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# Licensing Sub-Committee

# Monday 11 May 2015 at 10.00 am

To be held at the Town Hall, Pinstone Street, Sheffield, S1 2HH

The Press and Public are Welcome to Attend

Membership

Councillors Da<mark>vid Barker (</mark>Chair), Anne Murphy and Joyce Wright Geoff Smith (R<mark>eserv</mark>e)



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# LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE AGENDA 11 MAY 2015

# **Order of Business**

- 1. Welcome and Housekeeping Arrangements
- 2. Apologies for Absence
- 3. Exclusion of Public and Press To identify items where resolutions may be moved to exclude the press and public
- 4. Declarations of Interest Members to declare any interests they have in the business to be considered at the meeting
- 5. Licensing Act 2003 Tesco, Sharrow Lane, Sheffield S7 1LJ Report of the Chief Licensing Officer

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# ADVICE TO MEMBERS ON DECLARING INTERESTS AT MEETINGS

If you are present at a meeting of the Council, of its executive or any committee of the executive, or of any committee, sub-committee, joint committee, or joint sub-committee of the authority, and you have a **Disclosable Pecuniary Interest** (DPI) relating to any business that will be considered at the meeting, you must <u>not</u>:

- participate in any discussion of the business at the meeting, or if you become aware of your Disclosable Pecuniary Interest during the meeting, participate further in any discussion of the business, or
- participate in any vote or further vote taken on the matter at the meeting.

These prohibitions apply to any form of participation, including speaking as a member of the public.

# You must:

- leave the room (in accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct)
- make a verbal declaration of the existence and nature of any DPI at any meeting at which you are present at which an item of business which affects or relates to the subject matter of that interest is under consideration, at or before the consideration of the item of business or as soon as the interest becomes apparent.
- declare it to the meeting and notify the Council's Monitoring Officer within 28 days, if the DPI is not already registered.

If you have any of the following pecuniary interests, they are your **disclosable pecuniary interests** under the new national rules. You have a pecuniary interest if you, or your spouse or civil partner, have a pecuniary interest.

- Any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain, which you, or your spouse or civil partner undertakes.
- Any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from your council or authority) made or provided within the relevant period\* in respect of any expenses incurred by you in carrying out duties as a member, or towards your election expenses. This includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992.

\*The relevant period is the 12 months ending on the day when you tell the Monitoring Officer about your disclosable pecuniary interests.

- Any contract which is made between you, or your spouse or your civil partner (or a body in which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, has a beneficial interest) and your council or authority –
  - under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed; and
  - which has not been fully discharged.

- Any beneficial interest in land which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, have and which is within the area of your council or authority.
- Any licence (alone or jointly with others) which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, holds to occupy land in the area of your council or authority for a month or longer.
- Any tenancy where (to your knowledge)
  - the landlord is your council or authority; and
  - the tenant is a body in which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, has a beneficial interest.
- Any beneficial interest which you, or your spouse or your civil partner has in securities of a body where -
  - (a) that body (to your knowledge) has a place of business or land in the area of your council or authority; and
  - (b) either -
    - the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body; or
    - if the share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which you, or your spouse or your civil partner, has a beneficial interest exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.

If you attend a meeting at which any item of business is to be considered and you are aware that you have a **personal interest** in the matter which does not amount to a DPI, you must make verbal declaration of the existence and nature of that interest at or before the consideration of the item of business or as soon as the interest becomes apparent. You should leave the room if your continued presence is incompatible with the 7 Principles of Public Life (selflessness; integrity; objectivity; accountability; openness; honesty; and leadership).

You have a personal interest where -

- a decision in relation to that business might reasonably be regarded as affecting the well-being or financial standing (including interests in land and easements over land) of you or a member of your family or a person or an organisation with whom you have a close association to a greater extent than it would affect the majority of the Council Tax payers, ratepayers or inhabitants of the ward or electoral area for which you have been elected or otherwise of the Authority's administrative area, or
- it relates to or is likely to affect any of the interests that are defined as DPIs but are in respect of a member of your family (other than a partner) or a person with whom you have a close association.

Guidance on declarations of interest, incorporating regulations published by the Government in relation to Disclosable Pecuniary Interests, has been circulated to you previously.

