NEATH PORT TALBOT COUNCIL

Licensing and Gambling Acts Sub Committee

15th August 2022

Report of the Head of Legal Services - Craig Griffiths

Matter for Decision

Wards Affected: Taibach

Application for the Grant of a Premises Licence

Purpose of the Report

1. To consider representations received in respect of the following application made under the Licensing Act 2003.

| Premises Name | The Burger Boyz |
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| Premises Address | 37 Commercial Road Port Talbot SA13 1LG |
| Applicant Name's | Burger Boyzzz Limited |
| Applicant Address | Ty Dewin 16 Station Road Port Talbot SA13 1JB |
| DPS Name | Marcin Sadlos |

Executive Summary

- 2. This is an application for the grant of a premises licence under the Licensing Act 2003 by Burger Boyzzz Limited. The premises licence will authorise sale of alcohol and regulated entertainment.
- 3. Representations were received in respect of the application from South Wales Police requesting that additional conditions be attached to the licence.
- 4. The applicant has agreed to the imposition of the additional conditions made by the police.
- 5. One representation has been received from a local resident.
- 6. An attempt to negotiate an agreed position has been made, however no agreement has been established.

Background

- 7. The Licensing Act 2003 requires that any person wishing to provide licensable activities obtains a premises licence from the Legal Regulatory Section.
- 8. An application for the grant of a premises licence must be advertised in the prescribed manner and allows "Responsible Authorities" or "Other Persons" to submit representations in respect of the application.
- 9. Where all parties have reached an agreement and amendments have been made to the original application, the Licensing Authority can dispense with the need for a formal hearing; a meeting of the Sub-Committee is still required to consider the amendments.
- 10. Where representations are received (and not withdrawn) the Licensing Authority must hold a hearing to consider the representations before determining the application

Licence Application

11. The applicant has included the following information in the application outlining the requested hours of operation and details on how the applicant proposes to promote the 4 licensing objectives.

Opening Hours

12. Monday - Sunday 08.00 - 22.00

Supply of Alcohol (On the premises only)

13. Monday - Sunday 08.00 - 22.00

Recorded Music (Indoors)

14. Monday - Sunday 08.00 - 22.00

Licensing Objectives

15. The following information has been provided by the applicant.

General

16. N/A

The Prevention of Crime and Disorder

- 17. CCTV
- 18. Anti-drug policy
- 19. Refusing alcohol to anyone drunk

Public safety

- 20. All First aid equipment
- 21. Trained first aiders
- 22. Taxi numbers

The prevention of public nuisance

- 23. Background music only
- 24. Waste disposal and recycling

The protection of children from harm

- 25. Challenge 21
- 26. Staff trained in challenging anyone who looks under 25

Relevant Representations

- 27. Nick Bailey South Wales Police
- 28. The above representation is reproduced at Appendix 1

Other Persons

- 29. Juned Miah 44 Commercial Road, Taibach
- 30. The above representation is reproduced at Appendix 2

Officer Report

- 31. The application is to authorise the sale of alcohol and regulated entertainment.
- 32. Representations have been received from South Wales Police who requested additional conditions be attached to the licence.
- 33. The applicant has agreed to all the conditions requested.
- 34. One representation remains outstanding as an overall agreement cannot be reached.
- 35. A response from the applicant following the representations being received is attached as appendix 3.

Legal Impacts

36. There is a right of appeal against the decision to the Magistrates' Court

Risk Management

37. Not Applicable

Consultation

38. Consultation has been undertaken in accordance with the Licensing Act 2003.

Recommendation

39. The members determine the application after considering all relevant representations.

Reasons for Proposed Decision

40. To ensure the licensing objectives as set out in the Licensing Act 2003 are promoted.

Implementation of Decision

41. The decision is for immediate implementation

Appendices

- 42. Appendix 1 South Wales Police Representations
- 43. Appendix 2 Juned Miah
- 44. Appendix 3 Applicant Response to Representation

List of Background Papers

- 45. Application for the grant of a premises licence
- 46. Neath Port Talbot Licensing Policy
- **47**. https://www.npt.gov.uk/media/14952/licensing-act-2003-draft-licensing-policy-2021.pdf?v=20210923150929
- 48. Secretary of State's Guidance

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/705588/Revised_guidance_issued_under_section_182_of_the_Licensing_Act_2003__April_2018_.pdf

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