

Representation made by the Local Authority 4.5.16

I am an officer authorised under the Licensing Act 2003.

I refer to the application made for a new premises licence in respect of 'Crown & Sceptre Sherford Street, Bromyard'.

The Licensing Authority must **object** to the licence as applied for.

It is noted that a lot of the conditions offered are vague and non-enforceable which goes against the Section 182 Guidance.

The authority therefore seeks the following conditions in order to promote the Licensing Objectives:

Prevention of Crime & Disorder

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 a recordable format EITHER DISC or VHS to the Police/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.
2. The Premises Licence Holder or DPS or a person nominated by them in writing for the purpose will employ SIA doorstaff on a risk assessed basis. The risk assessment shall be in writing and shall be made immediately available on request to an 'authorised person' (as defined by Section 13 of the Licensing Act 2003) or the Police
3. The Premises Licence Holder or DPS or a person nominated by them in writing for the purpose, shall maintain a register of door supervisors which shall be kept on the premises showing the names and addresses of the door supervisors, their badge numbers and shall be signed by the door supervisors as they commence and conclude duty. The register shall be made available on demand for inspection by an 'authorised person' (as defined by Section 13 of the Licensing Act 2003), or the Police or an authorised officer of the SIA.
4. An incident log must be kept at the premises, and made immediately available on request to an 'authorised person' (as defined by Section 13 of the Licensing Act 2003) or the Police, which must record the following:
 - (a) all crimes reported to the venue
 - (b) all ejections of patrons
 - (c) any incidents of disorder

- (d) seizures of drugs or offensive weapons
 - (e) any faults in the CCTV system or searching equipment or scanning equipment
 - (f) any refusal of the sale of alcohol
 - (g) any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service
5. All bar staff engaged in the sale of alcohol to be trained in Responsible alcohol retailing to the minimum standard of BIIAB level 1 or any other equivalent course within one month of the date that this condition appears on this licence. Training records shall be kept on the premises and shall be 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.
6. The DPS and all other staff shall ensure that no open containers are taken off the premises.

Public Safety

7. All staff shall wear clothing which identifies them as members of staff of the premises.

Electrical & Gas Installations

8. All electrical wiring and distribution systems shall be tested at least once a year and signed off by a competent person whose name is shown within the Local Authority Building Control Part P Competent Persons Register (<http://www.competentperson.co.uk/search.asp>). The sign off certificate shall be produced to an 'authorised person' (as defined by Section 13 of the Licensing Act 2003) or Police on demand.

Capacity limits

9. The maximum permitted numbers of persons in the premises including staff shall not exceed the numbers set within the fire risk assessment for the premises.

Prevention of public nuisance

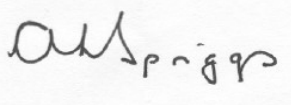
10. Whenever regulated entertainment is provided all doors and windows at the premises shall be kept closed after 2300 except during immediate access and egress.
11. Noise or vibration shall not emanate from the premises so as to cause a nuisance.
12. The Premises Licence Holder or DPS or staff must immediately comply with any request to adjust noise levels/ frequency spectra made by an 'authorised person' (as defined by Section 13 of the Licensing Act 2003) or the Police.
13. Loudspeakers shall not be located in the entrance lobby or external to any part of the premises.
14. No music shall be played in the outside area at anytime.
15. The outside area shall not be used for licensable activities or for the consumption of alcohol after 2330 hours.
16. Prominent, clear and legible signage (in not less than 32 font bold) shall be displayed at all exits to any beer garden, patio area, smoking area or similar, requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to be quiet.

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Protection of children from harm

18. 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 an authorised person' (as defined by Section 13 of the Licensing Act 2003) or the police 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.
19. A written 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 and will be collected 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.
20. No adult entertainment or services or activities must take place at the premises (Adult Entertainment includes, but is not restricted to, such entertainment or services which would generally include topless bar staff, striptease, lap-table, or pole-dancing, performances involving feigned violence or horrific incidents, feigned or actual sexual acts or fetishism, or entertainment involving strong and offensive language).

If the applicant is willing to agree to the above conditions the authority would withdraw its representation.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Fred Spriggs', written over a light grey rectangular background.

Fred Spriggs
Licensing Officer