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LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

REPORT

2nd July 2012

Subject heading:

Report author and contact details:

Bargains Galore
7a Western Road Romford RM1 3LD
Premises licence application
Paul Jones, Licensing Officer
5th floor Mercury House
x 2692

This application for a premises licence is made by Mr David Poole under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003. The application was received by Havering's Licensing Authority on 14th May 2012.

Geographical description of the area and description of the building

This premises is located in Western Road in Romford within the ring road. As such it is located in Havering's Romford Town ward. Within 250 metres of this premises are located sixteen other off-licence premises as well as nine pubs/bars. There is also a number of restaurants offering alcohol with meals. A map of the area is attached.

Details of the application

The applicant has applied for the following:

Supply of alcohol (o	ff supplies)	
Day	Start	Finish
Monday to Sunday	09:00	20:00

Hours premises open to the public				
Day	Start	Finish		
Monday to Sunday	06:30	20:00		

Comments and observations on the application

The applicant acted in accordance with regulations 25 and 26 of *The Licensing Act 2003 (Premises licences and club premises certificates) Regulations 2005* relating to the advertising of the application. The required public notice was installed in the 16th May 2012 edition of the Yellow Advertiser.

The premises is located in Havering's Romford Town ward. Havering's 2011 Licensing Policy designates certain stress areas within the borough as saturation zones suffering from the cumulative impact of the number of licensed premises in the vicinity. The ring

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road within Romford Town ward is just such a saturation zone and thus this application is subject to consideration of the appropriate policy. Licensing Policy 018 states:

It is the LLA's policy to refuse applications in Romford within the ring road for pubs and bars, late night refreshment premises offering hot food and drink to take away, off licences and premises offering facilities for music and dancing other than applications to vary hours with the regard to licensing policy 012.

<u>Summary</u>

There was one representation against this application from an interested person. There were two representations against this application from responsible authorities.

Details of representations

Valid representations may only address the following licensing objectives:

- The prevention of crime and disorder
- The prevention of public nuisance
- The protection of children from harm
- Public safety

Interested parties' representations

The interested person is ward Councillor Frederick Thompson who makes representation against this application on the grounds of public safety.

Responsible authorities' representations

PC David Fern makes representation against this application on behalf of the Metropolitan Police. PC Fern contends that the application is not exceptional and as such should be liable to Havering's Licensing Policy 018. Given that this application is not exceptional, PC Fern suggests, the application should be refused based upon the grounds of saturation and cumulative impact as to grant the application would not promote the licensing objectives of the prevention of crime and disorder and the prevention of public nuisance.

Licensing Officer Paul Campbell makes representation against this application on behalf of Havering's Licensing Authority. Mr Campbell's representation is based in part upon the aforementioned saturation policy. Mr Campbell suggests that to grant this application in opposition to Licensing Policy 018 would result in a failure to promote the licensing objectives relating to the prevention of crime and disorder and the prevention of public nuisance.

Paul Jones Licensing Officer London Borough of Havering

<u>Appendix 1</u> - Copy of the Application

Application for a premises licence to be granted under the Licensing Act 2003

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

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Post	town	ROMFORD			Post code	RM1 3LD
Telep	hone	number at premises (if any)	01708 7693	91 ———		
Non-	dome	stic rateable value of premises	£22500			
Part 2	2 - Ap	plicant Details				
Pleas	e stat	e whether you are applying for a	a premises lice Pleas			
a)	an ir	ndividual or individuals *		\boxtimes	please comple	ete section (A)
b)	a pe	rson other than an individual *				
	i.	as a limited company			please comple	ete section (B)
	ii.	as a partnership			please comple	ete section (B)
	iii.	as an unincorporated association	on or		please comple	ete section (B)
	iv.	other (for example a statutory of	orporation)		please comple	ete section (B)
c)	a rec	cognised club			please comple	ete section (B)
d)	a cha	arity			please comple	ete section (B)

