

Minutes of the Meeting of The Licensing Sub-Committee Monday, 17 April 2023

Steep Holm Room

Meeting Commenced: 10:30am

Meeting Concluded: 12:30pm

Councillors:

Andy Cole (Chairperson) Mike Solomon James Tonkin

Officers in attendance: Sioux Isherwood (Head of Licensing), Sara Saunders (Solicitor and Senior Legal Advisor) and Kellie Trego (Senior Licensing Officer).

Also in attendance: Jonathon Watson, Chief Immigration Officer, Home Office Immigration Enforcement – joined by MS Teams as a substitution for Marcus Johnson, Immigration Officer, Home Office Immigration Enforcement.

LSC Election of Chairperson for the meeting

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Resolved: that Councillor Andy Cole be elected Chairperson for the meeting.

Councillor Cole in the Chair

LSC Declaration of Disclosable Pecuniary Interest (Standing Order 37)

None declared.

LSC Adoption of hearing procedure

Resolved: that the hearing procedure be adopted.

LSC Application to Review the Premises License from Posh Spice, 86 High 39 Street, Nailsea, BS46 1AS

The Director of Public Health's representative outlined the application for review and her report including the report from Home Office Immigration Enforcement requesting a review of the Premises Licence at Posh Spice. The Licence Holder and the License Holder's daughter spoke on the matter and responded to questions.

The representative for the Home Office presented their evidence in response to comments made by the Licence Holder and responded to questions.

Resolved:

The Sub-Committee decided to revoke the Premises Licence with immediate effect. The Licensing Sub-Committee decided that no additional conditions would be appropriate and proportionate in the particular circumstances, and there was clear evidence of a disregard in promoting or supporting the Licensing objectives under the Licensing Act 2003, in particular. the prevention and crime and disorder and public safety objectives under the Licensing Act 2003.

LSC Urgent business permitted by the Local Government Act 1972

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None.

<u>Chairperson</u>