PASS accredited identification card.

Signs placed in prominent positions at the entrance to the premises and the bar which explain no sales of alcohol to those underage and challenge 25 is in force.

Have a policy to monitor all areas of the premises eg by use of CCTV or regular patrols, and other appropriate systems.

where alcohol is sold, requirements for the production of proof of age

Maintain records of appropriate training of all staff. Training to include

1. Age verification procedures relating to age restricted sales
2. Prevention of children acquiring or consuming
3. How to recognize indicators of child sexual exploitation
4. How to report suspicious activities and concerns about possible perpetrators of child sexual exploitation operating in their area to the appropriate authorities.
5. Records of training and briefings are to be available on the premises for inspection by Policy and Council officers on request
6. Display appropriate signs/posters in a prominent position highlighting the signs of CSE and who to contact to raise concerns
7. To have a company policy on protecting children from harm including protecting children from exposure to gambling, drugs, drug taking and drug dealing, and violence of any sort

Declaration

I/we understand it is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to 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.

[Applicable to individual applicants only, including those in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership]

I understand I am not entitled to be issued with a licence if I do not have the entitlement to live and work in the UK (or if I am subject to a condition preventing me from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity) and that my licence will become invalid if I cease to be entitled to live and work in the UK (please read guidance note 15).

The DPS named in this application form is entitled to work in the UK (and is not subject to conditions preventing him or her from doing work relating to a licensable activity) and I have seen a copy of his or her proof of entitlement to work, if appropriate (please see note 15)

Ticking this box indicates you have read and understood the above declaration yes I agree

Declaration

Full name: Beakal Missaye

Capacity: Director

Date: 2021-12-21

Payment summary

Amount: £190.00

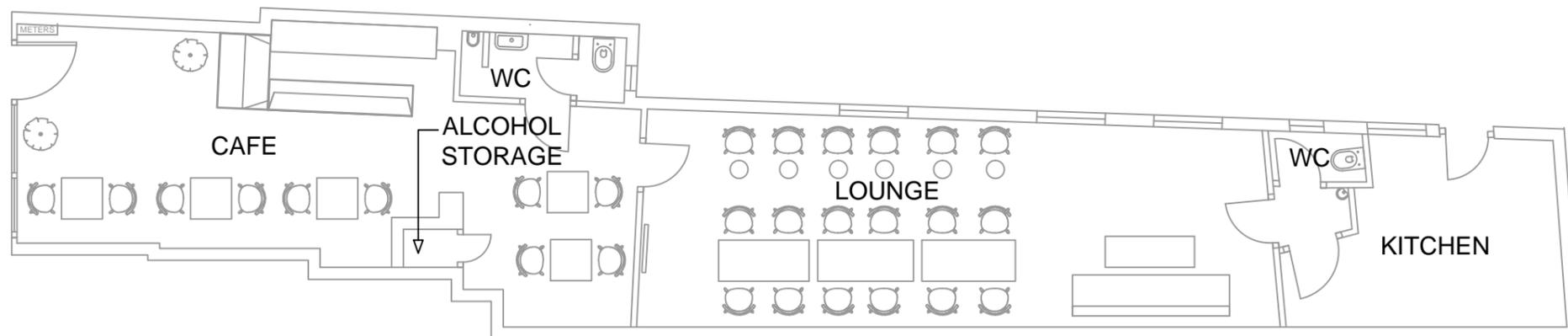
Payment status: successful

Receipt number: SMYAC00237763



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PROPOSED BUILDING LAYOUT

Floor Plan

<small>Note</small> ALL DIMENSIONS TO BE VERIFIED ON SITE BEFORE SETTING OUT OR MAKING ANY SHOP DRAWINGS.	<small>ref. issue</small> P 11.08.21	<small>REVISIONS</small> PRELIMINARY ISSUE	<small>Project</small> CHANNEL LOUNGE CAFE AND RESTAURANT	<small>Architect</small> 	<small>Project</small> CHANNEL LOUNGE 775 HIGH ROAD LONDON N17 8AH 	<small>Scale</small> A3@100	<small>Drawn</small> M	<small>Project No.</small> 001	<small>Services</small> A	<small>Dwg No.</small> 001	<small>Rev.</small> P1
	<small>P1</small> 12.10.21	<small>PRELIMINARY ISSUE</small>				<small>Date</small> 11/08-2021	<small>Checked</small>				

