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### **Licensing Sub-Committee**

Date: Wednesday, 13 January 2021

**Time:** 10.00 am

**Venue:** A link to the meeting can be found on the front

page of the agenda.

Membership: (Quorum 3)

Councillors Mike Dyer, Emma Parker and Kate Wheller

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#### AGENDA

# Page No. 1 ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN AND STATEMENT FOR THE 5 - 8 PROCEDURE OF THE MEETING

To elect a Chairman for the meeting and the Chairman to present and explain the procedure for the meeting.

#### 2 APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies for absence.

#### 3 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive any declarations of interest.

#### 4 VARIATION FOR THE CAFÉ ON THE SQUARE, WIMBORNE 9 - 44

An application has been made to vary the licence at The Café on the Square in Wimborne. The application has been out to public consultation and has attracted representations. A Licensing Sub-Committee must consider the application and representations at a public hearing.

#### **5 URGENT ITEMS**

To consider any items of business which the Chairman has had prior notification and considers to be urgent pursuant to section 100B (4) b) of the Local Government Act 1972. The reason for the urgency shall be recorded in the minutes.

#### **6 EXEMPT BUSINESS**

To move the exclusion of the press and the public for the following item in view of the likely disclosure of exempt information within the meaning of paragraph x of schedule 12 A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).

The public and the press will be asked to leave the meeting whilst the

item of business is considered.



### Agenda Item 1



### TEMPORARY LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE HEARINGS PROCEDURE AND GUIDANCE

The Local Authorities and Police and Crime Panels (Coronavirus)
(Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings)
(England and Wales) Regulations 2020
and
The Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005

This Temporary Procedure and Guidance notes makes provision for the conduct of local authority Licensing Sub-Committee hearings, held between 4 April 2020 and 7th May 2021, and for public and press access to these meetings and are made in accordance with Coronavirus Act 2020 and The Local Authorities and Police and Crime Panels (Coronavirus) (Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020.

The following points of clarification apply throughout:

- A reference to a "meeting of the Licensing Sub-Committee" or reference to a "place" where a meeting is held, includes more than one place, electronic, digital or virtual locations such as internet locations, web addresses or conference call telephone numbers.
- Any reference to being "attend" "attendance" "present" at a meeting includes through remote attendance.
  - "Remote access" means remote access of public and press to a Council meeting to enable them to attend or participate in that meeting by electronic means, including by telephone conference, video conference, live webcasts, and live interactive streaming.
- A Member of the Licensing Sub-Committee who is a "Member in remote attendance" attends the meeting at any time if all of the conditions in subsection section 5(3) of The Local Authorities and Police and Crime Panel (Coronavirus) (Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020 are satisfied, which means the Member in remote attendance is able at that time—
  - (i) to hear, and where practicable see, and be so heard and, where practicable, be seen by, the Members in attendance,
  - (ii) to hear, and where practicable see, and be so heard and, where practicable, be seen by, any members of the public entitled to attend the meeting in order to exercise a right to speak at the meeting, and



- (iii) to be so heard and, where practicable, be seen by any other members of the public attending the meeting.
- Any reference to a member, or a member of the public, attending a meeting includes that person attending by remote access.

#### Rights of a Party

- 1. A party has the right to attend the hearing and may be represented by any person.
- 2. A party is entitled to give further information where the authority has asked for clarification.
- 3. A party can question another party, and/or address the authority, with consent of the authority.

#### Failure to Attend

- 4. If the authority is informed a party does not wish to attend, the hearing may proceed in their absence.
- 5. If a party has not indicated their attendance and fails to attend the hearing may be adjourned if considered in the public interest, or hold the hearing ensuring the party's representation is considered.
- 6. Where the authority adjourns the hearing it shall notify the parties of the date, time and place.

#### Procedural Information

- 7. At the start of the hearing, the authority shall explain the procedure which it proposes to follow and shall consider any request for permission for another person to appear at the hearing.
- 8. A hearing shall take the form of a discussion led by the authority and cross-examination shall not be permitted unless the authority considers that it is required.
- 9. The authority will allow the parties an equal maximum period of time in which to speak.
- 10. The authority may require any person behaving disruptively to be disconnected from the hearing, and may refuse that person to be reconnected, but such a person may, before the end of the hearing, submit in writing information they would have been entitled to give orally had they not been required to leave.

