

AGENDA

Regulatory Sub Committee

Date:	Monday 20 June 2016
Time:	2.00 pm
Place:	Committee Room1, The Shire Hall, St Peter's Square, Hereford, HR1 2HX
Notes:	Please note the time, date and venue of the meeting. For any further information please contact:
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Agenda for the Meeting of the Regulatory Sub Committee

Membership

Councillor PA Andrews Councillor CR Butler Councillor AR Round

AGENDA

1. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

To elect a Chairman for the hearing.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive any declarations of interest by Members in respect of items on the agenda.

3. APPLICATION FOR A NEW PREMISES LICENCE IN RESPECT OF 9-34 'KUBUS POLSKI SKLEP, 22 EIGN GATE, HEREFORD, HR4 0AB' -LICENSING ACT 2003

To consider an application for a new premises licence in respect of the 'Kubus Polski Sklep, 22 Eign Gate, Hereford, HR4 0AB'.

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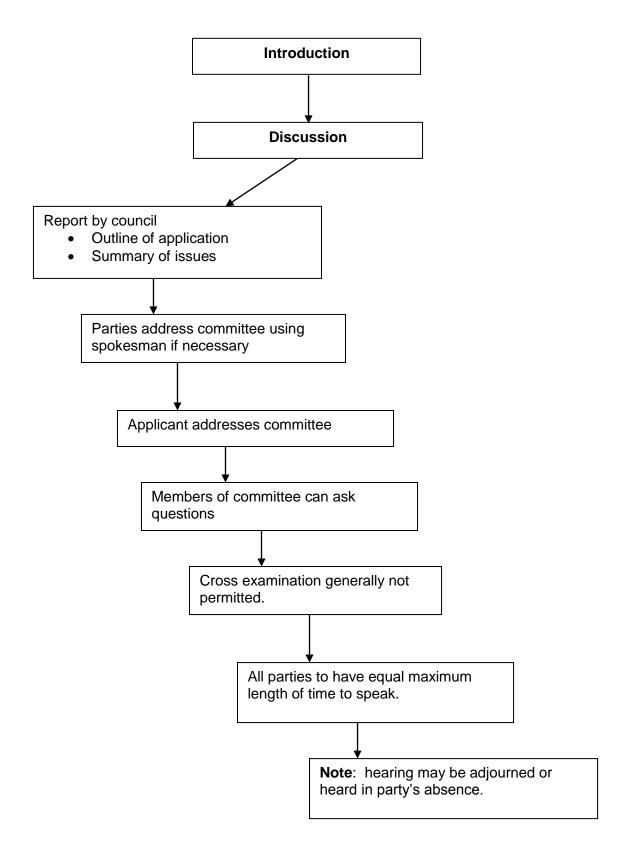
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Licensing Hearing Flowchart





Meeting:	Regulatory Sub-Committee
Meeting date:	20 th June 2016
Title of report:	APPLICATION FOR A NEW PREMISES
	LICENCE IN RESPECT OF 'KUBUS POLSKI
	SKLEP, 22 EIGN GATE, HEREFORD, HR4
	0AB' – LICENSING ACT 2003
Report by:	FRED SPRIGGS - LICENSING OFFICER

Classification

Open

Key Decision

This is not an executive decision.

Wards Affected

Central

Purpose

To consider an application for a new premises licence in respect of the 'Kubus Polski Sklep, 22 Eign Gate, Hereford, HR4 0AB'.

Recommendation

That:

The Sub-Committee determine the application with a view to promoting the licensing objectives in the overall interests of the local community. They should give appropriate weight to:

- The steps that are appropriate to promote the licensing objectives,
- The representations (including supporting information) presented by all parties,
- The Guidance issued to local authorities under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003, and
- The Herefordshire Council Statement of Licensing Policy 2015 2020.

Options

1. There are a number of options open to the Sub-Committee:

- a) Grant the licence subject to conditions that are consistent with the operating schedule accompanying the application and the mandatory conditions set out in the Licensing Act 2003,
- c) Grant the licence subject to modified conditions to that of the operating schedule where the committee considers it appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives and add mandatory conditions set out in the Licensing Act 2003,
- d) To exclude from the scope of the licence any of the licensable activities to which the application relates,
- e) To refuse to specify a person in the licence as the premise supervisor, or
- f) To reject the application.