You should identify any potential interest you may have relating to business to be considered at the meeting. This will help you and anyone that you ask for advice to fully consider all the circumstances before deciding what action you should take.

In certain circumstances the Council may grant a **dispensation** to permit a Member to take part in the business of the Authority even if the member has a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest relating to that business.

To obtain a dispensation, you must write to the Monitoring Officer at least 48 hours before the meeting in question, explaining why a dispensation is sought and desirable, and specifying the period of time for which it is sought. The Monitoring Officer may consult with the Independent Person or the Council's Standards Committee in relation to a request for dispensation.

Further advice can be obtained from Gillian Duckworth, Director of Legal and Governance on 0114 2734018 or email <u>gillian.duckworth@sheffield.gov.uk</u>.

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# Agenda Item 5



# SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL Licensing Sub Committee Report

Report of:	Chief Licensing Officer, Head of Licensing		
Date:	Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2015		
Subject:	Licensing Act 2003		
Author of Report:	Georgina Hollis		
Summary:	To consider an application to grant a premises licence made under the Licensing Act 2003.		
	Tesco, Sharrow Lane, Sheffield, S7 1LJ		
Recommendations:	That members carefully consider the representations made and take suc steps, as the Sub Committee consider necessary for the promotion of the Licensing Objectives.		
Background Papers:	Attached documents		
Category of Report:	OPEN		

# REPORT OF THE CHIEF LICENSING OFFICERRef No 30/15(HEAD OF LICENSING) TO THE LICENSING SUB COMMITTEELICENSING ACT 2003

# Tesco, Sharrow Lane, Sheffield, S7 1LJ

# 1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 To consider an application for the grant of a premises licence made under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003.

# 2.0 THE APPLICATION

- 2.1 The applicant is Tesco Stores Ltd.
- 2.2 The application, which was received on 18<sup>th</sup> March 2015, is attached to this report labelled Appendix 'A'. Any blank pages have been omitted to save paper, but the original application will be available at the hearing.

# 3.0 REASONS FOR REFERRAL

- 3.1 Representations concerning the application have been received from the following and are attached at Appendix B:-
  - 1 Councillor Objection
  - 5 Public Objections
  - 1 Petition detailing 33 objector details lead spokes person, Mr Sadiq
- 3.2 There are no outstanding representations from any Responsible Authority.
- 3.3 The applicant, objectors and lead petitioner have been invited to attend the hearing. Copies of the front page of the notices are attached to this report labelled Appendix 'C'

# 4.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

4.1 There are no specific financial implications arising from this application. However, additional costs may be incurred should the matter go to appeal. In such an eventuality it may not be possible to recover all these costs. The impact of these additional costs (if any) will be kept under review and may be subject of a further report during the year.

# 5.0 THE LEGAL POSITION

- 5.1 The Licensing Act 2003 at section 4 (1) requires the Licensing Authority to carry out its functions with a view to promoting the Licensing Objectives which section 4(2) sets out as:
  - a) the prevention of crime and disorder,
  - b) public safety,
  - c) the prevention of public nuisance,
  - d) the protection of children from harm.

5.2 Section 4(3) of the Licensing Act also requires the Licensing Authority to have regard to the published statement of Licensing Policy and any guidance issued by the Secretary of State under section 182.

# 6.0 HEARINGS REGULATIONS

- 6.1 Regulations governing hearings under the Licensing Act 2003 have been made by the Secretary of State.
- 6.2 The Licensing Authority has provided all parties with the information required in the Regulations to the 2003 Act as set out at Appendix 'C'.
- 6.3 Attached at Appendix 'C' is the following:
  - a) a copy of the Notice of Hearing;
  - b) the rights of a party provided in Regulations 15 and 16;
  - c) the consequences if a party does not attend or is not represented at the hearing
  - d) the procedure to be followed at the hearing.

# 7.0 APPEALS

7.1 The Licensing Act 2003 section 181 and Schedule 5 makes provision for appeals to be made by the applicant and those making representations against decisions of the Licensing Authority to the Magistrates' Court.

# 8.0 **RECOMMENDATIONS**

8.1 That Members carefully consider the representations made and take such steps as the Sub Committee consider appropriate for the promotion of the Licensing Objectives.

# 9.0 OPTIONS OPEN TO THE COMMITTEE

- 9.1 To grant the premises licence in the terms requested.
- 9.2 To grant the premises licence with conditions.
- 9.3 To reject the whole or part of the application.