#### **FOOTNOTE**:

In relation to all other matters governed by the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005 any party or their representative may contact the Licensing Department at Dorset Council and they will be provided with a full copy of the regulations on request.



#### LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE PROCEDURE

- 1. At the start of the meeting the Chairman will introduce:
  - the members of the sub-committee in attendance
  - the council officers in attendance
  - the parties and their representatives in attendance
- 2. The Chairman will then deal with any appropriate agenda items.
- 3. The Licensing Officer will be asked to outline the details of the application, including details of any withdrawn representations.
- 4. The applicant or their representative is then invited to present their case.
- 5. Committee members will be invited to ask questions.
- 6. Where appropriate the Responsible Bodies e.g. representatives of Police, Fire Services, Environmental Services or Trading Standards will be invited to address the sub-committee on any relevant representations they may have.
- 7. The Chairman may then allow an opportunity for questions asking each person in turn if they wish to ask a question.
- 8. The Chairman will ask any person who has made representations, who has already expressed a wish to do so, to address the sub-committee. The sub-committee will have read all the papers before them, including any letters of representation. Members of the public are asked to keep their comments concise and to the point.
- 9. All parties will be given the opportunity to "sum up" their case.
- 10. The Chairman will ask the Legal Advisor if all relevant points have been addressed before advising all parties present that the public part of the meeting will conclude. The sub-committee will then consider its decision in private. The sub-committee will also have the Democratic Services Officer in remote attendance, and the Legal Advisor can be called upon to offer legal guidance.
- 11. The decision of the Licensing Sub-Committee shall be communicated to the parties and made available on the Council's website as soon as practicable.

#### NOTE

The Chairman may vary this procedure, as circumstances require but will have regard to the rules of natural justice and the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005, and the requirements of The Local Authorities and Police and



Crime Panels (Coronavirus) (Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020.

The remote meeting will be available to via web-link details of which will be set out on the agenda. However, the public can be excluded from all or part of the meeting by removal of remote access where the sub-committee considers that the public interest in so doing outweighs the public interest in the meeting or that part of the meeting, taking place in public.

Under no circumstances must the parties or their witnesses offer the subcommittee information in the absence of the other parties.

The Chairman and the Sub-Committee have discretion whether to allow new information or documents to be submitted and read at the meeting.

### Licensing Sub-Committee 13 January 2021 Variation for the Café on the Square, Wimborne

#### For Decision

Portfolio Holder: Cllr J Haynes, Customer and Community Services

**Local Councillor(s):** Cllrs S Bartlett and D Morgan

**Executive Director:** J Sellgren, Executive Director of Place

Report Author: Aileen Powell Title: Licensing Team Leader

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Report Status: Public

**Recommendation**: The Sub-Committee determines the application in the light of written and oral evidence and resolves to take such steps as it considers appropriate and proportionate for the promotion of the licensing objectives of;

- a) The prevention of crime and disorder
- b) The prevention of public nuisance
- c) Public safety
- d) The protection of children from harm

**Reason for Recommendation**: The Sub-Committee must take into account the oral representations and information given at the hearing.

#### 1. Executive Summary

An application has been made to vary the licence at The Café on the Square in Wimborne. The application has been out to public consultation and has attracted representations. A Licensing Sub-Committee must consider the application and representations at a public hearing.

#### 2. Financial Implications

Any decision of the Sub-Committee could lead to an appeal by any of the parties involved that could incur costs.

#### 3. Climate implications

None

#### 4. Other Implications

Public Health and Community Safety

#### 5. Risk Assessment

Having considered the risks associated with this decision, the level of risk has been identified as:

Current Risk: Low Residual Risk: Low

#### 6. Equalities Impact Assessment

Not Applicable

#### 7. Appendices

Appendix 1 – Premises licence

Appendix 2 – Application for the variation

Appendix 3 – Representations

Appendix 4 – Response to Representations

#### 8. Background Papers

**Licensing Act** 

Section 182 Guidance

LGA Councillors Handbook

EHRC - Guide to the Human Rights Act for Public Authorities

#### 9. Details

9.1. Victoria Spooner and Terry Ockenden are the holders of the premises licence for The Café on the Square at 3 The Square in Wimborne which currently allows the sale of alcohol on the premises: -

Monday to Saturday 11:00hrs to 19:00 Sunday 11:00hrs to 17:00

The current licence is attached at appendix 1.