Reasons for Recommendations

2. Ensures compliance with the Licensing Act 2003.

Key Considerations

3. Licence Application

The application (appendix a) for a new premises licence has received representation and is brought before the committee for determination.

4. The matter appeared before this committee on 1st June were the matter was adjourned to todays date at the request of the applicant.

Summary of Application

5. The details of the application are:

Applicant	Agnieszka Gizak		
	22 Eign Gate, Hereford, HR4 0AB		
Solicitor	N/K		
Type of application:	Date received: 7 th April 2016	28 Days consultation ended 4 th May 2016	
New	-		

 The application requests that: Supply of Alcohol (Off premsies)

0800 – 2200 All days

Non Standard Timings: None

Summary of Representations

7. **Two (2)** Representations has been received from the Responsible Authorities (Trading Standards and the Police). The police object to the licence being granted.

Trading Standards requested a number of conditions which have been agreed. The representations from the police and trading standards can be found at appendix b & c.

- 8. The police have requested that the committee impose the conditions as shown at appendix d if they are mindful to grant the application.
- 9. The matter is bought before Committee for determination.

Community Impact

10. Any decision is unlikely to have any impact on the local community.

Equality duty

11. There are no equality or human rights issues in relation to the content of this report.

Financial implications

12. There are unlikely to be any financial implications for the authority at this time.

Legal Implications

13. The Committee should be aware of a number of stated cases which have appeared before the Administrative Court and are binding on the Licensing Authority.

The case of Daniel Thwaites Plc v Wirral Borough Magistrates' Court (Case No: CO/5533/2006) at the High Court of Justice Queen's Bench Division Administrative Court on 6 May 2008, [2008] EWHC 838 (Admin), 2008 WL 1968943, Before the Honourable Mrs Justice Black.

In this case it was summed up that: -

A licensing authority must have regard to guidance issued by the Secretary of State under section 182. Licensing authorities may depart from it if they have reason to do so but will need to give full reasons for their actions.

Furthermore the Thwaites case established that only conditions should be attached to a licence with a view to promoting the Licensing objectives and that 'real evidence' must be presented to support the reason for imposing these conditions.

This judgement is further supported in the case of The Queen on the Application of Bristol Council v Bristol Magistrates' Court, CO/6920/2008 High Court of Justice Queen's Bench Division The Administrative Court, 24 February 2009, [2009] EWHC 625 (Admin) 2009 WL 648859 in which it was said:

'Licensing authorities should only impose conditions which are necessary and proportionate for the promotion for licensing objectives'.

In addition to this it was stated that any condition attached to the licence should be an enforceable condition.

Right of Appeal

14. Schedule 5 gives a right of appeal which states:

Decision to grant premises licence or impose conditions etc.

- 2 (1) This paragraph applies where a licensing authority grants a premises licence under section 18.
 - (2) The holder of the licence may appeal against any decision—
 - (a) to impose conditions on the licence under subsection (2)(a) or (3)(b) of that section, or
 - (b) to take any step mentioned in subsection (4)(b) or (c) of that section (exclusion of licensable activity or refusal to specify person as premises supervisor).
 - (3) Where a person who made relevant representations in relation to the application desires to contend—
 - (a) that the licence ought not to have been granted, or
 - (b) that, on granting the licence, the licensing authority ought to have imposed different or additional conditions, or to have taken a step mentioned in subsection (4)(b) or (c) of that section,

he may appeal against the decision.

(4) In sub-paragraph (3) "relevant representations" has the meaning given in section 18(6).

Risk Management

15. There is little risk associated with the decision at this time as the legislation allows a right of appeal to the Magistrates Court.

Consultees

16. All responsible authorities and members of the public living within Herefordshire.

Appendices

- a. Application Form
- b. Police Representation
- c. Trading Standards Representation
- d. Police suggested conditions

Background Papers

None.

