



Leicester  
City Council

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**North Evington**

**FORWARD TIMETABLE OF CONSULTATION AND MEETINGS:**  
**Hearing under the Licensing Act 2003**

**3<sup>rd</sup> August 2017**

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**Application for a new premises licence**  
**Quality Wine & Spirit Ltd, 103 Uppingham Road, Leicester, LE5 3TB**

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**Report of the Director of Neighbourhood and Environmental Services**

**1. Purpose of Report**

- 1.1. This report provides information for Members about an application made under the Licensing Act 2003, to assist them in determining the outcome of that application.

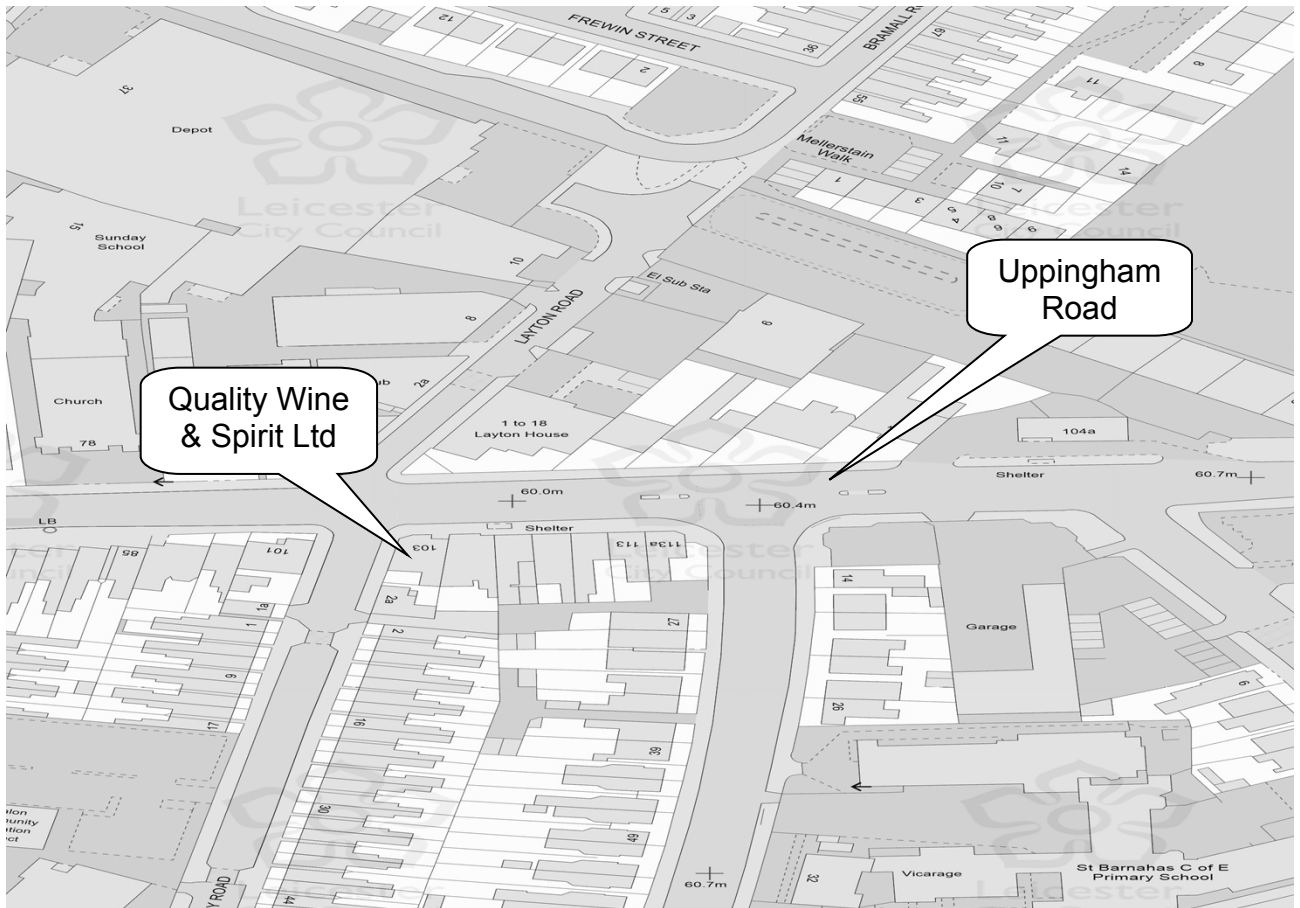
**2. Determination to be made**

- 2.1. Having considered the application and representations, Members must consider whether to
- Grant the licence without modification
  - Grant the licence subject to conditions
  - Refuse to accept the proposed premises supervisor
  - Reject the application