9.2. They have applied to vary the licence to add off sales to the licence and to extend the times alcohol can be sold to: -

Every day

11:00 to 23:00

The full application is attached at appendix 2.

- 9.3. The application has been advertised on the premises, in a newspaper and the Councils web site.
- 9.4. Three representations have been received from the Town Council and residents who live in the vicinity of the premises. Comments have also been made by the planning and highways teams. Both the representations and the comments are included in full in the table in appendix 3. The representations all relate to public nuisance.
- 9.5. Vicky Spooner has responded to the representations by email which is attached in full at appendix 4.

#### 10. Considerations

- 10.1. Paragraphs 9.42 to 9.44 of the Section 182 Guidance sets how the Authority should decide what actions are appropriate.
  - 9.42 Licensing authorities are best placed to determine what actions are appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives in their areas. All licensing determinations should be considered on a case-by-case basis. They should take into account any representations or objections that have been received from responsible authorities or other persons, and representations made by the applicant or premises user as the case may be.
  - 9.43 The authority's determination should be evidence-based, justified as being appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives and proportionate to what it is intended to achieve.
  - 9.44 Determination of whether an action or step is appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives requires an assessment of what action or step would be suitable to achieve that end. While this does not therefore require a licensing authority to decide that no lesser step

will achieve the aim, the authority should aim to consider the potential burden that the condition would impose on the premises licence holder (such as the financial burden due to restrictions on licensable activities) as well as the potential benefit in terms of the promotion of the licensing objectives. However, it is imperative that the authority ensures that the factors which form the basis of its determination are limited to consideration of the promotion of the objectives and nothing outside those parameters. As with the consideration of licence variations, the licensing authority should consider wider issues such as other conditions already in place to mitigate potential negative impact on the promotion of the licensing objectives and the track record of the business. Further advice on determining what is appropriate when imposing conditions on a licence or certificate is provided in Chapter 10. The licensing authority is expected to come to its determination based on an assessment of the evidence on both the risks and benefits either for or against making the determination.

#### 11. Recommendation

- 11.1. The Sub-Committee determines the application in the light of written and oral evidence and resolves to take such steps as it considers appropriate and proportionate for the promotion of the licensing objectives of;
  - a) the prevention of crime and disorder
  - b) the prevention of public nuisance
  - c) public safety
  - d) the protection of children from harm.
- 11.2. The steps that the Sub-Committee may take are to:
  - a) modify the conditions of the licence, or
  - b) reject the whole or part of the variation.

#### Footnote:

Issues relating to financial, legal, environmental, economic and equalities implications have been considered and any information relevant to the decision is included within the report.



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# Licensing Act 2003 Premises Licence

Victoria Jane SPOONER

The Cafe on The Square

**PL0302** 

Part 1 - Premises Details

POSTAL ADDRESS OF PREMISES, OR IF NONE, ORDNANCE SURVEY MAP REFERENCE OR DESCRIPTION

#### 3 The Square, Wimborne, BH21 1JD. Telephone 01202 888127 or 07860 489718 WHERE THE LICENCE IS TIME LIMITED THE DATES Not applicable LICENSABLE ACTIVITIES AUTHORISED BY THE LICENCE - the sale by retail of alcohol THE TIMES THE LICENCE AUTHORISES THE CARRYING OUT OF LICENSABLE ACTIVITIES Description Time From Time To Activity (and Area if applicable) M. The sale by retail of alcohol for consumption ON the premises only Monday to Saturday 11:00am 7:00pm 11:00am 5:00pm Sunday THE OPENING HOURS OF THE PREMISES Description Time From Time To Monday to Saturday 8:00am 7:00pm 9:00am 5:00pm Sunday WHERE THE LICENCE AUTHORISES SUPPLIES OF ALCOHOL WHETHER THESE ARE ON AND / OR OFF SUPPLIES - M. The sale by retail of alcohol for consumption ON the premises only Part 2 NAME, (REGISTERED) ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER AND EMAIL (WHERE RELEVANT) OF HOLDER OF PREMISES LICENCE Terry Ockenden Victoria Jane Spooner REGISTERED NUMBER OF HOLDER, FOR EXAMPLE COMPANY NUMBER, CHARITY NUMBER (WHERE APPLICABLE) NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR OR MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE WHERE THE PREMISES LICENCE AUTHORISES THE SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL