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Applicant Details					
* First name		Agnieszka]	
* Family name		Gizak]	
* E-mail]	
Main telephone number			Include country co	ode.	
Other telephone nu	mber]	
🔀 Indicate here	if you wo	uld prefer not to be contacted by	/ telephone	_	
Are you:					
Applying as a	business	or organisation, including as a so	ole trader		usiness owned by one
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Applicant Business	5				
* Is your business re in the UK with Comp House?	-	∩ Yes ● No			
* Is your business re- outside the UK?	gistered	O Yes No 			
* Business name		KUBUS POLSKI SKLEP] If your business is I registered name.	registered, use its
* VAT number	-	NONE		Put "none" if you a	re not registered for VAT.
Legal status Sole Trader]		

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* Your position in the business	owner			
Home country	United Kingdom	The country where the headquarters of your business is located.		
Business Address		If you have one, this should be your official		
* Building number or name	22	address - that is an address required of you by law for receiving communications.		
* Street	Eign Gate			
District]		
* City or town	Hereford]		
County or administrative area				
* Postcode	HR4 0AB			
* Country	United Kingdom]		
Section 2 of 19				
PREMISES DETAILS				
	ply for a premises licence under section 17 of t he premises) and I/we are making this applicat of the Licensing Act 2003.			
Premises Address				
Are you able to provide a posta	al address, OS map reference or description of	the premises?		
Address OS ma	p reference O Description			
Postal Address Of Premises				
Building number or name	22]		
Street	Eign Gate]		
District]		
City or town	Hereford]		
County or administrative area]		
Postcode HR4 0AB				
Country	United Kingdom]		
Further Details				
Telephone number	01432 266 459] .		
Non-domestic rateable value of premises (£)	22,250]		

Section 3 of 19				
APPI	LICATION DETAILS			
In wł	nat capacity are you apply	ing for the premises licence?		
\boxtimes	An individual or individu	als		
	A limited company			
	A partnership			
	An unincorporated assoc	ciation		
	A recognised club			
	A charity			
	The proprietor of an edu	cational establishment		
	A health service body			
		ed under part 2 of the Care Standards Act n 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)			
Conf	Confirm The Following			
\boxtimes	Lam carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves			
] I am making the application pursuant to a statutory function			
	am making the application pursuant to a function discharged by virtue of Her Majesty's prerogative			
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INDI	IDUAL APPLICANT DET	AILS		
	icant Name			
ls the	Is the name the same as (or similar to) the details given in section one? If "Yes" is selected you can re-use the details from section one, or amend them as required			
		Select "No" to enter a completely new set of		
First	rst name Agnieszka			
Fami	amily name Gizak			
ls the	Is the applicant 18 years of age or older?			
•	Yes O No			

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Applicant Postal Address	
Is the address the same as (or similar to) the address given in section one? • Yes • No	If "Yes" is selected you can re-use the details from section one, or amend them as required. Select "No" to enter a completely new set of details.
Building number or name	
Street	
District	
City or town	
County or administrative area	
Postcode	
Country	
Applicant Contact Details Are the contact details the sam	If "Yes" is selected you can re-use the details from section one, or amend them as
Yes	required. Select "No" to enter a completely new set of details.
E-mail	
Telephone number	
Other telephone number	
Add another applicant	
Section 5 of 19	
OPERATING SCHEDULE	
When do you want the premises licence to start?	
If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, / / when do you want it to end dd mm yyyy	
Provide a general description of the premises	
For example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any ot licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol a consumption of these off- supplies you must include a description of where t premises.	and you intend to provide a place for
Grocery shop situated in established and popular commercial location.	
Although the supply of alcohol is planned there is no intention to allow consuplace for consumption.	umption in the premises or to provide the

