

**Application for a New Premises Licence under the Licensing Act 2003 –**  
**365-369 Green Lanes, Green Lanes, London, N4**

The Licensing Sub-Committee carefully considered the application for a new premises licence for 365-369 Green Lanes, London, N4. 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, the Licensing Authority representation, the applicant's written and oral representations and the objectors' written and oral representations.

Having considered the application and heard from all the parties, the Committee decided to grant the application for a new premises licence with the following operating hours and additional conditions:

**Supply of Alcohol**

Sunday to Thursday	1100 to 2230 hours
Friday to Saturday	1100 to 2330 hours

Supply of alcohol **ON** the premises only.

**Hours open to Public**

Sunday to Thursday	0600 to 2300 hours
Friday and Saturday	0800 to 0000 hours

**Late Night Refreshment**

Friday and Saturday	2300 to 2330 hours
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**The Committee imposed the following conditions:**

1. All outside areas must be closed and cleared of customers by 2100 hours. Adequate notices shall be displayed to inform patrons of this requirement. The premises licence holder shall take appropriate measures to ensure that patrons using any outside areas do so in a quiet and orderly fashion.
2. Smoking Area: If patrons are to be allowed to use an outside area for smoking then:
  - (i) The area must be adequately monitored to ensure that the risk of crime and disorder in this area is adequately controlled.
  - (ii) Patrons must not be allowed to take drinks outside when they go to smoke.
  - (iii) The area must be provided with suitable ashtrays/bins.
  - (iv) The area must be regularly swept to remove cigarette ends

- (v) Adequate arrangements must be made to prevent overcrowding or disorder in the area.
3. A digital CCTV system must be installed in the premises complying with the following criteria:
- (a) Cameras must be sited to observe the entrance doors from both inside and outside.
  - (b) Cameras on the entrances must capture full frame shots of the heads and shoulders of all people entering the premises i.e. capable of identification.
  - (c) Cameras must be sited to cover all areas to which the public have access including any outside smoking areas.
  - (d) Provide a linked record of the date, time of any image.
  - (e) Provide good quality images - colour during opening times.
  - (f) Have a monitor to review images and recorded quality.
  - (g) Be regularly maintained to ensure continuous quality of image capture and retention.
  - (h) Member of staff trained in operating CCTV at venue during times open to the public.
  - (i) Digital images must be kept for 31 days. The equipment must have a suitable export method, e.g. CD/DVD writer so that Police can make an evidential copy of the data they require. Copies must be available within a reasonable time to Police on request.
4. An incident log shall be kept at the premises, it will be in a hardback durable format handwritten at the time of the incident or as near to as is reasonable and made available on request to the Police, which will record the following:
- (a) all crimes reported to the venue;
  - (b) all ejections of patrons;
  - (c) any complaints received;
  - (d) any incidents of disorder;
  - (e) seizures of drugs or offensive weapons;
  - (f) any faults in the CCTV system or searching equipment or scanning equipment;
  - (g) any refusal of the sale of alcohol;
  - (h) any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.
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- (a) A direct telephone number for the manager at the premises shall be publicly available at all times the premises are open. This telephone number shall be made available to residents and businesses in the vicinity.

- (b) The premises licence holder shall ensure that all sales staff receive appropriate training in relation to managing conflict and health and safety of the public and staff. Training documents shall be signed and dated and will be held in a suitable hard-copy log, to be made available to a Police Officer or Council Officer upon request. Said records shall be retained for at least 12 months.
6. Prevention of Public nuisance:
- (a) No noise generated on the premises, or by its associated plant or equipment, shall emanate from the premises, nor vibration be transmitted through the structure of the premises which gives rise to nuisance.
  - (b) All windows and external doors shall be kept closed after 23:00 hours except for the immediate access and egress of persons.
  - (c) Notices shall be prominently displayed at all exits requesting patrons to respect the needs of local residents and businesses and leave the area quietly.
  - (d) No fumes, steam or odours shall be emitted from the licensed premises so as to cause a nuisance to any persons living or carrying on business in the area where the premises are situated.
  - (e) The direction of lighting in the rear area must be directed away from any domestic premises so as not cause any light intrusion.
  - (f) Noise and/or Odour from any flue used for the dispersal of cooking smells serving the building shall not cause a nuisance to the occupants of any properties in the vicinity. Any filters, ducting and extract fan shall be cleaned and serviced regularly.
  - (g) In the event of a noise/nuisance complaint substantiated by an authorised officer, the licensee shall take appropriate measures in order to prevent any recurrence.
  - (h) Prominent, clear and legible notices must be displayed at all exits (including the rear seating area) requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to leave the premises and the area quietly.
7. Public safety
- (a) The licence holder will ensure that all staff receive appropriate training about emergency and general safety precautions and procedures.
  - (b) Two SIA registered door staff shall be employed daily between 8pm and closing time.
8. Protection of children from harm:
- The premises will operate the 'Challenge 25' proof of age scheme where:
- (a) All staff will be fully trained in its operation;

- (b) Only suitable forms of photographic identification, such as passport or UK driving licence, or holograph equipped 'PASS' scheme cards, will be accepted; and
- (c) No one under the age of 18 years will be admitted into the external area of the premises.

## **Reasons**

The Committee considered that the concerns raised by the objectors in their written and oral representations were reasonable concerns. The Committee was satisfied that a premises of this size would attract a lot of patrons and would need a comprehensive set of conditions to manage the likely impact of noise and other nuisance on local residents. The Committee accepted that the licence holder was offering a different business to the previous owner but retained some concerns about the manner in which it was proposed that the premises would operate.

The Committee felt that the applicants proposed layout plan needed additional clarification, in particular aspects of the plan dealing with the means of escape, which may need to be corrected by means of an application for a variation once the applicant has clarified his intentions as regards the layout.

In addition, although the Committee was not responsible for planning matters, it noted that there were some planning issues relating to the retractable roofing proposed and extraction system that required attention and wished as an informative matter only, to gently encourage the applicant to get planning matters resolved to the satisfaction of the planning authority without delay.

As regards the outside area, the Committee considered that the outside space needed to be managed in a way that would promote the licensing objectives with respect to nuisance, which had been a concern of the residents and decided that closing the outside area by 9pm would reduce the risk of the premises undermining the licensing objective with respect to public nuisance.

## **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 appellant is notified of the decision. This decision does not take effect until the end of the appeal period or, in the event that an appeal has been lodged, until the appeal is dispensed with.

Date: 3 August 2021