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PERSONAL LICENCE NUMBER AND ISSUING AUTHORITY OF PERSONAL LICENCE HELD BY DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR WHERE THE PREMISES LICENCE AUTHORISES FOR THE SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL

Licence No. PA1348 Issued by East Dorset

**ANNEXES** 

#### **ANNEX 1 - MANDATORY CONDITIONS**

- 1. There shall be no sale or supply of alcohol when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of this premises licence or at a time when the said premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or when his/her licence is suspended.
- 2. Every supply of alcohol under the premises licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.
- 3. (1) The responsible person must ensure that staff on relevant premises do not carry out, arrange or participate in any irresponsible promotions in relation to the premises.
  - (2) In this paragraph, an irresponsible promotion means any one or more of the following activities, or substantially similar activities, carried on for the purpose of encouraging the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises -
  - a) games or other activities which require or encourage, or are designed to require or encourage, individuals to
    - i. drink a quantity of alcohol within a time limit (other than to drink alcohol sold or supplied on the premises before the cessation of the period in which the responsible person is authorised to sell or supply alcohol), or
    - ii. drink as much alcohol as possible (whether within a time limit or otherwise);
  - b) provision of unlimited or unspecified quantities of alcohol free or for a fixed or discounted fee to the public or to a group defined by a particular characteristic in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
  - c) provision of free or discounted alcohol or any other thing as a prize to encourage or reward the purchase and consumption of alcohol over a period of 24 hours of less in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
  - d) selling or supplying alcohol in association with promotional posters or flyers on, or in the vicinity of, the premises which can be reasonably be considered to condone, encourage or glamorise anti-social behaviour or to refer to the effects of drunkenness in any favourable manner;



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- e) dispensing alcohol directly by one person into the mouth of another (other than where that other person is unable to drink without assistance by reason of a disability).
- 4. The responsible person must ensure that free potable water is provided on request to customers where it is reasonably available.
- 5. (1) The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.
  - (2) The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licence must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried out in accordance with the age verification policy.
  - (3) The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either
    - a) a holographic mark, or
    - b) an ultraviolet feature.
- 6. The responsible person shall ensure that
  - a) where any of the following alcoholic drinks is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises (other than alcoholic drinks sold or supplied having been made up in advance ready for sale or supply in a securely closed container) it is available to customers in the following measures
    - i. beer or cider: ½ pint;
    - ii. gin, rum, vodka or whisky: 25 ml or 35 ml; and
    - iv. still wine in glass: 125 ml; and
  - b) these measures are displayed in a menu, price list or other printed material which is available to customers on the premises; and
  - c) where a customer does not in relation to a sale of alcohol specify the quantity of alcohol to be sold, the customer is made aware that these measures are available.
- 7. A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.



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- 8. For the purposes of the condition set out above -
  - (a) "duty" is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979
  - (b) "permitted price" is the price found by applying the formula -

$$P = D + (D \times V)$$

Where -

- (i) P is the permitted price,
- (ii) D is the amount of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and
- (iii) V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol;
- (c) "relevant persons" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence -
  - (i) the holder of the premises licence,
  - (ii) the designated premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or
  - (iii) the personal licence holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence;
- (d) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and
- (e) "valued added tax" means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994
- 9. Where the permitted price given by Paragraph (b) of paragraph 8 would (apart from this paragraph) not be a whole number of pennies, the price given by that sub-paragraph shall be taken to be the price actually given by that sub-paragraph rounded up to the nearest penny.
- 10. (1) Sub-paragraph (2) applies where the permitted price given by Paragraph (b) of paragraph 8 on a day ("the first day") would be different from the permitted price on the next day ("the second day") as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax.
  - (2) The permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.

#### ANNEX 2 - CONDITIONS CONSISTENT WITH THE OPERATING SCHEDULE



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- 11. All staff shall receive training regarding the Licensing Act 2003, which shall include the contents of this premises licence.
- 12. The premises licence holder shall ensure that steps are in place to ensure customers remain in the outside areas designated to the premises.
- 13. Challenge 25 signage shall be clearly displayed at the premises. All staff shall receive training in the Challenge 25 identification policy.