e)	the proprietor of an educational establish	ment		please com	nplete section (B)
f)	a health service body			please com	plete section (B)
g)	a person who is registered under Part 2 c Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respec independent hospital in Wales			please com	nplete section (B)
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h)	the chief officer of police of a police force England and Wales	in		please com	plete section (B)
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•	I am making the application pursuant to a o statutory function or	а			
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Please provide name and please give any registered (other than a body corpor concerned.	d number. In the case	of a partnership of	or other joint venture
Name			
Address			
Registered number (where	applicable)		
Description of applicant (for	example, partnership,	company, unincorpo	orated association etc.)
Telephone number (if any)			
E-mail address (optional)			
Part 3 Operating Schedule)		
When do you want the prem	nises licence to start?		Day Month Year 10 20 00 60 20 00 10 20
If you wish the licence to be you want it to end?	valid only for a limited	period, when do	Day Month Year

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Wha	at licensable activities do you intend to carry on from the premise	es?
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Pro	vision of regulated entertainment	Please tick yes
a)	plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)	
b)	films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)	
c)	indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C)	
d)	boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)	
e)	live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)	
f)	recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)	
g)	performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)	
h)	anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or ((if ticking yes, fill in box H)	g) 🗆
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j)	dancing (if ticking yes, fill in box J)	
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Prov	vision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box L)	
Sup	ply of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box M)	\boxtimes

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Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)		and	Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption (Please tick box) (please read guidance note 7)	On the premises		
			Off the premises		☒	
Day	Start	Finish		Both		
Mon	09.00		State any seasonal variations for the supply of	f alcohol (please		
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State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as premises supervisor

Name MR DAVID POOLE	
Address	
Postcode	
Personal Licence number (if known)	
Issuing licensing authority (if known)	

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Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 8) NONE

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Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)		blic and read	State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 4) NONE
Day	Start	Finish	
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Sun	06.30		1
		20.00	1

P Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e) (please read guidance note 9)

WE WILL OPERATE OUR PREMISES IN A RESPONSIBLE MANNER AND ACTIVELY PROMOTE THE LICENSING OBJECTIVES AT ALL TIMES.

THE SHOP IS PART OF THE BEST ONE BRAND AND IS OPERATED AS A CONVENIENCE STORE WHERE THE SALE OF ALCOHOL WILL BE ANCILLARY TO OTHER GOODS.

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

CCTV COVERING THE INSIDE AND OUTSIDE OF THE PREMISE HAS BEEN INSTALLED, IT IS CAPABLE OF TAKING A HEAD AND SHOULDERS SHOT OF PERSONS ENTERING THE SHOP AND OF STORING IMAGES FOR AT LEAST 31 DAYS. A MEMBER OF STAFF CAPABLE OF DOWNLOADING IMAGES FOR THE POLICE OR AUTHORISED COUNCIL OFFICERS SHALL BE ON DUTY AT ALL TIMES THE PREMISES ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

NOTICES WILL BE PROMINENTLY DISPLAYED AT THE ENTRY AND POINT OF SALE STATING THAT CCTV IS IN USE, CHALLENGE 25 IS OPERATED AND THE PROVISIONS OF THE LICENSING ACT REGARDING UNDERAGE AND PROXY PURCHASES AND SALES.

ALL STAFF WILL BE TRAINED FOR THEIR ROLE ON INDUCTION AND AT REGULAR INTERVALS OF SIX MONTHS THEREAFTER. TRAINING WILL INCLUDE IDENTIFYING PERSONS UNDER 25, MAKING A CHALLENGE, ACCEPTABLE PROOF OF AGE, MAKING AND RECORDING A REFUSAL, AVOIDING CONFLICT AND RESPONSIBLE ALCOHOL RETAILING. WRITTEN TRAINING RECORDS WILL BE KEPT.

OUTSIDE OF PERMITTED HOURS ALCOHOL WILL BE KEPT BEHIND LOCKABLE SHUTTERS.

THE PREMISES WILL ACTIVELY ENGAGE WITH AND WORK WITH THE POLICE SAFER NEIGHBOURGHOOD TEAM.

A PERSONAL LICENCE HOLDER SHALL BE ON DUTY AT ALL TIMES THAT ALCOHOL IS AVAILABLE FOR SALE.