Stephen Lonnia Chief Licensing Officer Head of Licensing



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Sheffield Application for a premises licence Licensing Act 2003

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		* required information
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You can save the form	at any time and resume it later. You do not need to	be logged in when you resume.
System reference	Not Currently In Use	This is the unique reference for this application generated by the system.
Your reference	4349	You can put what you want here to help you track applications if you make lots of them. It is passed to the authority.
Are you an agent acting	g on behalf of the applicant? • No	Put "no" if you are applying on your own behalf or on behalf of a business you own or work for.
Applicant Details		
* First name	Tesco Stores Ltd	
* Family name	Tesco Stores Ltd	
* E-mail	licensing.team@uk.tesco.com	
Main telephone numbe	er 01707634837	Include country code.
Other telephone number		
📋 Indicate here if yo	ou would prefer not to be contacted by telephone	
Are you:		
<ul> <li>Applying as a business or organisation, including as a sole trader</li> <li>Applying as an individual</li> </ul>		A sole trader is a business owned by one person without any special legal structure. Applying as an individual means you are applying so you can be employed, or for some other personal reason, such as following a hobby.
Applicant Business		
* Is your business regist in the UK with Compani House?		
* Registration number	519500	
* Business name	Tesco Stores Ltd	If your business is registered, use its registered name.
* VAT number G	B 220 4302 3	Put "none" if you are not registered for VAT.
* Legal status Public Limited Company		

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* Your position in the busines		]
Home country	United Kingdom	The country where the headquarters of your business is located.
Registered Address		Address registered with Companies House.
* Building number or name	Cirrus Building	]
* Street	Shire Park	
District		
* City or town	WGC	
County or administrative area	Herts	
* Postcode	AL7 1ZR	
* Country	United Kingdom	
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PREMISES DETAILS		
	ply for a premises licence under section 17 of th he premises) and I/we are making this application of the Licensing Act 2003.	
Premises Address		
Are you able to provide a posta	al address, OS map reference or description of t	ne premises?
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Postal Address Of Premises		
Building number or name	Tesco Stores Ltd	
Street	Sharrow Lane	
District		
City or town	Sheffield	
County or administrative area	Sheffield	
Postcode	S7 1L	
Country	United Kingdom	
Further Details		
Telephone number		
Non-domestic rateable value of premises (£)		

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# **APPLICATION DETAILS** In what capacity are you applying for the premises licence? An individual or individuals A limited company A partnership An unincorporated association A recognised club A charity The proprietor of an educational establishment A health service body A person who is registered under part 2 of the Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respect of an independent hospital in Wales A person who is registered under Chapter 2 of Part 1 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 in respect of the carrying on of a regulated

- activity (within the meaning of that Part) in an independent hospital in England
- The chief officer of police of a police force in England and Wales
- Other (for example a statutory corporation)

# **Confirm The Following**

- I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves  $\boxtimes$ the use of the premises for licensable activities
- I am making the application pursuant to a statutory function
- I am making the application pursuant to a function discharged by Π virtue of Her Majesty's prerogative

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### **NON INDIVIDUAL APPLICANTS**

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

### Non Individual Applicant's Name

Name	
Details	
Registered number (where applicable)	

Description of applicant (for example partnership, company, unincorporated association etc)



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PROVISION OF PLA	YS
Will you be providir	ng plays?
	No
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PROVISION OF FILM	AS
Will you be providin	ig films?
	No
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PROVISION OF IND	OOR SPORTING EVENTS
Will you be providin	g indoor sporting events?
	No
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PROVISION OF BOX	ING OR WRESTLING ENTERTAINMENTS
Will you be providin	g boxing or wrestling entertainments?
	No
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PROVISION OF LIVE	MUSIC
Will you be providin	g live music?
	No
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PROVISION OF REC	DRDED MUSIC
Will you be providing	g recorded music?
C Yes	No
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PROVISION OF PERI	FORMANCES OF DANCE
Will you be providing	g performances of dance?
	No
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PROVISION OF ANY DANCE	THING OF A SIMILAR DESCRIPTION TO LIVE MUSIC, RECORDED MUSIC OR PERFORMANCES OF
Will you be providing performances of dan	g anything similar to live music, recorded music or ce?
← Yes	No
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LATE NIGHT REFRES	HMENT
Will you be providing	g late night refreshment?