ANNEX 3 - CONDITIONS ATTACHED AFTER A HEARING BY THE LICENSING AUTHORITY

None

**Business Licensing** 



#### Application to vary a premises licence under the Licensing Act 2003

#### PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

I/We	Victoria Spooner Terry Ockenden
(Ins	ert name(s) of applicant)
being th	e premises licence holder, apply to vary a premises licence under section 34 of the
Licensin	g Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below
Premise	s licence number
DI	302

#### Part 1 – Premises Details

Postal addres	Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description						
	The Café on The Square 3 The Square						
Post town Wimborne Postcode BH21 1JD							

Telephone number at premises (if any)	01202 888117
Non-domestic rateable value of premises	£21750

#### Part 2 – Applicant details

Daytime contact telephone number	
E-mail address (optional)	
Current postal address if different from premises address	
Post town	Postcode

#### Part 3 - Variation

Please tick as appropriate  Do you want the proposed variation to have effect as soon as possible?  X Yes No
If not, from what date do you want the variation to take effect?  DD MM YYYY  U U U U U U U U U U U U U U U U U
Do you want the proposed variation to have effect in relation to the introduction of the late night levy? (Please see guidance note 1) Yes No
Please describe briefly the nature of the proposed variation (Please see guidance note 2)  Extend existing licence to 23.00pm. Instead of applying for a TEN licence for situating of the bar outside under the awning in our table licence area, for daytime and occasional evening use to have this included on the full licence. To service our licenced area on The Square.
If your proposed variation would mean that 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend:

#### **Part 4 Operating Schedule**

Please complete those parts of the Operating Schedule below which would be subject to change if this application to vary is successful.

Prov	vision of regulated entertainment (Please see guidance note 3)	Please tick all that apply
a)	plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)	
b)	films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)	
c)	indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C)	
d)	boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)	
e)	live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)	
f)	recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)	
g)	performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)	
h)	anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g (if ticking yes, fill in box H)	(3)
Prov	vision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box I)	
Sup	ply of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box J)	x
In a	ll cases complete boxes K, L and M	

Plays Standard days and timings (please read			Will the performance of a play take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	
	guidance note 8)		gardance note ()	Outdoors	
Day	Start	Finish		Both	
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidant	ce note 5)	
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for performing plays (please read guidance note 6)		
Thur					
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of plays at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 7)		
Sat					
Sun					

Films Standard days and timings (please read			Will the exhibition of films take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	
	guidance note 8)			Outdoors	
Day	Start	Finish		Both	
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Wed			State any seasonal variations for the exhibition of films (please read guidance note 6)		
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Fri	Fri  Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the exhibition of films at different times to those listed in the column of the left, please list (please read guidance note 7)				
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Indoor sporting events Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)		nd ead	Please give further details (please read guidance note 5)
Day	Start	Finish	
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Tue			State any seasonal variations for indoor sporting events (please read guidance note 6)
Wed			
Thur		<b></b>	Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for indoor sporting events at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 7)
Fri			
Sat			
Sun			

Boxing or wrestling entertainments Standard days and			Will the boxing or wrestling entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	
timing	timings (please read guidance note 8)			Outdoors	
Day	Start	Finish		Both	
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Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for boxing or wrestling entertainment (please read guidance note 6)		<u>t</u>
Thur					
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for boxing or wrestling entertainment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 7)		<u>in</u>
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Live music Standard days and timings (please read			Will the performance of live music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	
	guidance note 8)		<i>g</i>	Outdoors	
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Wed			State any seasonal variations for the performance of live music (please read guidance note 6)		
Thur					
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the performance of live music at different times to thos column on the left, please list (please read guidance)	se listed in the	<u>he</u>
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Recorded music Standard days and timings (please read			Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	
	guidance note 8)		read gardance note ()	Outdoors	
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Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for the playing of recorded music (please read guidance note 6)		lease
Thur					
Fri	Fri  Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for playing of recorded music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 7)		e listed in the	<u>he</u>	
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Performances of dance Standard days and timings (please read			Will the performance of dance take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	
	guidance note 8)		(preuse read guidance note 4)	Outdoors	
Day	Start	Finish		Both	
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Wed			State any seasonal variations for the performance of dance (please read guidance note 6)		ease
Thur					
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the performance of dance at different times to the column on the left, please list (please read guidan	nose listed in tl	
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Sun					

Anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			Please give a description of the type of entertainme providing	nt you will be	
Day	Start	Finish	Will this entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read	Indoors	
Mon			guidance note 4)	Outdoors	
				Both	
Tue			Please give further details here (please read guida	ance note 5)	
Wed					
Thur			State any seasonal variations for entertainment description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (guidance note 6)		
Fri					
Sat			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the entertainment of a similar description to tha (e), (f) or (g) at different times to those listed in teleft, please list (please read guidance note 7)	t falling within	<u>1</u>
Sun					

Late night refreshment Standard days and timings (please read			Will the provision of late night refreshment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	
	guidance note 8)		preuse roug gurannee note 1)	Outdoors	
Day	Start	Finish		Both	
Mon			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for the provision of late night refreshment (please read guidance note 6)		
Thur					
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the provision of late night refreshment at differe listed in the column on the left, please list (please	ent times, to th	ose
Sat			note 7)		
Sun					

Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read			Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption  – please tick (please read guidance note 9)	On the premises	
	guidance note 8)			Off the premises	
Day	Start	Finish		Both	X
Mon	11.00	23.00	State any seasonal variations for the supply of alcohol (please read guidance note 6)		ead
Tue	11.00	23.00			
Wed	11.00	23.00			
Thur	11.00	23.00	Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the supply of alcohol at different times to those l column on the left, please list (please read guidance)	isted in the ce note 7)	
Fri	11.00	23.00	On occasion of use of outside bar e.g Xmas e outside dining in our licensed area to say open unti		eve
Sat	11.00	23.00			
Sun	11.00	23.00			

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Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 10).				

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Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 6) occasional celebrations eg Xmas, open til 23.00
Day	Day Start Finish		
Mon	8.00	23.00	
Tue	8.00	23.00	
Wed	8.00	23.00	
			Non standard timings. Where you intend the premises to be op
Thur	8.00	23.00	to the public at different times from those listed in the column of the left, please list (please read guidance note 7)
Fri	8.00	23.00	
Sat	8.00	23.00	
Sun	8.00	23.00	

Please identify those conditions currently imposed on the licence which you believe could be removed as a consequence of the proposed variation you are seeking.

Please tick as appropri	riate
I have enclosed the premises licence	
• I have enclosed the relevant part of the premises licence	
If you have not ticked one of these boxes, please fill in reasons for not including the licence or of it below	part
Reasons why I have not enclosed the premises licence or relevant part of premises licence.  Already on record with EDDC	

${f M}$ Describe any additional steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives as a result of the proposed variation:
a) General – all four licensing objectives (b, c, d and e) (please read guidance note 11)
Fully train all staff working behind the bar in all aspects of licensing objectives
b) The prevention of crime and disorder
c) Public safety
d) The prevention of public nuisance
e) The protection of children from harm

Checklist: Please tick to indicate agreement I have made or enclosed payment of the fee; or I have not made or enclosed payment of the fee because this application has been made in relation to the introduction of the late night levy. I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable. I understand that I must now advertise my application. I have enclosed the premises licence or relevant part of it or explanation. I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected. IT IS AN OFFENCE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION. THOSE WHO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT MAY BE LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE OF ANY AMOUNT. **Part 5 – Signatures** (please read guidance note 12) Signature of applicant (the current premises licence holder) or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (please read guidance note 13). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity. Victoria-j Spooner Signature Date 13/11/20 Licence holder Capacity Where the premises licence is jointly held, signature of 2nd applicant (the current premises licence holder) or 2nd applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent (please read guidance note 14). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity. Signature Terry Ockenden Date 13/11/20 Licence holder Capacity Contact name (where not previously given) and address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 15) Victoria Spooner

Post code

Post town

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Telephone number (if any)				
If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail, your e-mail address (optional)				

#### Notes for Guidance

This application cannot be used to vary the licence so as to extend the period for which the licence has effect or to vary substantially the premises to which it relates. If you wish to make that type of change to the premises licence, you should make a new premises licence application under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003.