A MINIMUM OF TWO STAFF SHALL BE ON DUTY AT ALL TIMES THAT ALCOHOL IS AVAILABLE FOR SALE.

NO MORE THAN 10% OF THE DISPLAY SPACE SHALL BE USED FOR THE DISPLAY OF ALCOHOL.

NO BOTTLES OR CANS OF BEER, LAGER OR CIDER ABOVE 5.5% ABV WILL BE SOLD. A NOTICE WILL BE PROMINENTLY DISPLAYED BY THE FRONT DOORS ADVISING CUSTOMERS THAT THEY ARE IN AN AREA SUBJECT TO A DESIGNATED PUBLIC PLACE ORDER AND SHOULD NOT DRINK IN THE STREET AND MUST SURRENDER ANY OPEN ALCOHOLIC DRINK TO A POLICE OFFICER ON DEMAND OR FACE ARREST AND A FINE ON CONVICTION.

MANAGEMENT AND STAFF WILL DISCOURAGE PERSONS DRINKING OUTSIDE THE SHOP.

c) Public safety

A FIRE RISK ASSESSMENT AND EMERGENCY PLAN WILL BE PREPARED AND
REGULARLY REVIEWED.

d) The prevention of public nuisance

NOTICES WILL BE DISPLAYED ASKING CUSTOMERS TO RESPECT NEARBY RESIDENTS AND TO LEAVE QUIETLY, NOT TO LOITER OUTSIDE THE SHOP AND NOT TO DRINK IN THE STREET AS THEY ARE WITHIN AN AREA SUBJECT TO A DESIGNATED PUBLIC PLACES ORDER

THE SHOP FRONT WILL BE KEPT TIDY AT ALL TIMES AND SHALL BE SWEPT AT CLOSE. NO DELIVERIES WILL BE RECEIVED OR REMOVALS OF RUBBISH TAKE PLACE BETWEEN 20.00 AND 07.00.

e) The protection of children from harm

THE CHALLENGE 25 PROOF OF AGE POLICY WILL BE OPERATED AND ONLY A PHOTOGRAPHIC DRIVING LICENCE OR VALID PASSPORT ACCEPTED AS PROOF OF AGE. A WRITTEN REFUSALS RECORD WILL BE KEPT.NOTICES WILL BE PROMINENTLY DISPLAYED AT THE ENTRY AND AT THE POINT OF SALE STATING THAT CHALLENGE 25 IS IN USE AND THE PROVISIONS OF THE LICENSING ACT REGARDING UNDERAGE AND PROXY PURCHASES AND SALES.

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THE TILLS ARE EQUIPPED WITH AN ELECTRONIC SCAN TILL PROMPT AND REFUSALS RECORD.

Please tick yes I have made or enclosed payment of the fee X X I have enclosed the plan of the premises I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and \boxtimes others where applicable I have enclosed the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be premises \boxtimes supervisor, if applicable I understand that I must now advertise my application \boxtimes I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will X be rejected

IT IS AN OFFENCE, LIABLE ON CONVICTION TO A FINE UP TO LEVEL 5 ON THE STANDARD SCALE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003 TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION

Consent of individual to being specified as premises supervisor

MR DAVID POOLE	
[full name of prospective pren	nisas supervisor]
of	
VAWESTERN ROAD ROM	FORT I SSEX RATE OF T
[home address of prospective premis	ses supervisor]
hereby confirm that I give my supervisor in relation to the app	consent to be specified as the designated premises
A NEW PREMISES LICENCE	
[type of application]	
by	
MR DAVID POOLE	
[name of applicant]	
relating to a premises licence	[number of existing licence, if any]
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BARGAINS GALORE,	
7A WESTERN ROAD,	
ROMFORD, ESSEX	
RM1 3LD	
Iname and address of premises to wh	Ich the application relates]

and any premises licend by	e to be granted or varied in respect of this application made
MR DAVID POOLE	
[name of applicant]	
concerning the supply of	alcohol at
BARGAINS GALORE 7A WESTERN ROAD, ROMFORD, ESSEX RM1 3LD	
[name and address of premise	es to which application relates]
I also confirm that I am a licence, details of which I	applying for, intend to apply for or currently hold a personal set out below.
Personal licence number	
[insert personal licence numbe	r. if anvi
Personal licence issuing	authority
finsert name and address and	telephone number of personal licence issuing authority, if any)
Signed	Doda
Name (please print)	MR DAVID POOLE
Date	5/5/2012