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SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL	·····	
Will you be selling or supplying alcohol?		
Yes     C     No		
Standard Days And Timings		
MONDAY	Give timings in 24	hour clock.
Start 06:00	End 23:00 (e.g., 16:00) and or	nly give details for the day
Start	End to be used for the	you intend the premises activity.
TUESDAY		
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Start	End	
WEDNESDAY		
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THURSDAY		
Start 06:00	End 23:00	
Start	End	
FRIDAY	······································	
Start 06:00	End 23:00	
Start	End	
SATURDAY		
Start 06:00	End 23:00	
Start	End	
SUNDAY		
Start 06:00	End 23:00	
Start	End	
Will the sale of alcohol be for consumption:		ol is for consumption on
C On the premises ( Off the pre	emises C Both is for consumption select off. If the sale	e premises and away
State any seasonal variations		
For example (but not exclusively) where the ac	at the could be a counter and although the set of the set	

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Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the supply of alcohol at different times from those listed in the
column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

State the name and details of t licence as premises supervisor	the individual whom you wish to specify on the	2
Name		
First name	Greg	
Family name	Bartley	]
Enter the contact's address		
Building number or name	39	]
Street	Offley Rd	]
District		]
City or town	Hitchin	]
County or administrative area	Herts	]
Postcode	SG5 2BB	
Country	United Kingdom	]
Personal Licence number (if known)	HARLOW/PERS/0094	]
lssuing licensing authority (if known)	Harlow	]
PROPOSED DESIGNATED PRE	MISES SUPERVISOR CONSENT	
How will the consent form of the supplied to the authority?	ne proposed designated premises supervisor	
C Electronically, by the prop	posed designated premises supervisor	
• As an attachment to this a	application	
Reference number for consent form (if known)		If the consent form is already submitted, ask the proposed designated premises supervisor for its 'system reference' or 'your reference'.
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### **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, for example (but not exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups etc gambling machines etc.

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HOURS PREMISES ARE C	OPEN TO THE PUBLIC	
Standard Days And Tim	lings	
MONDAY		Give timings in 24 hour clock.
	Start 06:00	End 23:00 (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days
	Start	End to be used for the activity.
TUESDAY		
	Start 06:00	End 23:00
	Start	End
WEDNESDAY		
:	Start 06:00	End 23:00
:	Start	End
THURSDAY		
9	Start 06:00	End 23:00
2	Start	End
FRIDAY		
9	Start 06:00	End 23:00
5	Start	End
SATURDAY		
5	Start 06:00	End 23:00
5	Start	End
SUNDAY		
<u>-</u>	Start 06:00	End 23:00
<u>-</u>	Start	End
State any seasonal variation	ons	Page 16

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For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises to be open to the members and guests at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

## Section 18 of 19

## LICENSING OBJECTIVES

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

a) General - all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e)

List here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.

We are a national retailer that sells alcohol as part of a broad offering of goods and services. We have held off-licences in our stores for many years and are an approved British Institute of Inn-keeping examination centre. We have written training policies and formal training programmes are in place, which ensure our people are equipped to meet all licensing objectives. All training and revision/refresher materials are reviewed regularly. All stores currently comply with our 'Think 25' policy, this is brought to customer's attention through point of sale material within the store. We take legal compliance very seriously and in addition to local training we employ a central alcohol licensing compliance manager and have a compliance committee.

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

The premises will have digital CCTV system that covers many areas of the shop floor, including the proposed area which will be used for beer and wine, should we be successful with our application.

Images will be retained for a minimum of 21 days and made available on enforcement request.

Ordinarily, a member of the Management team will be on the premises all the time the store is open. A person will have responsibility for the premises whilst the premises are open.

c) Public safety

A person will have responsibility for the premises whilst the premises are open. Management will be trained to support the running of the premises including looking after our customers and staff. The store will adhere to all rules and regulations relating to public safety.

d) The prevention of public nuisance

We intend to be an active member of the community. We welcome the opportunity to liaise with Police and enforcement authorities should the need arise.



e) The protection of children from harm

All staff will be trained and regularly refreshed in the corporate 'Think 25' Policy. Staff will be trained to look at the customer and 'Think 25' when selling alcohol.

