

HEREFORDSHIRE COUNCIL

REGULATORY COMMITTEE DECISION NOTICE (THE LICENSING ACT 2003)

PREMISES	The Liquid Lounge
APPLICANT'S NAME	Dalespire Ltd.
APPLICATION TYPE	New Premises Licence
PANEL MEMBERS	Councillor R.I. Matthews (Chairman) Councillor G.W. Davis Councillor R. Preece
DATE OF MEETING	9th December, 2005

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.

Members heard from Mr. I. Hicton, who felt that the applicant had not complied with section 25(b) of the Licensing Act 2003 (Premises Licences and Club Premises certificates) Regulations 2005, as the newspaper advertisement had not been published on at least one day during a period of 10 working days starting on the day after the date that the application was received by the licensing authority. Members also heard from Mr. N. Maddy, the applicant, who contended that the advertisement had been placed at the earliest possible occasion.

Having heard the representations and considered all of those matters brought before them, the panel members found as a fact that the applicant had not fully complied with Regulation 25(b) of the Licensing Act 2003 (Premises Licences and Club Premises certificates) Regulations 2005 and therefore were unable to determine the application in accordance with Section 18(1)(b) and had no option but to **REJECT** the said application.