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LICENSING ACT 2003

Notice of Application For A Premises Licence Under Section 17 The Licensing Act 2003

Applicants: Alan Masters and Michel O'Meara, Postal Address of Premises: The Diner, 13 Farham Road, Harold Hill, Romford, Essex RM3 8ED. The proposed licensable activity which it is proposed will be carried on from the premises: Sale of Alcoholic Products for consumption on the premises: Sale of Alcoholic Products for consumption on the premises and playing of recorded music. Hours of supply of alcohol: Monday to Fridays: 11,00-22.00, Saturdays 11,00-22.00, Sundays: 11,00-17.00. Hours of Playing Recorded Music, Monday to Fridays: 08.00-22.00, Sundays 09.00-17.00.

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Full details of the application may be inspected at the address below during normal business hours.
Any representations by an interested party or responsible authority regarding this application can be made to The Licensing Team. Housing and Public Protection, London Borough of Havering, Stir Floor, Mercury House, Mercury Gardens, Romford, RMI 3RX. Website www.havering.gov.uk. Such representation must be received in writing by 5th June, 2012 clearly stating the grounds upon which the representation is made in relation to the four objectives of the Licensing Act 2003. It is an offence to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with an application. The maximum fine for which a person is liable on summary conviction for the offence is £5,000.

LICENSING ACT 2003 Notice of Application For A Premises Licence Under Section 17 Of the Licensing Act 2003 Notice is hereby given that Mr David Poole has applied

Notice is hereby given that Mr David Poole has applied to the London Borough of Havering for a new premises licence for Bargains Galore, 7A Western Road, Romford, Essex RM1 3LD as follows: to permit the sale of alcohol for consumption off the premises from 09.00 until 20.00 daily all week. The address of the Licensing Authority where the register is kept and the applications may be inspected during normal business hours is: Licensing Section, Housing & Public Protection, London Borough of Havering, Mercury House, Mercury Gardens, Romford, RM1 3SL or on the Councils website www.havering.gov.uk. Any representations by another person or responsible authority must be received in writing by the Licensing Authority by 11th June, 2012 stating the nature and grounds for making such the nature and grounds for making such representation It is an offence

offence under section 158 of the Licensing Act 2003 to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with an application. The maximum fine on summary conviction for this offence is £5,000.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO VARY A PREMISES LICENCE
UNDER SECTION 34 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003
HODER SECTION 34 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003
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The proposed variation is to open ab ar facility in the first-floor of the pavilion, which consists of only one room plus a kitchen facility, to sell alcohol after GId Cooperians' rugby training nights during the week and following their matches on weekends. The bar would also be open as a cate facility to sell to parents collecting children over the weekend. Any day that the bar facility has been opened, it would close at 2100 hrs or in accordance with the School's letting policy.

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www.havering.gov.uk Such representation manual June 2012 clearly on must be received in writing by: Wednesday 6th

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HEADBOARD, beige material
with silver aluminium, 90, 210,
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570562.

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GROUND SHEET breathable, blue, 2.5 x 4.5m, used once, still in storage bag, 225. CARLTON DESK FAN, oscillating, 12in, as new, 210. COFFEE TABLE, cane frame, glass top, 85cm x 50cm x 46cm, 215. Tel: 01702 714100.

BOSCH CONDENSER TUMBLE DRYER free local delivery, £99. BOSCH WASHING MACHINE, free local delivery, £99. FRIGIDAIRE UNDER WORKTOP FRIDGE, free local delivery, £85. Tel: 07970 070225.

