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: 03 September 2024

Lead director/officer: Deborah Bragg

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■ Ward(s) affected: Fosse

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1. Summary

1.1 This report outlines an objection notice given by the Noise Team and the Police in response to a temporary event notice given by Roz Macgregor-Devlin for Rugby 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 notices, 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
 - Disregard the objection notice

3. Temporary event notice

- 3.1 A temporary event notice was given on 21 August 2024 by Roz Macgregor-Devlin for an event at wasteland located on Rugby Street, Leicester. The temporary event notice is for an event on 7th and 8th September 2024 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	11.00 – 23.00
consumption on the premises)	
Provision of regulated entertainment	11.00 – 23.00

4. Objection notice

- 4.1 An objection notice was received on 23 August 2024 from the Noise team on the grounds of the prevention of public nuisance. A copy of the objection notice is attached at Appendix B1.
- 4.2 An objection notice was received on 27 August 2024 from the Police on the grounds of the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm. A copy of the objection notice is attached at Appendix B2.

5. Conditions

5.1 There is no premises licence that affects any part of the premises identified in the temporary event notice. This means that no conditions may be applied to the temporary event notice.

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
4	Promotion of Licensing Objectives
5	General Principles
11	Temporary Event Notices

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

8.1	Financial	implications

None.

8.2 Legal implications

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

8.3 Equalities implications

None.

8.4 Climate Emergency implications

There are unlikely to be any significant climate emergency implications directly associated with this report and the licensing process. Aidan Davis, Sustainability Officer, Ext 28 3384.

8.5 Other implications

Paragraph 4 of this report concerns the prevention of crime and disorder.

9. Background information and other papers:

None

10. Summary of appendices:

Appendix A – Temporary Event Notice Appendix B1 - B2 – Objection notices

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