A till prompt will appear on the initial sale of alcohol that will remind the seller of their responsibilities including not to sell alcohol to anyone under the age of 18.

The store will display signage around the premises informing both staff and customers of our 'Think 25' policy on alcohol.

### Section 19 of 19

### PAYMENT DETAILS

This fee must be paid to the authority. If you complete the application online, you must pay it by debit or credit card.

Premises Licence Fees are determined by the non domestic rateable value of the premises.

To find out a premises non domestic rateable value go to the Valuation Office Agency site at http://www.voa.gov.uk/business\_rates/index.htm

Band A - No RV to £4300	£100.00
Band B - £4301 to £33000	£190.00
Band C - £33001 to £8700	£315.00
Band D - £87001 to £12500	£450.00*
Band E - £125001 and over	£635.00*

\*If the premises rateable value is in Bands D or E and the premises is primarily used for the consumption of alcohol on the premises then your are required to pay a higher fee

Band D - £87001 to £12500	£900.00
Band E - £125001 and over	£1,905.00

There is an exemption from the payment of fees in relation to the provision of regulated entertainment at church halls, chapel halls or premises of a similar nature, village halls, parish or community halls, or other premises of a similar nature. The costs associated with these licences will be met by central Government. If, however, the licence also authorises the use of the premises for the supply of alcohol or the provision of late night refreshment, a fee will be required.

Schools and sixth form colleges are exempt from the fees associated with the authorisation of regulated entertainment where the entertainment is provided by and at the school or college and for the purposes of the school or college.

If you operate a large event you are subject to ADDITIONAL fees based upon the number in attendance at any one time

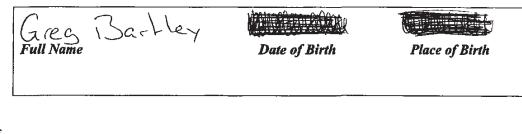
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* Capacity	Licensing Manager				
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# Consent of individual to being specified as designated premises supervisor





hereby confirm that I give my consent to be specified as the designated premises supervisor in relation to the application for varying a premises licence to specify an individual as designated premises supervisor under section 37 of the Licensing Act 2003 by Tesco Stores Ltd relating to a premises licence:

Tesco Stores Ltd for Store Number: 4349 Store Address: Sharrow Lane, Sheffield, S7111

and any premises licence to be granted or varied in respect of the application made by Tesco Stores Ltd concerning the supply of alcohol at the above premises.

I also confirm that I am applying for, intend to apply for or currently hold a personal licence, detalls of which I set out below.

Personal licence number

HARLOW/RERS/0094

Personal Licence issuing authority

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Appendix B

1 Councillor Objection
 5 Public Objections (Appendix 'B')
 1 Petition detailing 33 objector details



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Objection

From: Dietsch Jason (CEX)
Sent: 17 April 2015 13:53
To: licensingservice
Cc: Smalley SarahJane (GN CLLR); Murphy Robert (GN CLLR); Creasy Jillian (GN CLLR); Lonnia Stephen (CEX)
Subject: FW: Response to licensing application - please forward

Hi,

Please find below for your attention, correspondence from Councillor Smalley regarding the application for a Premises Licence for Tesco, Sharrow Lane.

I've forwarded this on Councillor Smalley's behalf as she was unsure of where to send it using email. Would Notices normally include the Licensing Service email address?

Thanks

Jason

Jason Dietsch, Head of Member Services Sheffield City Council, Town Hall, Pinstone Street, Sheffield S1 2HH

Telephone: 0114 2734117 jason.dietsch@sheffield.gov.uk

From: Smalley SarahJane (GN CLLR)
Sent: 17 April 2015 13:28
To: Dietsch Jason (CEX)
Cc: Murphy Robert (GN CLLR); Creasy Jillian (GN CLLR)
Subject: Response to licensing application - please forward

Dear Jason,

r can't work out who I can email this note to the application notice (picture attached) only gives a postal address (how very dark ages!) – of the Staniforth Road Depot. Please can you work your magic and makes sure it gets to the right person? The deadline is the 17<sup>th</sup> (tomorrow) according to the notice.

Re: Tesco application for alcohol licence on Sharrow Lane.

