

DECISION NOTICE

Northern Area Licensing Sub Committee

Decision made on 11 April 2012

In respect of an Application for a Variation of a Premises Licence; Pace Show Meadow, Swindon Road, Royal Wootton Bassett

Decision:

The Northern Area Licensing Sub Committee has resolved to grant the application for a variation of the Premises Licence for Pace Show Meadow, Swindon Road, Royal Wootton Bassett for the provisions detailed below:

Licensable Activity	Days and Timings
Provision of late night refreshment	Daily 23:00 to 05:00
Sale by retail of alcohol off sales only	Daily 24 Hours

And subject to the following additional conditions:

- CCTV with recording facilities will operate at all times that licensable activities take place. Images to be made available for inspection upon reasonable request by the police or other relevant officers of a responsible authority and to be of sufficient quality to identify individuals. Recordings to be retained for 30 days.
- Staff to be trained on their responsibilities in the retail sale of alcohol, with regular refresher training undertaken. Training records to be made available for inspection upon reasonable request by the police or other relevant officers of a responsible authority.
- A refusals book to be operated and maintained and made available for inspection upon reasonable request by the police or other relevant officers of a responsible authority.
- A challenge 25 policy to be operated at the premises with acceptable forms of identification to include a current passport, photocard driving licence and PASS accredited identification cards. A till prompt to be operated on the sales of alcohol.
- Spirits to be located behind the counter.
- Signage to be displayed advising customers to be considerate to residential neighbours.

- A service hatch to be installed and used for all licensable sales between the hours of 23:00 and 05:00.

Reasons:

The Sub Committee considered the written representations received as presented in the agenda, together with the oral representations given at the hearing on behalf of the Applicant and Interested Parties.

The Sub Committee noted that many of the representations did not relate to licensable activities and were not, therefore, matters that could be considered as part of this variation application.

The Sub Committee considered that the addition of the conditions set out above was necessary and proportionate to meet the licensing objectives and to address the relevant concerns of the residents regarding public nuisance and crime and disorder. The committee welcomed the statement by the applicant that they would liaise with residents about any problems resulting from the operation of the premises.

In reaching its decision the Sub Committee has 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 Responsible Authority or Interested Party has the right to request a Review of the Licence.