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Appendix 2 – Responsible Authority Representations

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From: Justyna.Golota@met.police.uk <Justyna.Golota@met.police.uk>
Sent: 19 January 2022 11:14
To: Licensing <Licensing.Licensing@haringey.gov.uk>;
Cc: Barrett Daliah <Daliah.Barrett@haringey.gov.uk>
Subject: RE: Application for a New Premises Licence- Channel Lounge, 775 High Road, Tottenham, London, N17 8AH. (WK/522357)

Dear all,

Please see attached Police representation in relation to Channel Lounge.

Kind regards
Justyna



Police Constable Justyna GOLOTA 2211NA
North Area BCU Partnership & Prevention
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Subject: Application for a New Premises Licence- Channel Lounge, 775 High Road, Tottenham, London, N17 8AH. (WK/522357)

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Kind Regards,

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27 December 2021

Representations to reject New Premises License Application at Channel Lounge, 775 High Road, Tottenham, London N17 8AH

Dear Licensing Team,

This application is submitted on behalf of a premises called CHANNEL LOUNGE, 775 High Road, Tottenham, London N17 8AH, Located in on High Road N17 nearly opposite the Tottenham Hoppers stadium, which is a known area for antisocial behaviour, crime and disorder. This Premises is a ground floor, high street building, with flats above and bus stop directly on the front.

I write on behalf of the Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police. I wish to reject the application for a new premises license for Channel Lounge, 775 High Road, Tottenham N17 8AH on the grounds of Prevention of Crime and Disorder as well as Public Safety.

The above mentioned premises has previously applied for a New Premises Licence, requesting similar operating hours. This application was refused by the committee back in November 2021.

A new application was submitted in December 2021.

On the 9th January 2022 an incident with a number of serious injuries, took place within CHANNEL LOUNGE, before spilling on to the High Road, n17.

Channel Lounge was identified as a crime scene buy an independent witnesses, whereby two (2) victims have been assaulted and seriously injured whilst inside the premises. Police have attended the venue and two (2) suspects were arrested within the premises, who had attempted to evade police by obstructing the kitchen door. Persons that were within the premises were not forthcoming. This incident accrued in the early hours of the morning at 04:49AM, and injuries were very serious.

The investigation is still ongoing therefore I will not be able to provide further information at this time. (2800642/22).

In relation to the incident on the 9th January 2022 the following founding's have raised serious concerns over public safety as well as prevention of crime and disorder:

Firstly Channel lounge was operating without a licence, and this incident could have been avoided if Chanel Lounge was following guidance from The Licencing Act 2003.

According to the witnesses an incident started within Chanel lounge, where a number of patrons ware involved in a physical alteration resulting in number of serious injuries.

Chanel lounge employees did not act appropriately during the incident that is because when the incident accrued no-one working within the Channel lounge called for police or an ambulance and provided no First Aid to the injured parties resulting in increased risk to life. Upon police arrival persons present within the Channel Lounge did not assist police with information relating to the two (2) suspects hiding/ found and arrested in the kitchen area of the location. Also there were evidence showing that personal within Chanel lounge (unknown at this stage whether it was an employee or a customer) have/attempted to conceal vital evidence, by cleaning up the floors.

As stated above presently Channel Lounge do not hold a licence, therefore on the night of the incident (09/01/2021) Channel lounge should not be open for the public.

I would like to clarify that there was a TEN in place for the night of the incident, the TEN was approved only to 04:00am. The incident accrued 04:49 am, where the venue should no longer be open to the public. Therefore as the venue do not have a licence, and have exceeded the approved hours, not recording the incident, and not calling for assistance. This clearly demonstrate that venue (personnel working that evening) have no regards to the rules and conditions impose on them as a licenced (currently unlicensed) premises.

