

Representation made by the Local Authority

I am an officer authorised under the Licensing Act 2003.

I refer to the application made for the variation of a premises licence in respect of Bromyard Kebab & Burger Shop, Cruxwell Street, Bromyard.

The application requests the removal of the condition which states that:

- The provision of a minimum of two SIA registered door supervisors on the premise from 2300 to 0030 hours every Friday and Saturday night.

This condition was imposed by the Regulatory Sub-Committee at a Review Hearing of the Licence on 9th May 2008 following a serious fight and assault having occurred in the premises.

The Licensing Authority must object to the variation of the licence under the licensing objectives of the Prevention of Crime & Disorder and Public Safety.

Since the condition was imposed in 2008 the premises has not operated beyond 2300 hours and as such has been run as a non-licensed premises. The condition is relation to SIA door staff therefore has not been tested and therefore the condition suggested by the applicant that 'SIA door staff should be employed on a risk assessed basis' is not evidential based.

Furthermore the applicant for the variation has only recently acquired the premises and is not from the Bromyard area and therefore has little knowledge of the issues in respect of clientele.

If the applicant was to operate the premises under the current imposed conditions for a period of 6 months without incident, the Licensing Authority may be more mindful to agree to the amendment of the condition.



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