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If 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, state the number expected to	
attend	
Section 6 of 19	
PROVISION OF PLAYS	
Will you be providing plays?	
⊖ Yes	No
Section 7 of 19	
PROVISION OF FILMS	
Will you be providing films?	
C Yes	No
Section 8 of 19	
PROVISION OF INDOOR SPOR	TING EVENTS
Will you be providing indoor s	porting events?
⊖ Yes	No
Section 9 of 19	
PROVISION OF BOXING OR W	RESTLING ENTERTAINMENTS
Will you be providing boxing o	r wrestling entertainments?
⊖ Yes	No
Section 10 of 19	
PROVISION OF LIVE MUSIC	
Will you be providing live musi	c?
⊖ Yes	No
Section 11 of 19	
PROVISION OF RECORDED MU	JSIC
Will you be providing recorded	music?
⊖ Yes	No
Section 12 of 19	
PROVISION OF PERFORMANC	ES OF DANCE
Will you be providing performa	inces of dance?
⊖ Yes	No
Section 13 of 19	
PROVISION OF ANYTHING OF DANCE	A SIMILAR DESCRIPTION TO LIVE MUSIC, RECORDED MUSIC OR PERFORMANCES OF
Will you be providing anything performances of dance?	similar to live music, recorded music or
⊖ Yes	No

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Section 14 of 19		
LATE NIGHT REFRE	SHMENT	
Will you be providin	ng late night refreshment?	
O Yes	No	
Section 15 of 19		
SUPPLY OF ALCOH		
Will you be selling o	or supplying alcohol?	
Yes	C No	
Standard Days And	d Timings	
MONDAY		Give timings in 24 hour clock.
	Start 08:00	End 22:00 (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days
	Start	End of the week when you intend the premises
TUESDAY		
TOLSDAT	Start 08:00	End 22:00
	Start	End
WEDNESDA		
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	Start	End
THURSDAY		
	Start 08:00	End 22:00
	Start	End
FRIDAY		
TRIDAT	Start 00:00	Fr. d. 22.00
	Start 08:00	End 22:00
	Start	End
SATURDAY		
	Start 08:00	End 22:00
	Start	End
SUNDAY		
	Start 08:00	End 22:00
	Start	End

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Will the sale of alcohol be for consumption:If the sale of alcohol is for consumption or the premises select on, if the sale of alcohol				
 On the premises 	 Off the premises Both 	is for consumption away from the premises select off. If the sale of alcohol is for consumption on the premises and away from the premises select both.		
State any seasonal variations				
For example (but not exclusive	ely) where the activity will occur on additional o	days during the summer months.		
Non-standard timings. Where column on the left, list below	the premises will be used for the supply of alco	hol at different times from those listed in the		
	ely), where you wish the activity to go on longe	r on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.		
State the name and details of t licence as premises supervisor	he individual whom you wish to specify on the			
Name				
First name	Agnieszka]		
Family name	Gizak]		
Enter the contact's address				
Building number or name				
Street				
District				
City or town				
County or administrative are				
Postcode				
Country				
Personal Licence number (if known)				
lssuing licensing authority (if known)				

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PROPOSED DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR CONSENT				
How will the consent form of the proposed designated premises supervisor be supplied to the authority?				
 Electronically, by the proposed designated premises supervisor 				
C As an attachment to this 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'.			
Section 16 of 19				
ADULT ENTERTAINMENT				
Highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, or other entertain premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children	ment or matters ancillary to the use of the			
Give information about anything intended to occur at the premises or and rise to concern in respect of children, regardless of whether you intend chi (but not exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups	ldren to have access to the premises, for example			
We intend to supply an alcohol products, but we are going to adopt, challenge 25 policy and policy of proof of age cards - We will be trying to protect children from exposure to strong language - staff allowed to sell alcohol is provided with a training - we will always require the production of proof of age when alcohol is purchased by customer looking under 25 years of age - all the spirits 40% or above will be located behind the counter				
Section 17 of 19				
HOURS PREMISES ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC				
Standard Days And Timings				
MONDAY Start 08:00 End 22:00 Start End End	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.			
TUESDAY				
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For example (but not e	xclusively) where the a	activity will occur on	additional days during the summer months.		
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Section 18 of 19					
LICENSING OBJECTIVE	S				
Describe the steps you		note the four licensin	g objectives:		
a) General – all four lice	nsina obiectives (b.c.d	l.e)			
			s together.		
List here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together. We demonstrate consideration for underage drinking, violent & antisocial behaviour, crime and disorder, prevention and					
also for public safety and protecting children from harm. To promote all this objectives we are provided with the equipment					
(including CCTV systems, fire alarms and procedures) necessary to reduce and control incidents of crime and disorder. We also provide the required training procedures for our staff					
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b) The prevention of crime and disorder					
- CCTV operating inside the premises, where the images are retained form minimum of 30 days and can be provided in					
<i>v</i> iewable format upon request avoidance of irresponsible alcohol drink promotions					
- avoidance of supplying	g any alcohol products	s to customers being	visibly under the influence of alcohol		
 proof of age policy and there is no intention to 	3 . ,				
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- use of signs to make people aware of CCTV operation