There are evidence that Channel Lounge was providing licensable activities to the public, during the night of the incident and before then. Below is advertised to the public operational hours for Chanel Lounge:

Address: 775 High Rd, London N17 8AH

Hours:

Friday	10am–3am
Saturday	10am–3am
Sunday	10am–1am
Monday	10am–1am
Tuesday	10am–1am
Wednesday	10am–1am
Thursday	10am–1am

Clearly demonstrating that Channel Lounge is still operating, and providing services to the public without approved, and appropriate licence.

Licencing Act 2003 states that Licensable activities are:

Licensable activities

1.13 For the purposes of the 2003 Act, the following are licensable activities:

- The sale by retail of alcohol;
- The supply of alcohol by or on behalf of a club to, or to the order of, a member of the club;
- The provision of regulated entertainment; and
- The provision of late night refreshment.

Further explanation of these terms is provided in Chapter 3.

The above activities not only need a licence, but even if Channel Lounge did not supply/sale alcohol, the premises advertise on the internet with the below review:

Google reviews



Carl Ridler

1 review

2 months ago

Just enjoyed a takeaway from here and can highly recommend. Had the mixed platter of vegetarian dishes and it was delicious. And non-vegetarians would also enjoy the veggie dishes. Everything you would expect of Ethiopian food: dishes with yellow lentils and brown lentils cooked in different ways, green beans, spinach, potatoes etc. and comes with rolls of injera bread. Lots of different flavours and textures to enjoy with this meal. Excellent value for money too. There are a few of tables and chairs if you want to eat in and the place serves beer and coffee too.

Following the Licencing Act 2003 this demonstrates that CHANNEL LOUNGE provides licensable activities include sale of alcohol, and later night refreshments – as they operate past 23:00 and supply food (hot food) to the public, without appropriate licence.

Due to this police believes that this application should be rejected.

Chanel Lounge have demonstrated clearly not upholding to the licencing objectives, by not having the licence, not calling police when an incident accrued within the premises, not assisting the injured parties, not providing all information to the police upon request, potentially assisting an offender, as well as tampering with evidence.

Taken under consideration recent incident where patrons of CHANNEL LOUNGE have been seriously injured and other patrons/employees have been obstructing police investigation and potentially tampering with evidence, police believes that granting the licence would be not appropriate and would lead to increase in the number of incidence with serious injuries relating to the premises and the area where the premises is located.

I reserve the right to provide further information to support this representation if requiered.

Regards,

PC Justyna GOLOTA 2211NA
North Area Licencing Officer.

From: Shah Noshaba <Noshaba.Shah@haringey.gov.uk> **On Behalf Of** Licensing

Sent: 20 January 2022 16:52

To:

Cc: Licensing <Licensing.Licensing@haringey.gov.uk>

Subject: Representation from Licensing Authority - Channel Lounge, 775 High Road, Tottenham, London, N17 8AH. (WK/522357)

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Please see attached representation from the Licensing Authority.

Please advise how you wish to proceed.

Please ensure you respond or send any correspondence to licensing@haringey.gov.uk. If it is sent to me directly it there may be a delay in obtaining a response.

Kind Regards,

Noshaba Shah
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Mr Gizwah
By email

Your Ref:

Our Ref:

Date: 19th January 2022

REPRESENTATION LETTER

Dear Sir/Madam,

LICENSING ACT 2003 – Application for a Premises Licence-
Channel Lounge, 775 High Road, Tottenham, London, N17 8AH.

A second application for a Premises Licence has been submitted requesting the following times:

Regulated Entertainment: Recorded Music

Sunday to Thursday	1000 to 0100 hours
Friday to Saturday	1000 to 0200 hours

Late Night Refreshment

Sunday to Thursday	2300 to 0100 hours
Friday to Saturday	2300 to 0200 hours

Supply of Alcohol

Sunday to Thursday	1000 to 0100 hours
Friday to Saturday	1000 to 0200 hours

Supply of alcohol **ON** the premises.