Dear all,

I would like to object to this licensing application as I am concerned about the potential impact on our neighbourhood. As well as being the local Councillor, I live literally around the corner from this new building. It is bang opposite a large council housing estate and close to a number of halfway houses. It is a designated residential area on the UDP and, to my mind and that of many others in the community, should never have been granted planning permission in the first place. It is clearly a danger to public safety, to the safety of our children who attend the local school (in terms of traffic, and granting this licence will generate additional deliveries) and will likely draw the street drinkers and drugs users who sometimes hang around. For whom there are many halfway houses and B&Bs in the local neighbourhood.

At present, the only very local shop which sells alcohol only sells two high percentage beers and he sells them at a relatively high price point. The owner actively wants to encourage people to drink sensibly and to discourage any anti-social behaviour. He and his staff won't serve anyone who looks underage and take an active part in the community.

I am concerned that granting this licence will mean that cheap alcohol is available which will pull people to Sharrow Lane who otherwise would not have come into this residential area. There is a low wall around the Tesco car-park (there is space for around 8 vehicles to park) and I am concerned that people are going to sit on the wall and drink and be a public nuisance. Ours is not an affluent area. I imagine that Tesco will be matching their price points to local people's low incomes to entice them to buy.

We already get some street noise in our residential area, due to the make-up of the area – with students and halfway houses and the like. I can't imagine that making cheap alcohol readily available is going to help this situation. Further, it is likely to draw other people (ie those who live this side of Nether Edge who would have gone to Sainsbury's at Nether Edge previously).

Our local school – Sharrow Juniors – is within a few hundred yards of this Tesco. 85% of children there are from BME backgrounds and this gives an indication of the ethnic make-up of our area. Many people are from muslim backgrounds and do not drink alcohol. This licence will not help them, whilst driving business to the Tesco, impacting on the many British Asian shopkeepers in the area.

At the planning meeting for this Tesco – to which the local MP, the three local councillors and 300+ people objected – there was concern about the traffic management and delivery plan. Additional deliveries for alcohol sales will obviously impact on this questionable 'plan' (to empty the car-park when deliveries are made – and all deliveries to be made within sociable hours as this is a residential area).

Initally the developer of this land invented a bogus company "Sharrow Organic Supplies" to try and hoodwink the local community into thinking that this would be an independent shop. The builders have flouted regulations including using the pavement and highway for weeks on end without a licence (pictures attached). Even this application is for a timeframe (from 6am) which,

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were the shop to open then would be a breach of the permission given (Condition 20 – ref 13/03495/FUL). As a result of these behaviours, I am utterly unconvinced that there is any real intention to keep to any guidelines given.

Finally, I am concerned that the supermarket staff won't have the same integrity in their dealings with the community and that young people will be able to buy alcohol underage.

Please don't grant this application.

Best wishes, Sarah Jane Smalley

Councillor Sarah Jane Smalley Sheffield Central Ward



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# **Hollis Georgina (CEX)**

From: Sent: To: Subject:	Tabarak Sadiq <del>«explicit Long</del> @gmail.com> 17 April 2015 19:37 licensingservice Objection : Tesco Stores Ltd, Former St. Johns Chucrh, Sharrow Lane, Sheffield, S11 8AN.
Categories:	Nina Hollis

Dear Sirs,

Tesco Stores Ltd, Former St. Johns Chucrh, Sharrow Lane, Sheffield, S11 8AN.

I am writing to register my objection to the application for a premises licence by Tesco Stores Ltd for the former St. Johns Church Site, Sharrow Lane, Sheffield. The basis for this opposition is that granting a licence for these premises will not promote the licensing objectives, particularly the prevention of crime, disorder and antisocial behaviour.

The application proposes that alcohol will be sold for consumption off the premises between 6:00am and 7.00pm, seven days a week. This timeframe is a problem to begin with as the planning permission sought for the site was granted on the basis that the store will be open from 7am and the timing requested on the alcohol licence application contradicts this which may not be permissible. Granting a licence would provide a further source of alcohol within an area already so heavily populated with licensed premises that crime, disorder and public nuisance have already reached problem levels.

