# Report to the Licensing Sub-Committee

# Date of meeting: 04th July 2017

Subject: New Premises Licence Golden Anchor, 28 The Broadway, Loughton, Essex, IG10 3ST

Responsible Officer: Handan Ibrahim Licensing Compliance Officer

Democratic Services: A Hendry, Democratic Services

## **Decisions Required:**

To determine the application for a new Premises Licence under the Licensing Act 2003

## Report:

## Application

- 1. An application has been made by Mr Esin Nidai for a new premises licence at 28 The Broadway, Loughton, Essex, IG10 3ST, the application is for the supply of alcohol Monday Sunday 11:00-22:30.
- 2. The application was received on the 15<sup>th</sup> May 2017
- **3.** The Operating Schedule sets out conditions which will be attached to the licence if this application is granted.

## Licensing Act 2003

- **4.** When considering an application for a licence the licensing authority must have regard to steps that are appropriate to promote of the licensing objectives.
  - These are—
  - (a) the prevention of crime and disorder;
  - (b) public safety;
  - (c) the prevention of public nuisance; and
  - (d) the protection of children from harm.
- **5.** It must also have regard to its Statement of Licensing Policy and any guidance issued by the Secretary of State.

## Consultation

- **6.** The Responsible Authorities have received a copy of the application, it was also advertised at the premises and in a local newspaper.
- 7. All residences and businesses within 150 meters radius of the premises were individually consulted.
- 8. The authority has received representations from local residents, which are also attached. Responses have been received from The Police and the Essex Fire Service who have no objections.



**9.** The Objections relate to the prevention of crime and disorder and the prevention of public nuisance.

## Guidance Issued by the Secretary of State

- **10.** The Licensing Act 2003 provides that the licensing authority must 'have regard to' guidance issued by the Secretary of State under section 182.
- **11.** Sections 2.1 to 2.6 and 2.15-2.21 of the Guidance are relevant to this application

## Options

In determining this application the Sub-Committee may take any of the following steps as it considers necessary for the promotion of the licensing objectives, namely:

- (a) to grant the licence as applied for subject to
  - the conditions mentioned in the Operating Schedule modified as the Subcommittee considers necessary for the promotion of the licensing objectives, and
  - the mandatory conditions specified in the Licensing Act 2003, or
- (b) to exclude from the scope of the licence any licensable activities to which the application relates, or
- (c) refuse to specify a person as the premises supervisor, or
- (d) reject the application

## Determination

The Sub-committee is asked to determine the application having regard to

- (a) the content of this report and representations
- (b) any additional information obtained from the hearing
- (c) the Council's statement of licensing policy
- (d) Guidance issued by the Secretary of State, and
- (e) the steps appropriate to promote the licensing objectives.

## Appeal

If any party is aggrieved with the decision they can appeal to Magistrates court. The appeal period is 21 days from notification of the decision.

## Background Papers Used In Preparing This Report:

- The Licensing Act 2003 http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2003/17/contents?view=plain
- The Secretary of State's Guidance issued under Section 182 Licensing Act 2003
- Epping Forest District Council's statement of licensing policy.
  <u>http://www.eppingforestdc.gov.uk</u>

## Attached documents

- Application for premises licence
- Plan of the premises
- Newspaper advert
- Map of the area
- Blue Notice
- One letter of objections from a local resident