Hours open to Public

Sunday to Thursday	1000 to 0100 hours
Friday to Saturday	1000 to 0200 hours

The Council are not supportive of this application under the prevention of crime and disorder objective. Mr Gizwah has in the interim submitted applications to operate offering licensable activities under a Temporary Event Notice.

There was a TENS in place for licensable activities on 9th January until 4am. However, a serious incident took place on site at 04.49 well outside of the time permitted by the TENS. One person was stabbed in the neck within the premises, and several arrests were made. Staff onsite did not take any steps to protect the crime scene or to assist the Police in understanding what had taken place onsite. The Police reported that staff tried to obstruct them gaining access initially.

Licensing Authority RA has no confidence or trust in the ability of Mr Gizwah to operate well managed premises with regard to the law or the licensing objectives, we recommend a refusal of the application.

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Sent: 25 January 2022 11:49

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Subject: RE: Application for a New Premises Licence- Channel Lounge, 775 High Road, Tottenham, London, N17 8AH. (WK/522357)

Dear Licensing,

I have attached an updated rep with more information on the staff training available for the applicant.

Please forward this rep.

Thank you,

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Subject: RE: Application for a New Premises Licence- Channel Lounge, 775 High Road, Tottenham, London, N17 8AH. (WK/522357)

Dear Licensing,

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Kind regards,

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Responsible Authority:	Haringey Public Health, London Borough of Haringey
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Public Health representation relation to:

APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE – APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE – CHANNEL LOUNGE, 775 HIGH ROAD, TOTTENHAM, LONDON, N17 8AH

Supply of Alcohol

Sunday to Thursday 1000 to 0100 hours

Friday to Saturday 1000 to 0200 hours

Supply of alcohol ON the premises.

Hours open to Public

Sunday to Thursday 1000 to 0100 hours

Friday to Saturday 1000 to 0200 hours

We as a representative of the Director of Public Health act as the responsible authority under the Licensing Act 2003 and would like to make a representation regarding the application for a premises license at: **CHANNEL LOUNGE, 775 HIGH ROAD, TOTTENHAM, LONDON, N17 8AH**

Public Health has specific concerns around the provision of alcohol and its impact on the following licensing objectives:

- Protecting Children from Harm
- Public Safety

Local Context of the Premises

The premises is located on the high road, close to Tottenham Hotspurs (less than 0.1 miles, 1 min walk). White Hart Lane station is 0.2 miles away from the premises (3 min walk).

There are already 11 off-licences and 8 on-licences within the area.

Protecting Children from Harm

There are 2 children centres, 6 primary schools and 2 sixth form/colleges within 0.5 miles of the premises (10 min walk).

Park Lane Children's Centre (0.4 miles)
Pembury House Nursery School and Children's Centre (0.5 miles)
St Francis de Sales Catholic Infant and Junior Schools (0.149 miles)
Brook House Primary School (0.220 miles)
St Paul's and All Hallows CE Infant and Junior Schools (0.260 miles)
Lancasterian Primary School (0.282 miles)
Lea Valley Primary School (0.346 miles)
Risley Avenue Primary School (0.544 miles)
Duke's Aldridge Academy (0.223 miles)
London Academy of Excellence Tottenham (0.093 miles)
Haringey Sixth Form College (0.251 miles)

We are particularly concerned that within the location of the premises there are a high populations of children and young people living in the area, and families and children use Tottenham High Road to walk to and from their schools. The applicant has not demonstrated how they will ensure the alcohol activity within the premises will not spill out onto the high road, to neighbouring businesses and homes, further contributing to existing street drinking and ASB. Stronger public safety measures need to be put in place to prevent public nuisance and harm.

Public Safety

The location at where the premises is located saw **20 alcohol-related ambulance callouts** in April 20-March 2021 and **45 alcohol-related ambulance callouts** in April 2019- March 2020. The numbers are lower than the previous year as businesses were possibly affected by the pandemic.

The LSOA (small geographic area) in which the Channel Lounge is located was **ranked within the first quintile** (of 144 LSOAs that comprise within the borough) for alcohol related ambulance callouts. This suggests the alcohol-related ambulance callouts within this small area is particularly high.