c) Public safety

- providing the satisfactory means of escape in case of fire

use of fire action notices

- fire alarms installed in the premises

- first aid equipment available

- adequate lighting in the absence of a daylight

d) The prevention of public nuisance

-we will not carry on any activities which may cause any nuisance to the people living, working and sleeping in vicinity (like noise, bad smells etc.) and we will make an effort to keep our premises and neighbouring area clean and tidy. We also ensure that any act of anti-social behaviour related to our premises will be monitored, reported (if we can't stop it ourselves) and pacified.

We also don't intend to provide any place for alcohol consumption

e) The protection of children from harm

We intend to supply an alcohol products, but we are going to adopt, challenge 25 policy and policy of proof of age cards -We will be trying to protect children from exposure to strong language

-staff allowed to sell alcohol is provided with a training

-we will always require the production of proof of age when alcohol is purchased by customer looking under 25 years of age -all the spirits 40% or above will be located behind the counter

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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 £87000	£315.00
Band D - £87001 to £125000	£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 you are required to pay a higher fee.

Band D - £87001 to £125000	£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.

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	ou are subject to ADDITIONAL fees based upon the number in attendance at any one time.
Capacity 5000-9999	£1,000.00
Capacity 10000 -14999	£2,000.00
Capacity 15000-19999	£4,000.00
Capacity 20000-29999	£8,000.00
Capacity 30000-39999	£16,000.00
Capacity 40000-49999	£24,000.00
Capacity 50000-59999	£32,000.00
Capacity 60000-69999	£40,000.00
Capacity 70000-79999	£48,000.00
Capacity 80000-89999	£56,000.00
Capacity 90000 and over	£64,000.00
* Fee amount (£)	
DECLARATION	
-	tes you have read and understood the above declaration ted by the applicant, unless you answered "Yes" to the question "Are you an agent acting on
* Full name	Agnieszka Gizak
* Capacity	business owner
* Date	22 / 03 / 2016
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IT IS AN OFFENCE, LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING 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

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Applicant reference number	KUBUS POLSKI SKLEP
Fee paid	
Payment provider reference	
ELMS Payment Reference	
Payment status	
Payment authorisation code	
Payment authorisation date	
Date and time submitted	
Approval deadline	
Error message	
Is Digitally signed	
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Form of consent given by the person whom the applicant wishes to be the premises supervisor

address of the existing licensed premises] if that application is successful.

