

DECISION NOTICE

Northern Area Licensing Sub Committee

Decision made on 28 November 2016

Application for a Variation of a Premises Licence in respect of Calne Town Council, Bank House, The Strand, Calne

Decision:

The Northern Area Licensing Sub Committee resolved to REFUSE the application for a Variation of a Premises Licence for Calne Town Council to increase the number of people permitted to attend to 9,999.

Reasons

The Sub Committee heard oral representations from Mr. J. Jones, in support of his written representation. The Applicant did not attend the hearing.

The Sub Committee noted the concerns that had been raised in the representation from Mr. Jones regarding problems that had occurred during previous licensed events that had taken place under the existing premises licence.

The proposed variation sought to double the maximum number of persons who could attend such events. The Sub Committee considered that the Applicants had failed to satisfactorily demonstrate how they would promote the Licensing Objectives, particularly in relation to the prevention of public nuisance, at events where such larger numbers of persons may be present.

In reaching its decision the Sub Committee also considered the relevant provisions of the Licensing Act 2003 (in particular Sections 4 and 35); the guidance issued under Section 182 of the Act and the Licensing Policy of Wiltshire Council.

Right to Appeal

All parties have the right to appeal to the Magistrates Court within 21 days of receipt of this decision. Any person has the right to request a Review of the Licence, in accordance with the provisions of section 51 of the Licensing Act 2003.