- 1. You do not have to pay a fee if the only purpose of the variation for which you are applying is to avoid becoming liable for the late night levy
- 2. Describe the premises. For example, the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place of consumption of these off-supplies of alcohol, you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.
- 3. In terms of specific regulated entertainments please note that:
  - Plays: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
  - Films: no licence is required for 'not-for-profit' film exhibition held in community premises between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day provided that the audience does not exceed 500 and the organiser (a) gets consent to the screening from a person who is responsible for the premises; and (b) ensures that each such screening abides by age classification ratings.
  - Indoor sporting events: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000.
  - Boxing or Wrestling Entertainment: no licence is required for a contest, exhibition or display of Greco-Roman wrestling, or freestyle wrestling between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000. Combined fighting sports defined as a contest, exhibition or display which combines boxing or wrestling with one or more martial arts are licensable as a boxing or wrestling entertainment rather than an indoor sporting event.
  - Live music: no licence permission is required for:
    - o a performance of unamplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, on any premises.
    - a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
    - a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a workplace that is not licensed to sell alcohol on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
    - o a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
    - o a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed

500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.

- Recorded Music: no licence permission is required for:
  - o any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
  - o any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
  - o any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school proprietor or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.
- Dance: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500. However, a performance which amounts to adult entertainment remains licensable.
- Cross activity exemptions: no licence is required between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, with no limit on audience size for:
  - o any entertainment taking place on the premises of the local authority where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the local authority;
  - any entertainment taking place on the hospital premises of the health care provider where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the health care provider;
  - o any entertainment taking place on the premises of the school where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the school proprietor; and
  - o any entertainment (excluding films and a boxing or wrestling entertainment) taking place at a travelling circus, provided that (a) it takes place within a moveable structure that accommodates the audience, and (b) that the travelling circus has not been located on the same site for more than 28 consecutive days.
- 4. Where taking place in a building or other structure please tick as appropriate (indoors may include a tent).
- 5. For example state type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.
- 6. For example (but not exclusively), where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.
- 7. For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.
- 8. Please 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.
- 9. If you wish people to be able to consume alcohol on the premises, please tick 'on the premises'. If you wish people to be able to purchase alcohol to consume away from the premises, please tick 'off the premises'. If you wish people to be able to do both, please tick 'both'.
- 10. Please give information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises which may give rise to concern in respect of children regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises, for example (but not

- exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups or the presence of gaming machines.
- 11. Please list here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.
- 12. The application form must be signed.
- 13. An applicant's agent (for example solicitor) may sign the form on their behalf provided that they have actual authority to do so.
- 14. Where there is more than one applicant, each of the applicants or their respective agents must sign the application form.
- 15. This is the address which we shall use to correspond with you about this application.

#### Appendix 3 – Representations and Comments

1 I wish as a resident who lives in the centre of Wimborne to oppose the application for a variation on licence by Cafe on the Square.

There are enough licensed premises in the Town Centre as there is and many are ,too,local independent businesses struggling to survive in the present circumstances.

The Cafe operated a late license in the last Christmas period and I was concerned (as were the people I was with )on two of my three visits that alcohol was being served to people who were patently under age. I approached serving staff on the two occasions and was met with a shrug of the shoulders - which I did not accept and then "nothing we can do." The Licence lapsed and I did not pursue the matter which I now regret.

Those of us who live in the Centre of Wimborne already are painfully aware that weekend nights in " ordinary " times are exercises in crowd control which are limited in the extreme and are quite used to clearing up piss vomit and yes even shit from our doorsteps come morning as well as plastic glasses etc from an outside bar( see last Christmas.)

The idea of operating an off sale facility in the centre of the Square is reckless in its absurdity. I have no confidence this would be controlled adequately.

On two occasions in October friends of mine visited the Cafe to be told there were no toilet facilities . That augurs well for a late night license --doorsteps of Wimborne beware.

(Incidentally that message was delivered with a "shrug of the shoulders". Do you begin to see a pattern here?)

I notice on social media people waxing lyrical in support of this license about supping wine on the Square on balmy Summer evenings Continental style. Well all I can say about Wimborne on most Saturday evenings .... BRUGES or POPERINGE IT AIN'T.

I presume as a result of this request Environmental Health will be checking all necessary paperwork and requirements are up to date?