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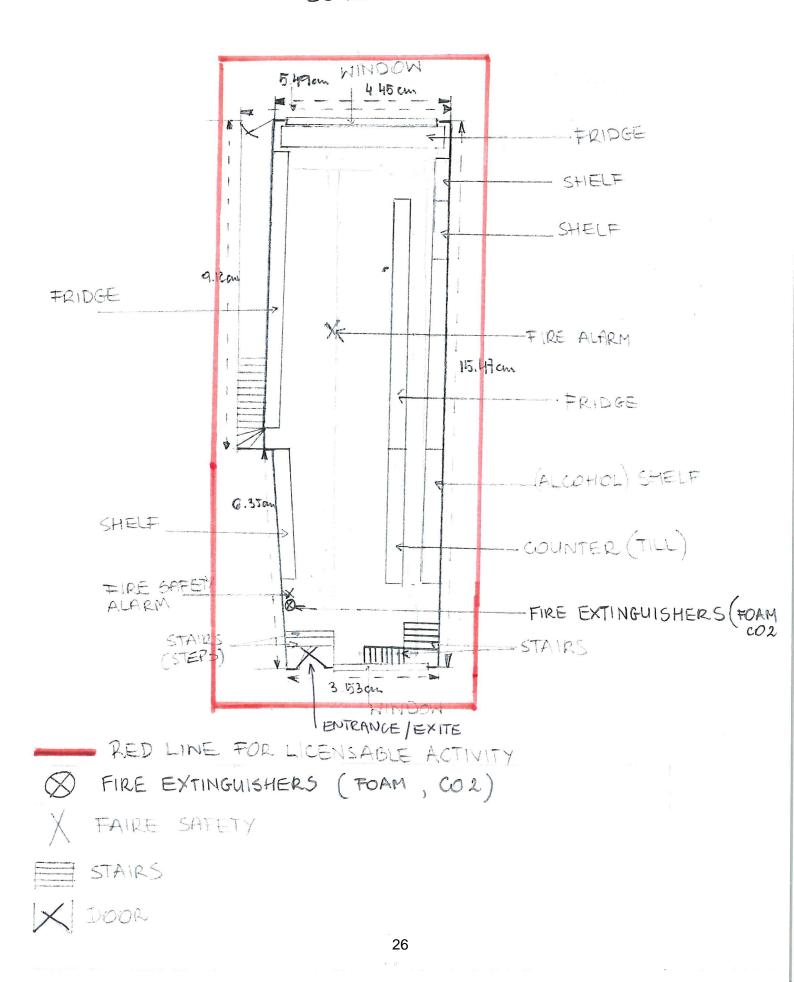
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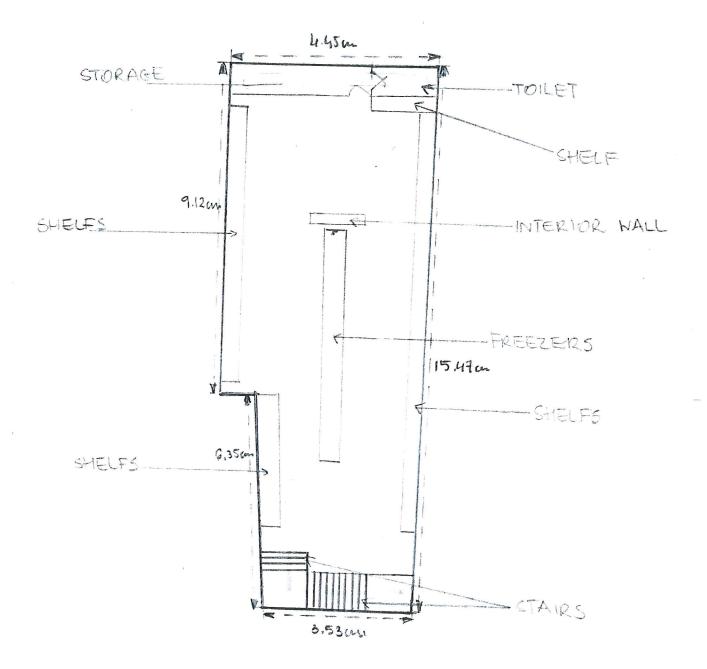
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BASEMENT FLOOR LAYOUT AT 22 EIGN GATE, HEREFORD HR40AB

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NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED

West Mercia Police are in receipt of an application for a premises licence for a location known as **Kubus Polski Skelp, 22 Eign Gate, Hereford**. The applicant is for the licensable activity of the sale/supply of alcohol.

The application seeks to specify the designated premises supervisor as Agnieszka GIZAK. She is also the applicant for the premises licence

West Mercia Police **OBJECT** to this application on the grounds to grant it will undermine the licensing objectives.

This premises is an established premises and was licensed for similar activities until November 2015. At that time the then premises licence holder informed the Licensing Authority that they wished to surrender the premises licence. However it appears that due to an oversight, his information was not passed to the police at the time and they only became aware of it at a later date.

In January 2016, the police attended the premises as a result of noticing that the shop name had changed. They spoke to the applicant for this matter - Agnieszka GIZAK - who informed them she was the manager and was in the process of taking over the lease. At this time alcohol was openly on display.