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BIKES, 24in wheels, exe cond,
from £25.
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CHESTNUT FENCING 89metres, 4ft high, 2yra old, used as temporary fence, £1 per metrs. Two new £10; gravel boards for panel fence, £10. Engineer bricks 300, class B, new, £80. Tei: 01375 891 481.

INDESIT UPRIGHT FREEZER exe cond, ewo, £90. Lec larder fridge fair condition, ewo, £75. Indesit dishwasher gc, ewo,

CAMPING WASHING UP STAND £5. Two sleeping bags £5 each. Aluminium folding pic-nic table £40. Electric hook-up £35. Indoor rabbit/guinea pig cade vgr. £35. Tel. 11288 820 £35. Indoor rabbit/gulnea pig cage vgc, £35. Tel: 01268 820 465.

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SOFABED green, double, metal frame, £95. Tel: 01268 770327 or 07817 045715.

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FISH TANK & STAND beech set up, inc pump, heater, of £70. Tel: 07891 460 458.

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BIRCH DISPLAY CABINET exe cond, top with down lights, glass doors, shelving, enclosed bottom shelving, enclosed to the cond, bratilly used, 235, enclosed, bratilly used, 255, BRAND NEW, men's black Timberland ribstock jackets, adjustable culfs, 240, PARIGUET WOODEN FLOORING, small rectangular piscess, cover approx 8 maa, £1000no. Tel: 07715 111152 Canvey.

LARGE CORNER BATH chrome taps, exe cond, £99. Tel: 01708 501115 after 6pm

SUN LOUNGER attached by shade, brand new, £20. Tel: 01268 540443.

TWO SPONGE MATTRESS 2In thick, length 78in x width 72in, £50 or both for £90. Tel: 07853 608143.

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2 PINE CARVER CHAIRS £50.
PINE SINGLE BED AND MATTRESS hardly used £45. PINE
WALL HARGING DISPLAY
UNIT with 2 small drawers
L100cm W70cm D20cm £40.
TEAK GARDEN TABLE, roundfloids for storage and 2 matching folding chairs £50. DENRY
DINNERS £5RVDCE & dinner
plates & dessert dishes cups
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all £90. Tel ±07817622706

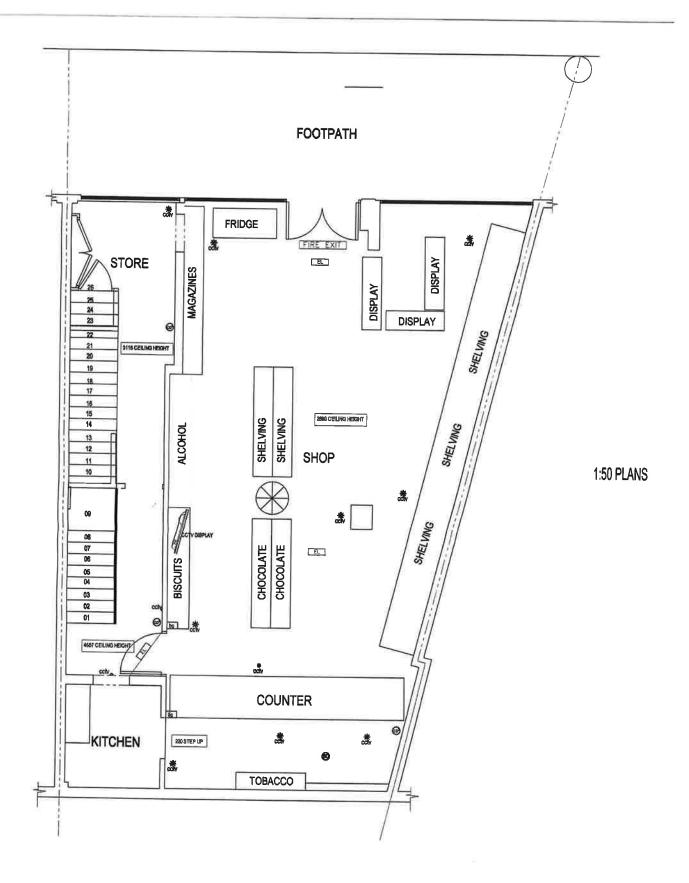
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QUARANTINE TANK/SMALL POND fibre glass, rectangular, 53in x 43in x 24in, bottom drain, £60, Tel: 01268 751260.

