
Objection notice given for a Temporary Event Notice

Licensing (Hearings) Sub-Committee

Decision to be taken by: Licensing (Hearings)
Sub-Committee

Decision to be taken on/Date of meeting: 13 June 2025

Lead director/officer: Bobby Smiljanic

Useful information

- Ward(s) affected: Spinney Hills
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- Report version number: 1

1. Summary

- 1.1 This report outlines an objection notice given by the Noise Team in response to a temporary event notice given by Francilla Powell for the Mount Zion Inn, 76 Guthlaxton Street, Leicester. It also highlights the licensing objectives and the relevant parts of both the statutory guidance and the Licensing Authority's Licensing Policy.

2. Determination to be made

- 2.2 Having considered the temporary event notice and the objection notice, Members must consider whether to
- Give the premises user a counter notice under Section 105 (2) of the Licensing Act 2003 if it is considered appropriate for the promotion of a licensing objective to do so; or
 - Impose one or more conditions on the temporary event notice if:
 - it is appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives to do so, and
 - the condition(s) are also imposed on a premises licence or club premises certificate that has effect in relation to all or part of the same premises as the temporary, and
 - the condition(s) would not be inconsistent with the carrying out of the licensable activities under the temporary event notice; or
 - Disregard the objection notice

3. Temporary event notice

- 3.1 A temporary event notice was given on 01 June 2025 by Francilla Powell for an event at the Mount Zion Inn. The temporary event notice is for an event on 15 June 2025 and is attached at Appendix A.
- 3.2 The temporary event notice is for the following licensable activities:

Licensable activity	Proposed hours
The sale by retail of alcohol (for consumption on the premises) Provision of regulated entertainment Provision of late night refreshment	Sunday 00.00 – 05.00

4. Objection notice

- 4.1 An objection notice was received on 04 June 2025 from the Noise team on the grounds of the prevention of public nuisance. A copy of the objection notice is attached at Appendix B.

5. Conditions

- 5.1 The premises identified in the temporary event notice is fully covered by an existing premises licence. One or more of the conditions on this premises licence may be applied to the temporary event notice if Members consider it appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives, and insofar as the conditions are not inconsistent with the carrying on of licensable activities under the notice. A copy of the existing premises licence, including the conditions are attached at Appendix C.

6. Statutory guidance and statement of licensing policy

- 6.1 Any decision made by the Licensing Authority must be in accordance with the licensing objectives. In addition, the government has issued guidance under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003. The parts of the guidance that are particularly relevant in this case are as follows:

Section	Heading
7.2 – 7.7	TEN – General
7.25 – 7.31	Role of the Licensing Authority
7.32 – 7.36	Police and Environmental Health intervention
7.38 – 7.39	Applying conditions to a TEN

- 6.2 The relevant parts of the Licensing Authority's Statement of Licensing Policy are as follows:

Section	Heading
2	Fundamental Principles
15	Temporary Event Notices

8. Financial, legal, equalities, climate emergency and other implications

8.1 Financial implications

There are no significant financial implications arising from the contents of this report.
Jade Draper Principal Accountant
6 June 2025

8.2 Legal implications

Legal advice specific to the application will be provided at the meeting by Legal Officers.

8.3 Equalities implications

Under the Equality Act 2010, public authorities have a Public Sector Equality Duty (PSED) which means that, in carrying out their functions, they have a statutory duty to pay due regard to the need to eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation and other conduct prohibited by the Act, to advance equality of opportunity between people who share a protected characteristic and those who don't and to foster good relations between people who share a protected characteristic and those who don't.

Protected Characteristics under the Equality Act 2010 are age, disability, gender reassignment, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief, sex, sexual orientation.

There are no direct equalities implications arising from the report. However it is important to consider issues of accessibility to the application process and its associated activities (such as lodging an appeal); The criteria used during determination of an application and its associated activities (such as lodging an appeal).

*Signed: Surinder Singh, Equalities Officer
Dated: 6 June 2025*

8.4 Climate Emergency implications

There are unlikely to be any significant climate emergency implications directly associated with this report and the licensing process. Duncan Bell, Change Manager

8.5 Other implications

None

9. Background information and other papers:

None

10. Summary of appendices:

Appendix A – Temporary Event Notice

Appendix B – Objection notice

Appendix C – Existing premises licence

11. Is this a private report (If so, please indicate the reasons and state why it is not in the public interest to be dealt with publicly)?

No

12. Is this a “key decision”? If so, why?

No