

Decision Notice

APPLICATION FOR VARIATION OF A PREMISES LICENCE AT KFC, 479- 481 HIGH ROAD, TOTTENHAM, LONDON, N17 6AQ (TOTTENHAM CENTRAL)

The Licensing Sub Committee carefully considered the application for a variation of a Premises Licence at: Tottenham, Post Office, 824-828 High Road, Tottenham, London, N17 0EZ (NORTHUMBERLAND PARK

In considering the application, the Committee took account of the London Borough of Haringey's Statement of Licensing Policy, the Licensing Act 2003, the Licensing Act 2003 section 182 Guidance, the report pack, Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998, the Human Rights Act and the applicant's and objector's representations.

Having considered the application and heard from all the parties, the Committee decided to **GRANT** the application subject to the conditions below:

Late Night Refreshment **Sunday to Thursday 2300 to 0200**
Friday to Saturday 2300 to 0300 hours

Hours open to Public **Sunday to Thursday 1000 to 0200 hours**

Friday to Saturday 1000- 0300 hours

CONDITIONS:

The Committee requires the Applicant to adhere to the Conditions proposed by the Applicant at pages 15-17 of the Committee papers and additional agreed conditions as set out below:

1. The premises shall install and maintain a comprehensive CCTV System.
2. All entry and exit points shall be covered enabling frontal identification of every person entering in any light condition.
3. The CCTV system shall continually record whilst the premises is open for licensable activities and during all times when customers remain on the premises.
4. All recordings shall be stored for a minimum period of 31 days with date and time stampings. Viewing of recordings shall be made available upon request of the Police or authorised officer throughout the preceding 31day period, subject to the general Data Protection Regulation and current Data Protection requirements.
5. An incident log shall be kept on the premises and made available on request to an authorised officer of the council, or the police which will record the following:-
 - a. All crimes reported to the venue
 - b. All ejections of patrons
 - c. Any complaints received concerning crime and disorder
 - d. Any incidents of disorder
 - e. All seizures of drugs or offensive weapons

- f. Any faults in the CCTV system or searching equipment or scanning equipment
 - g. Any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service
- 6. A security system with both audio and visual monitoring capability is installed in the restaurant which can be activated by mobile panic buttons. Once activated the system links the restaurant to an external monitoring centre capable of intervening to resolve crime and disorder issues and/or provide the appropriate advice or instruction to support and protect the restaurant's staff and customers. All staff are trained to use this system.
- 7. At this restaurant all staff will have safety and security training and Conflict Management Training which includes handling those under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- 8. Incidents are recorded on an on-line incident record form which is accessible to every manager and store leader.
- 9. At least one Registered SIA door staff will be on duty between the hours of 2300 and close of business. The number of SIA registered door staff will be increased when the threat of intimidation/risk of harm/violence is assessed to be greater. The Licensee will clearly set out, and provide greater clarity as to its scoring mechanism and what risk/warnings triggers the necessity for additional staff in its risk assessment policy.
- 10. The Premises Licence Holder is to work in partnership with the Responsible Authorities to promote public safety.
- 11. The Premises Licence Holder has safety systems in place to protect the safety of customers and staff at all times. It will comply, as far as reasonably practicable, with relevant Health and Safety, Food Safety and Fire Safety Legislation.
- 12. All staff receive comprehensive safety training to ensure that safe working methods are maintained including training on the evacuation procedure in the event of a fire or other dangerous occurrence.
- 13. The Premises Licence Holder operates a "No Open Alcohol Containers" policy to prevent persons carrying open alcohol into the in-store area. No glass is allowed on the premises.
- 14. The Premises Licence Holder carries out litter patrols collecting both KFC's packaging and any other litter that has been carelessly discarded. It is happy to act on recommendations from the Environmental Health Officer on the extent of the patrol, as far as this is reasonably practicable.
- 15. A litter check will be carried out by Team members and/or /Team leaders outside the restaurant every 30 minutes.
- 16. Where it is practical to do so, the Premises Licence Holder puts measures in place to limit noise. The doors are self-closing and music is played at low volume. Signage is displayed at the restaurant asking customers to leave the premises quietly.
- 17. Orders for food stops 15 minutes before closing and customers are reminded of the closing time. If necessary, staff will encourage customers to leave.
- 18. The restaurant uses third party delivery drivers who will be reminded not to make too much noise or otherwise cause a nuisance. The delivery company is notified of any concerns with the drivers.
- 19. Delivery drivers are encouraged to wait inside the premises. If they are in their vehicles, they are asked to turn their engine off, the music down, park considerately, and to have respect for our neighbours.

20. The Premises Licence Holder does not permit unaccompanied children under the age of 16 at any time. It does, however, take the safety of children and vulnerable adults very seriously and will ensure that they are protected from harm at all times when visiting the restaurant. KFC has a policy on Safeguarding and Modern Slavery.
21. All management will be trained regarding safeguarding issues.

REASONS:

The Committee gave serious consideration to the submissions by the Applicant and to the concerns raised by the objectors- particularly the Police, Public Health and the owner of a similar business operating in the immediate area. It took into account that the premises is located along a parade of shops in High Road Tottenham N17, the initial licence was granted in July 2022 and has been run without incident to date. It noted the applicant agreed to reduce the opening hours sought and to employ registered SIA door staff to act as a visible deterrent to antisocial behaviour during the hours of 2300 until close of business. Whilst the area is busy with multiple late evening food establishments and associated anti-social behaviour and street drinking, the Committee can see no justification to object to this application for variation, subject to the attached conditions, and deemed a grant of the application balanced the interest of the applicant, the local residents/business owners and the licencing objectives.

Appeal rights.

This decision is open to appeal to the Magistrates Court within the period of 21 days, beginning on the day upon which the applicant is notified of the decision. This decision does not take effect until the end of the appeal. Or, in the event that an appeal has been lodged, until their appeal is dispensed with.

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