PEUGEOT 207 SPARE WHEELS full set road lools, plus compressor, new, 6mths old, £80. Tel: 01702 218 257.

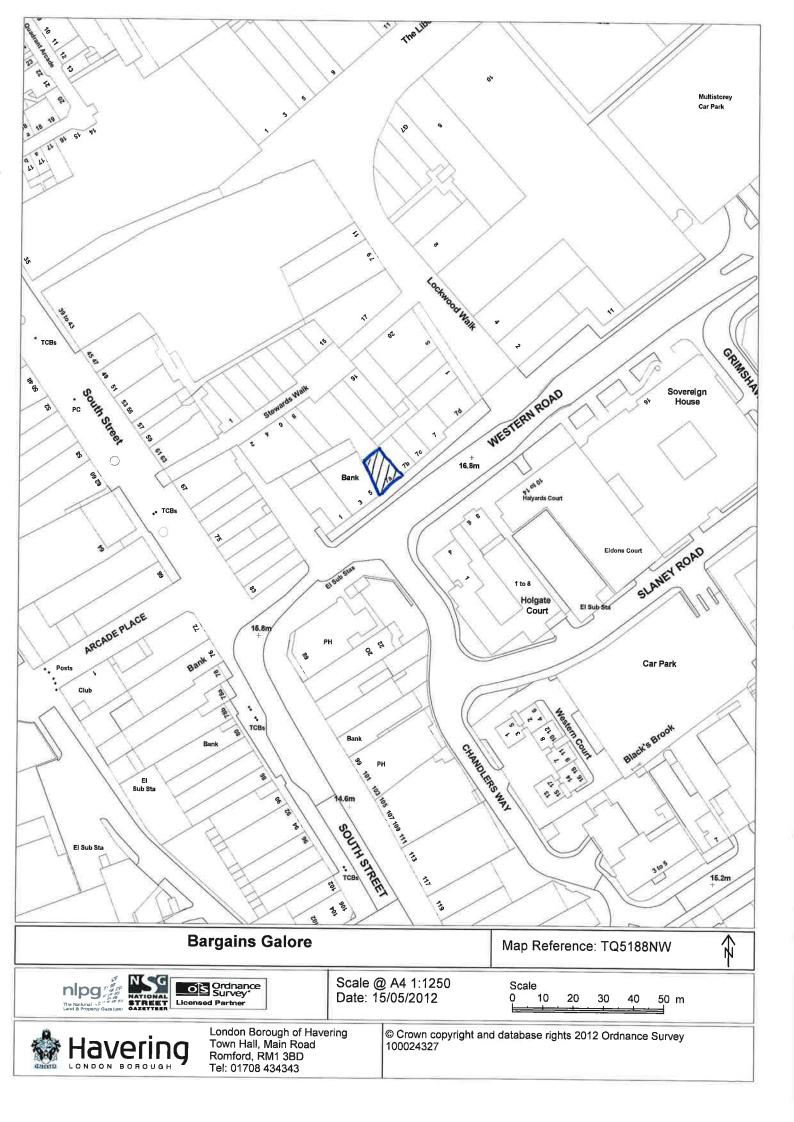
FOLDING GUEST BED AND MATTRESS Argos 634/0678 hardly used, C20. Tel: 07939 524304 (West Cliff)



GROUND FLOOR PLAN

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Appendix 2 - Map of local area