Residents in this area already suffer noise nuisance and antisocial behavior. This will be further amplified significantly as there is very limited parking available at the site (only 7 normal spaces and one disabled bay) and there is only a single entry and exit point from and onto already a very busy road. This will cause significant noise as well as congestion. The traffic management plan for the site also states that the car park will have to be completely empty for the delivery lorries to come onto the site and they can only come down the road and not up from London Road side which cannot practically work at all. In fact, all this will do is cause further noise pollution, nuisance, seriously risk the safety of the local residents and add to the misery. This represents a particular, danger to the young children attending the school only yards away from the site and they will have to pass the site daily. It is bad enough here already and the residents cannot be expected to endure any more.

In view of the above, I would urge the Licensing Authority to refuse the application.

Yours faithfully,

Mr Sadiq Sharrow Lane Sheffield

To: Licensing Section Sheffield City Council Block C, Staniforth Road, Sheffield S9 3HD

will increase Alcholism in the area and thearten local basiness Name: philippa o'conhor Address: 100 langdon street G11

To: Licensing Section Sheffield City Council Block C, Staniforth Road, Sheffield S9 3HD

for the benefit of my fellow Lansdowne estate residents, I hereby Submit my objections to the tesco Licensing request: crime and general unsocial behaviour the safety of my fellow residents and the protection of young, influential Individuals. much appreciated 8

Name: Ben Repper Address: Washington road

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To: Licensing Section Sheffield City Council Block C, Staniforth Road, Sheffield S9 3HD

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- 3. prevention of public nuisance, and
- 4 the protection of children from harm

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Appendix C

Hearing Notices / Regulations / Procedures

# Notice of hearing of representations in respect of the following application: LA03 Premises Licence Application



Greg Bartley Tesco Stores Ltd Cirrus Building Shire Park Welwyn Garden City Herts AL7 1ZR

#### Licensing.team@uk.tesco.com

The Sheffield City Council being the licensing authority, on the 18<sup>th</sup> March 2015 received your application in respect of the premises known as;

#### Tesco, Sharrow Lane, Sheffield, S7 1LJ

During the consultation period, the Council received representations from the following authorities / interested parties:

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## 1 Petition detailing 33 representations

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- 1) Your response to the representations made, upon which you may ask and be asked questions by the parties to the hearing.
- 2) You may also be asked questions by the parties to the hearing, relating to your application for a licence.

Please complete the attached form LAR1 and return it to: Licensing Service, Sheffield City Council, Block C Staniforth Road Depot, Staniforth Road, Sheffield, S9 3HD within five (5) working days before the day or the first day on which the hearing is to be held.

Dated: 27<sup>th</sup> April 2015

Signed:

Georgina Hollis The officer appointed for this purpose Licensing Officer

Please address any communications to: Licensing Service Sheffield City Council, Block C Staniforth Road Depot Staniforth Road Sheffield S9 3HD.





# Notice of hearing of representations in respect of the following application: Application to Grant a Premises Licence

Councillor Sarah Jane Smalley Sheffield Central Ward

#### Sarahjane.Smalley@sheffield.gov.uk

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Mr Ben Pepper Washington Road Sheffield S11

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## Notice of hearing of representations in respect of the following application: <u>Application to Grant a Premises Licence</u>

Cory Heiley-Smith Shoreham Street Sheffield S2

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## Notice of hearing of representations in respect of the following application: Application to Grant a Premises Licence

Philippa O'Connor Langdon Street Sheffield S11

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#### Right of attendance, assistance and representation



15. Subject to regulations 14(2) and 25, a party may attend the hearing and may be assisted or represented by any person whether or not that person is legally qualified.

#### Representations and supporting information

- 16. At the hearing a party shall be entitled to -
  - (a) in response to a point upon which the authority has given notice to a party that it will want clarification under regulation 7(1)(d), give further information in support of their application, representations or notice (as applicable),
  - (b) if given permission by the authority, question any other party; and
  - (c) address the authority

#### Failure of parties to attend the hearing

- 20. (1) If a party has informed the authority that he does not intend to attend or be represented at a hearing, the hearing may proceed in his absence.
  - (2) If a party who has not so indicated fails to attend or be represented at a hearing the authority may:-
    - (a) where it considers it to be necessary in the public interest, adjourn the hearing to a specified date, or
    - (b) hold the hearing in the party's absence.
  - (3) Where the authority holds the hearing in the absence of a party, the authority shall consider at the hearing the application, representations or notice made by that party.
  - (4) Where the authority adjourns the hearing to a specified date it must forthwith notify the parties of the date, time and place to which the hearing has been adjourned.