**3. Summary**

- 3.1 This report outlines an application for a new premises licence for Quality Wine & Spirit Ltd and summarises the representations received. It also highlights the licensing objectives, the relevant parts of the guidance and regulations, and the pertinent sections of the Licensing Authority's Licensing Policy.

#### 4. Location Plan



#### 5. Application

- 5.1 An application was received on 26 May 2017 from PMB Licensing for a new premises licence for Quality Wine & Spirit Ltd. A copy of the application is attached at Appendix A.
- 5.2 The application is as follows:

Licensable activity	Proposed Hours
Supply of Alcohol Opening hours	Monday to Sunday 07.00 – 23.00

#### 6. Steps to Promote the Licensing Objectives

- 6.1 The steps the applicant proposes to take to promote the licensing objectives are set out in the operating schedule (see section M of Appendix A).
- 6.2 In arriving at its decision on the application, the Licensing Authority's primary consideration must be the promotion of the licensing objectives.

## 7. Representations

- 7.1 Representations were received on 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> of June 2017 from the secretary of a local community centre and a local resident. The representations relate to crime and disorder and the prevention of public nuisance. T

The Secretary of the Community Centre is concerned for the safety of the vulnerable adults using the centre and feels the hours the business would be operating is excessive. The local resident is also concerned that granting this licence will exacerbate the noise and other public nuisance problems already experienced in this area. Copies of the representations are attached at Appendix B1-2.

## 8. Conditions

- 8.1 The conditions that are consistent with the operating schedule and the representation are attached at Appendix C.

## 9. Statutory Guidance

- 9.1 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
1.2 – 1.5	Licensing objectives and aims
1.15 – 1.16	General Principles
1.17	Each application on its own merits
2.1 – 2.6	Crime & Disorder
2.15 – 2.21	Public nuisance
8.38 – 8.46	Steps to promote the licensing objectives
9.25	Home Office (Immigration Enforcement) acting as a responsible authority
9.31 – 9.41	Hearings
9.42 – 9.44	Determining actions that are appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives
10.1 – 10.3	Conditions - general
10.8 – 10.9	Imposed conditions
10.10	Proportionality
10.13 - 10.15	Hours of trading
10.25 – 10.66	Mandatory conditions in relation to the supply of alcohol
13.10	Giving reasons for decisions
14.44 – 14.45	Licensing Hours

## 10. Statement of Licensing Policy

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

Section	Heading
2	Fundamental Principles
5	Licensing Hours
7	Prevention of Crime and Disorder
9	Prevention of Public Nuisance
11.4 – 11.5	Planning
12	Duplication
13	Standardised conditions

## 11. Points for Clarification

11.1 The applicant and the party / parties making the representation have been asked to clarify certain points at the hearing, as follows:

*By the applicant*

1. Whether the applicant considers that the concerns outlined in the representations are valid, and if not why not?
2. In the light of the representations made, does the applicant wish to propose any additional steps for the promotion of the licensing objectives?

*By the party making the representation*

1. Whether they have any additional information to support the representation they have made?
2. Whether there are any additional steps that could be taken which would be equally effective in the promotion of the licensing objectives?

## 12. Other Implications

OTHER IMPLICATIONS	YES/ NO	Paragraph/References Within Supporting information
Equal Opportunities	No	
Policy	No	
Sustainable and Environmental	No	
Crime and Disorder	No	
Human Rights Act	No	
Elderly/People on Low Income	No	
Corporate Parenting	No	
Health Inequalities Impact	No	

**13. Background Papers – Local Government Act 1972**

None

**14. Consultations**

The Licensing Authority is not obliged to consult any parties with regard to applications made under the Licensing Act 2003. However, the applicant is required to consult with the responsible authorities as set out in the 2003 Act.

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<b>APPENDIX</b>	<b>CONTENT</b>
A	Application
B	Representations
C	Conditions consistent with application