We have viewed the drawing plans of the site and unclear where the licensed areas will be. The Lounge is shown to be in an enclosed area, where shisha is taken. This does not seem to be compliant with the Health Act 2006 and is an offence. We would like clarity from the applicant on this matter.

Recommendations

The premises is in a highly vulnerable area and does not give clarity on the licensed area and lounge. Due to limited information supplied, we are not confident the licensee is already complying to the law and the premises can promote the licensing objectives and therefore, we reject the application.

If this licensing application was granted, we also ask the following to be considered:

It is recommended that at a minimum, these concerns are addressed and inform the committee of additional steps the applicant would take to ensure that public safety is not caused to nearby residents, especially children and young people. If the conditions listed fails to minimise any potential harm to our local residents and there are a number of complaints from residents and schools, we would recommend a revision or revoking of the license.

Please note that the stipulated conditions might (as well) be replicated in the applicants' form, still Public Health wants to ensure that the correct wording is in place.

Public Safety

1. The licensee should join the Responsible Retailers Scheme.
2. No irresponsible sales / promotion of super-strength alcohol (above 6.5% ABV) and single cans (i.e. buy one get one free) OR there shall be no promotional sales of alcohol where alcohol is sold at a price lower than that at which the same or similar alcoholic drinks are sold.
3. Alcohol shall be stored securely, when on premises, at all times.
4. All staff involved in the sale or supply of alcohol shall be trained in the law about the sale of alcohol. This includes conditions on the premise licence, operation of the CCTV system, recognising signs of drunkenness, how to refuse service and the premises duty of care. Training shall be regularly refreshed and at no greater than 6 monthly intervals and shall be logged. Training records shall be made available for inspection upon request by a police officer or an authorised officer of the Council.
5. The premises shall display prominent signage indicating that it is an offence to sell alcohol to anyone who is drunk.
6. Sufficient bins to be provided within the premises.
7. Litter – clearing public area immediately surrounding premise daily if consumption is taking place outside the premises.
8. Legible notices displayed at exits about noise when leaving the premises ('respecting needs of local residents and leaving the area quietly').

Protection of children from harm

9. The refusal log shall record any actions that appear to be needed to protect young people from harm. The log must record all refused sales of alcohol and include the following:
 - a) the identity of the person who refused the sale;
 - b) the date and time of the refusal;
 - c) the alcohol requested and reason for refusal

These conditions are designed to ensure that the licensee takes appropriate steps to promote and uphold all four licensing objectives. We believe that all licensees who are fulfilling their duty to promote the licensing objectives will be already complying with many of these conditions. These are the type of precautions needed to meet Haringey's Statement of Licensing Policy requirement of a high standard of management.

We would request the in terms of good practice and keeping adults safe that the applicant signs up to

Staff training in Welfare And Vulnerability Engagement (WAVE). This has been developed to provide those working in the licensed industry with an awareness of vulnerability, their responsibilities and how to deal with it. WAVE Training aims to increase the skills, knowledge and confidence of those working in licensed premises focusing on identifying vulnerability and making appropriate interventions. More information to sign up. <https://www.safersounds.org.uk/wave>

The safety initiative 'Ask for Angela' is being rolled out to bars, clubs and other licensed businesses across London. People who feel unsafe, vulnerable or threatened can discreetly seek help by approaching staff and asking them for 'Angela'. This code-phrase will indicate to staff that they require help with their situation and a trained member of staff will then look to support and assist them. This might be through reuniting them with a friend, seeing them to a taxi, or by calling venue security and/or the police. Find out more: <https://www.met.police.uk/AskforAngela>

Drink spiking and date rape - drugs has increased and despite the measure you are taking to check and eliminate drugs, we feel strongly that staff and relevant contractors you are using needs further training to look out for the signs and symptoms of people who may have had their drinks spiked or other date rape drugs used and also the possible perpetrators. In terms of addressing the matter directly, the 'Drinkaware' website below offers some helpful information around symptoms, prevention and aftercare. <https://www.drinkaware.co.uk/advice/staying-safe-while-drinking/drink-spiking-and-date-rape-drugs>