#### Procedure at hearing

- 21. Subject to the provisions of the Regulations, the authority shall determine the procedure to be followed at the hearing.
- 22. At the beginning of the hearing, the authority shall explain to the parties the procedure which it proposes to follow at the hearing and shall consider any request made by a party under regulation 8(2) for permission for another person to appear at the hearing, such permission shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- 23. A hearing shall take the form of a discussion led by the authority and cross-examination shall not be permitted unless the authority considers that cross-examination is required for it to consider the representations, application or notice as the case may require.
- 24. The authority must allow the parties an equal maximum period of time in which to exercise their rights provided for at regulation 16.
- 25. The authority may require any person attending the hearing who in their opinion is behaving in a disruptive manner to leave the hearing and may –
  (a) refuse to permit that person to return, or

(b) permit him to return only on such conditions as the authority may specify,

but such a person may, before the end of the hearing, submit to the authority in writing any information which they would have been entitled to give orally had they not been required to leave.

### **Regulation 8**



- (1) A party shall give to the authority within the period of time provided for in the following provisions of this regulation a notice stating
  - (a) whether he intends to attend or be represented at the hearing;
  - (b) whether he considers a hearing to be unnecessary
- (2) In a case where a party wishes any other person (other than the person he intends to represent him at the hearing) to appear at the hearing, the notice referred to in paragraph (1) shall contain a request for permission for such other person to appear at the hearing accompanied by details of the name of that person and a brief description of the point or points on which that person may be able to assist the authority in relation to the application, representations or notice of the party making the request.
- (3) In the case of a hearing under -
  - (a) section 48(3)(a) (cancellation of interim authority notice following police objection), or
  - (b) section 105(2)(a) (counter notice following police objection to temporary event notice),

the party shall give the notice no later than one working day before the day or the first day on which the hearing is to be held.

- (4) In the case of a hearing under -
  - (a) section 167(5)(a) (review of premises licence following closure order),
  - (b) paragraph 4(3)(a) of Schedule 8 (determination of application for conversion of existing licence), paragraph 16(3)(a) of Schedule 8 (determination of application for conversion of existing club certificate)
  - (c) paragraph 26(3)(a) of Schedule 8 (determination of application by holder of justices' licence for grant of personal licence),

the party shall give the notice no later than two working days before the day or the first day on which the hearing is to be held.

(5) In any other case, the party shall give the notice no later than five working days before the day or the first day on which the hearing is to be held.

# This procedure has been drawn up in accordance with the Licensing Act 2003 to assist those parties attending Licensing Committee hearings.

- 1. The hearing before the Council is Quasi Judicial.
- 2. The Chair of the Licensing Committee will introduce the Committee and ask officers to introduce themselves.
- 3. The Chair will ask the applicants to formally introduce themselves.
- 4. The Solicitor to the Committee will outline the procedure to be followed at the hearing.
- 5. Hearing Procedure:-
  - (a) The Licensing Officer will introduce the report.
  - (b) Questions concerning the report can be asked both by Members and the applicant.
  - (c) The Licensing Officer will introduce in turn representatives for the Responsible Authority and Interested Parties who will be asked to detail their relevant representations.
  - (d) Members may ask questions of those parties
  - (e) With the leave of the Chair the applicant or his representative may cross examine the representatives of the Responsible Authorities and Interested Parties.
  - (f) The applicant/licensee (or his/her nominated representative) will then be asked to:-
    - (i) detail the application;
    - (ii) provide clarification on the application and respond to the representations made.
  - (g) The applicant/licensee (or his/her nominated representative) may then be asked questions by members and with the leave of the Chair from the other parties present.
  - (h) The applicant will then be given the opportunity to sum up the application.
  - (i) The Licensing Officer will then detail the options.
  - (j) There will then be a private session for members to take legal advice and consider the application.
- 6. The decision of the Licensing Committee will be given in accordance with the requirements of the Licensing Act 2003 and regulations made there under.
- NB: 1) At any time in the Licensing Process Members of the Committee may request legal advice from the Solicitor to the Committee. This advice may be given in open session or in private.
  - 2) The Committee Hearing will be held in public unless and in accordance with the Regulations the Committee determine that the public should be excluded.

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