I oppose this license application by the Cafe in the Square

2 WMTC wishes to object to this application on the following grounds:

The proposed closing time for the Premises Licence application of 11.00pm is considered to be unreasonable given the number of residents who live above the events area and the noise, light, smoke and odour disturbance that is likely to ensue in this communal outdoor space. A reasonable time would be 9.00pm and I should be grateful if you would attempt to negotiate this reduction in time with the applicants or failing that ask the Licensing Sub-Committee to impose a condition to this effect.

Relevant Licensing Objective:

The prevention of public nuisance

The Town Council would appreciate clarification of the applicant's intention as the response to Section J of the Application Form states that the supply of alcohol will be for consumption both on and off the premises. If this means that, in the applicant's mind, the sitting out area is 'off the premises' then the Town Council would have no objection. However if the applicants intend to operate as an 'off-licence' then the Town Council would object in order to protect children from harm. The Square is a communal area used by young people into the evening to congregate.

Relevant Licensing Objective:

The protection of children from harm

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3 I'm sure you are receiving a number of objections to Cafe on the square's licensing application.

I have no connection to the cafe; indeed I've never frequented it, but as a resident of Wimborne I wish to support this application.

It's critical that we support our local businesses at this time and I hope and look forward to having a gin and tonic in the square next summer of an evening.

If there is a further opportunity to provide feedback please let me know

#### Comments received from Planning & Highways

#### Email from Katie Lomax, Senior Planning Officer – 3/12/2020

they would still need to apply for planning permission because they are changing the use of the land (the square) from public amenity space/highway for use for external seating in conjunction with the café- we would look at the impacts on amenity of neighbours, impact on the street scene, safety etc.

Their temporary consent for this expired a while ago and although they resubmitted the application a few years ago it was not validated as they were unable to identify who owned the land in order to serve notice (a requirement in planning) so that might help- I think they have been asked by our Enforcement team to submit an application to regularise the breach of planning (use of the area without planning permission) and so hopefully an application will come in shortly.

I hope that helps- please come back to me if you have any other questions.

#### Email from Mark Adams, Community Highways Team Leader – 8/12/2020

With regard to the sitting out on the highway, the Café on the Square need a sitting out licence from us for this, they currently have one that runs until the 29<sup>th</sup> December, we are then reviewing their licence and reissuing every 12 weeks. The area directly outside their premises makes up part of the publicly maintainable highway (it's a footway), we don't know who owns the subsoil, it is not Dorset Council, but public rights exist over it, hence the need for them to have a sitting out licence, if they think they don't need one as well as licensing permission then they are wrong.

Our licences don't stipulate a time, although we can put that in if necessary, but would look at asking local members/town council for their views first. Written into our licence it states that we can revoke it with two weeks' notice for any public disorder, so to be honest, if they stayed open till 11pm and then we received complaints, we

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would just revoke their licence for sitting out and that would be it. There is no means of appeal.

With regard to planning, they don't have anything permanent on the highway so everything is classed as temporary, so I don't think they would require planning for their stuff but as is mentioned in the email trail they may do for the change of use. (not entirely sure on that myself as I'm not a planner but have been told that about signs before). We don't check planning to be honest and leave it to them to do that. If planning come back and say they don't have planning permission, then we would have to refuse the licence, I guess. My only thoughts though are that if the café can't use the Square then who can, if anything would require change of use on it, it would put an end to the market and folk festival etc.

I don't think as highways we really need to comment, as whatever they do, they require highways permission to be there, if for example Dorset Police were against, then we would not allow it.

I will discuss it with Mike Westwood tomorrow though to see what he thinks and come back to you.



### Appendix 4 - Response

By email

My wish to extend the licence is to cover the occasional use of the outside bar - e.g Folk Festival and on normal years, Xmas, I am shocked, but not surprised at the reaction of the resident (I do know who they are....) we are very strict on the ages of prospective customers and ask for ID if there is any doubt. The off sales is purely to cover our outside licensed area on The Square - not selling sealed bottles to take away. If the variation is rejected, we will continue to operate with TEN licences as we have done for the past few years, with no problems at all.

On the subject of our loos, as they are accessed via a corridor to the kitchen/wash up area, there is no room for social distancing when we are carrying food and crockery to the seating areas both inside and outside, so to ensure Covid security we have closed them to the public.