<u>Appendix 3</u> - Representations

Paul Campbell

From: Licensing

Sent: 21 May 2012 14:08
To: Paul Campbell; Paul Jones

Subject: FW: 11686, Bargains Galore, 7A Western Road

From: CouncillorFrederick Thompson

Sent: 21 May 2012 13:31

To: Licensing

Subject: 11686, Bargains Galore, 7A Western Road

7a Balgores Crescent, Romford, Essex, RM2 6AB

Dear Licensing Officers,

With reference to the application for a premises licence for Bargains Galore at 7A Western Road to sell alcohol Monday to Sunday 09.00 to 20.00 I wish to object. Romford Town Centre already has too many licensed premises as stated in Havering's Alcohol Saturation Zone Policy but I wish to object on the grounds of public safety. Although its proposed hours are not too excessive with regard to early evening it can still facilitate the objectionable habit called pre-loading where visitors to nightclubs buy and consume usually high strength alcohol prior to entering aforesaid nightclubs to avoid buying what would usually be a lot dearer unit for unit. If not drunk on the street it may still be hidden and later consumed on Club or Bar Premises. Besides the obvious dangers of quick inebriation it damages public safety through health effects.

I further object on the basis of public nuisance. I feel that this outlet may well facilitate street drinking despite the Town Centre being a controlled zone as this store is sited away from South Street where the police necessarily have to concentrate their patrols. Unfortunately the local area provides several nearby "dead zones" not readily observable as they are off the principal patrol axis which the police have to concentrate on.

The police are already overstretched late at night in Romford and Hornchurch Town Centres and I fear that this lessens the necessary protection of children from harm as under 18 year old teenagers will be more able to pressure passing adults into making illegal purchases for them because of the fact that the store access is within a cloistered area making it easier to hide such behaviour and exchanges. The adjacent bus stops allow more time to press waiting adults to illegally oblige.

Regards,

Cllr. Frederick Thompson Tel: 01708 747993 Cell: 07895 096 765

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Appendix 4 - Representations from Responsible Authorities



Working together for a safer London

Licensing Authority London borough of Havering Mercury House, Mercury Gardens Romford RM1 3SL

PC 118 KD David Fern

Romford Police Station 19 Main Road Romford, Essex RM1 3BJ

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Date: 16th May 2012

The Police wish to make a representation <u>against</u> the application for a new premises licence for <u>BARGAINS GALORE, 7A WESTERN ROAD, ROMFORD, RM1 3LD</u>

- The premises falls within the saturation area of the town centre and full details of the policy can be found on the London Borough of Havering website.
- Police feel that the application should be refused on the grounds of saturation and cumulative impact, allowing this application would not promote the licensing objectives. Namely the Prevention of crime and disorder, public nuisance.
- This application is far from exceptional; it does not provide anything different for the town centre or offer a service or concept that is not already available, neither does it replace licensed premises which closed.

Supporting grounds of saturation

The following off licence premises are all located within close proximity, estimated distances; less then 500M, many are less then 250 metres from the proposed store.

Key News and Food - SOUTH STREET Am and Pm - SOUTH STREET Sainsburys - THE BREWERY Londis - SOUTH STREET LidI - ATLANTA BOULEVARD Maxim Food stores - VICTORIA Road Afforda - SOUTH STREET J and B convenience - SOUTH STREET TESCO SOUTH STREET Romford Mini Mart - SOUTH STREET The Russian shop -HIGH STREET Strumbras VICTORIA ROAD Marks and Spencer SOUTH STREET Debenhams MARKET PLACE Iceland MARKET PLACE Asda LIBERTY MALL

The London Borough of Havering is amongst the highest areas within the Metropolitan Police for alcohol fuelled violence.

- Off licences play a key role in fuelling the availability of alcohol and often are cheaper than pubs and bars. There is a term in policing referred to as pre loading. This is where a person consumes alcohol prior to attending licensed premises, so the full effects of the alcohol consumed as probably not been felt by that person yet. There is such a strong link between price and consumption.
- The town centre experiences several issues on pre loading, off licences that sell within the ring road do so with the condition that the alcohol is not consumed in the streets within the ring road.
- This is often disregarded by the person who purchases the item and is consumed within proximity of the off licence. Many subjects then remain in the town centre afterwards.

Police are tasked to deal with such issues; they have powers to remove the alcohol and any open or sealed containers, if they believe that it will be consumed or is being consumed within the designated area of the alcohol controlled zone.