On the 17 March 2016, during discussions with the authority, the police became aware that the premises licence had been surrendered in November 2015. The police attended the address and found alcohol openly on display. Telephone conversations took place with Ms GIZAK, who clearly indicated that the business was still being run and owned by the previous licence holder and that she had not taken over the lease. She said that there was an 'alcohol licence' still in place. As a result of further conversations Ms GIZAK admitted that she ran the shop and after strong advice she removed all alcohol that was openly on display for sale.

The concern West Mercia Police have is that there is uncertainty with regards to who actually owns the premises and is ultimately responsible for the potential licensable activities that are proposed. It is the view of the police that the applicant for this application - Ms GIZAK - has misinformed the police and she has undertaken unlicensed licensable activities when in a position of authority for a period of at least 4 months.

Therefore the police feel to grant this application will undermine the licensing objectives.

Regards

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Trading Standards have the responsibility for enforcing the Licensing Act 2003 in respect of sales of alcohol to anyone under the age of eighteen.

After looking at your application under the section protection of children from harm we would seek to include the following conditions on the premises licence:

- 1. All staff engaged in the sale of alcohol to be trained in responsible alcohol retailing to the minimum standard of BIIAB level 1 or any equivalent training course within 1 month of commencing employment at the premises. Where there are existing staff this training shall be completed within 3 months of the date that this condition first appears on the licence. Refresher training will be conducted at 6 monthly intervals. Training records shall be kept on the premises and produced to the police or an 'authorised person' (as defined by Section 13 of the Licensing Act 2003) or an authorised Trading Standards Officer of Herefordshire Council on demand.
- 2. A written or electronic register of refusals will be kept including a description of the people who have been unable to provide required identification to prove their age. Such records shall be kept for a period of 12 months. It will be collected and reviewed on a daily basis by the Designated Premises Supervisor and produced to the police or an 'authorised person' (as defined by Section 13 of the Licensing Act 2003) or an authorised Trading Standards Officer of Herefordshire Council on demand.
- 3. The premises shall operate a Challenge 25 Policy. Such policy shall be written down and kept at the premises. The policy shall be produced on demand of the Police or an 'authorised person' (as defined by Section 13 of the Licensing Act 2003) or an authorised Trading Standards Officer of Herefordshire Council. Prominent, clear and legible signage (in not less than 32 font bold) shall also be displayed at all entrances to the premises as well as at, at least one location behind any bar advertising the scheme operated.

If you agree to these conditions could you email me stating you agree and copy the email to <u>licensing@herefordshire.gov.uk;</u> or

If you wish to discuss this matter further please do not hesitate to contact me on 01432 260163, <u>lwilson@herefordshire.gov.uk</u>

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WEST MERCIA POLICE CONDITIONS

1. CCTV will be provided in the form of a recordable system, capable of providing pictures of EVIDENTIAL QUALITY in all lighting conditions particularly facial recognition.

Cameras shall encompass all ingress and egress to the premises, fire exits, outside areas, and all areas where the sale/ supply of alcohol occurs.

Equipment MUST be maintained in good working order, be correctly time and date stamped, recordings MUST be kept in date order, numbered sequentially and kept for a period of 31 days and handed to Police on demand.

The Premises Licence Holder must ensure at all times a DPS or appointed member of staff is capable and competent at downloading CCTV footage in recordable media format, an authorised Herefordshire Trading Standards Officer or the Local Authority on demand.

The Recording equipment and tapes/discs shall be kept in a secure environment under the control of the DPS or other responsible named individual. An operational daily log report must be maintained endorsed by signature, indicating the system has been checked and is compliant, in the event of any failings actions taken are to be recorded.

In the event of technical failure of the CCTV equipment the Premises Licence holder/DPS MUST report the failure to the Police on contact number '101' immediately.

2. An incident log must be kept at the premises. Incident log records will be retained for a period of 12 months from the date it occurred. It will made immediately available on request to an 'authorised person' (as defined by Section 13 of the Licensing Act 2003), an authorised Herefordshire Trading Standards Officer or the Police, which must record the following:

(a) all crimes (relevant to the licensing objectives) reported to the venue

(b) any complaints (relevant to the licensing objectives) received

(c) any faults in the CCTV system or searching equipment or scanning equipment

(d) any refusal of the sale of alcohol

- (e) any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service
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