

HEREFORDSHIRE COUNCIL

REGULATORY COMMITTEE DECISION NOTICE
(THE LICENSING ACT 2003)

PREMISES	The Duke's Head Inn
APPLICANT'S NAME	JD Wetherspoon PLC
APPLICATION TYPE	New Premise Licence
PANEL MEMBERS	Councillor JW Hope (Vice-Chairman) Councillor ME Cooper Councillor JHR Goodwin
DATE OF MEETING	Thursday 6th March, 2008

Members of the Licensing Panel of the Council's Regulatory Committee considered the above application, full details of which appeared before the Members in their agenda and the background papers.

Prior to making their decision, the Members heard from Mr Beckett and Mr Steele, representing the applicants together with Mr Trezins, the Environmental Protection Manager.

Having carefully considered those matters brought before them, the Committee were of the opinion that the application should be **granted subject** to the conditions below. In reaching their decision, the Members had full regard to the representations (including supporting information) presented by all parties, the guidance issued to local authorities under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003, the Herefordshire Council Licensing Policy and the provisions of the Licensing Act 2003. The Members imposed conditions in order to promote the four licensing objectives, namely the prevention of crime and disorder, public safety, the prevention of public nuisance and the protection of children from harm.

HOURS OF LICENSABLE ACTIVITY

	Supply of Alcohol	Films	Late night refreshment	Open to the public
Monday	0900 - 0000	0700 - 0030	2300 - 0030	0700 - 0030
Tuesday	0900 - 0000	0700 - 0030	2300 - 0030	0700 - 0030
Wednesday	0900 - 0000	0700 - 0030	2300 - 0030	0700 - 0030
Thursday	0900 - 0100	0700 - 0130	2300 - 0130	0700 - 0130
Friday	0900 - 0100	0700 - 0130	2300 - 0130	0700 - 0130
Saturday	0900 - 0100	0700 - 0130	2300 - 0130	0700 - 0130
Sunday	0900 - 0000	0700 - 0030	2300 - 0030	0700 - 0030

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NON STANDARD HOURS

	Supply of Alcohol	Films	Late night refreshment	Open to the public
Christmas Eve	0700 - 0230	0700 - 0230	2300 - 0230	0700 - 0230
Boxing Day	0700 - 0230	0700 - 0230	2300 - 0230	0700 - 0230
Maundy Thursday	0700 - 0230	0700 - 0230	2300 - 0230	0700 - 0230
Sunday preceding Bank Holiday	0700 - 0230	0700 - 0230	2300 - 0230	0700 - 0230
Saturday prior to start of BST	0700 - 0230	0700 - 0230	2300 - 0230	0700 - 0230
New Years Eve	0700 (New Years Eve) – 0700 (New Years Day)			

CONDITIONS

The application was granted in respect of the hours of operation of the licensable activities described in the box above together with the following conditions

- The mandatory conditions of The Licensing Act 2003.
- Any conditions offered by the applicant under section P of the application form.

GENERAL

- The actions and control measures laid out in the JD Wetherspoons' 'Code of Conduct for Responsible Retailing' submitted with the application be implemented, maintained, reviewed, and updated as necessary.

PUBLIC SAFETY

- Open containers shall not be removed from the premises [the "premises" includes any beer garden or area so designated for the consumption of alcohol ancillary to the main building].

PREVENTION OF PUBLIC NUISANCE

- Where an outside drinking area is provided, the outside area will not be used for licensable activities or the consumption of alcohol between the hours of 23.00 and 07.00 on any day.
- No person shall be permitted in the beer garden after closing time on any day.