Designated area

This store falls within a designated area.

Designated Drinking Areas are an effective tool to tackle the problems associated with the anti-social consumption of alcohol in public places. This incorporates the under-age consumption of alcohol, the negative image that street drinking projects to the community and the frequently resulting social nuisance which impacts on others quality of life.

- Alcohol confiscation is a direct result of off licence sales. Many premises are often totally unaware of the effects they create. These issues are a constant task for police officers.
- Drinks promotions and special offers are often deemed irresponsible sales by the police given the issues this town centre faces. The availability of cheap alcohol does not promote the licensing objective under the prevention of crime and disorder and public nuisance.
- The bars and clubs in the town centre have collectively introduced minimum pricing and have maintained level prices with competitors to assist in combating crime and disorder, public nuisance.

The saturation zone within the town centre is the designated area.

Police spend a lot of their time dealing with such matters in an attempt to prevent further crime and disorder and public nuisance, this is an on going problem.

- There is evidence to suggest that customers from off licences contribute to the global difficulties within the town centre.
- This area suffers from a series of difficulties that have arisen from a concentration of licensed premises in the town centre. The cumulative effect is violence on and off premises, theft, robbery, noise and nuisance, large gatherings of people, littering, fouling and a deteriorating public realm.

There is not a single operator who is to blame <u>but together they cumulatively impact on the</u> <u>town centre</u>.

The licensing objective the Prevention of Crime and disorder, police officers are at a constant battle to combat crime and disorder within the town centre.

Section 27 of the Violent Crime Reduction Act 2006 introduced a power for a constable in uniform to issue a direction to leave a locality to an individual aged at least 16 who is in a public place and who presents a risk of alcohol related crime or disorder.

Section 27 notices can effectively target people drinking out in the streets, thus preventing later drunkenness and disorder in venues.

Disorder, Public safety, Protection of children from Harm.

Police deal robustly with disorder in the town centre and used fixed penalty notices for public order offences, including urination in the streets. Many of these offences are due to alcohol fueled youngsters under the age of 25. The town centre is policed by a dedicated team with local knowledge and up to date intelligence.

The town centre does have a high ratio of licensed premises, within the saturation zone.

Other schemes implemented to assist in promotion of the licensing objectives.

In Partnership with the local authority the town centre operates a Banned from One, Banned from all schemes. Anyone who is involved in alcohol fuelled violence and or disorder within the saturation zone can be put forward to be banned under this scheme, a banning notice can be for up to 5 years.

Within the last 12 months 279 banning notices have been issued.

The local authority and police work hard to promote the licensing objectives in the town centre. This is fully supported by partnership work of the venues and operators in the saturation zone.

My aim is to provide information relating to the problems that we face within the town centre, in order to assist the applicant in providing a better understanding of why the saturation policy was adopted.

 The saturation policy along with cumulative impact was designed to assist in promoting the licensing objectives; all of the problems highlighted in the policy are still ongoing.

The text below is a quote from the Prime Minster taken from the New Alcohol Strategy as of March 2012.

"Binge drinking isn't some fringe issue, it accounts for half of all alcohol consumed in this country. The crime and violence it causes drains resources in our hospitals, generates mayhem on our streets and spreads fear in our communities.

My message is simple. We can't go on like this. We have to tackle the scourge of violence caused by binge drinking. And we have to do it now."

"A real effort to get to grips with the root cause of the problem, and that means coming down hard on cheap alcohol"

I ask the committee not to grant a further licence in the saturation area of the town centre.

• There are no conditions no matter how strict I could recommend to impose to prevent the issues mentioned in this report.

- The fact is we do not need another off licence creating further availability of alcohol.
- Cheap alcohol is too readily available in Romford town centre and industry needs, and commercial advantages have too frequently been prioritised over community concerns.

The granting of such a licence will undermine all the preventative work and proactive work that is involved in the town centre.

 The Metropolitan police could not support this application for a new premises license to serve alcohol in an area identified as being saturated.

If I can be of any further assistance in this matter please do not hesitate to contact me in the licensing office.

Yours sincerely

PC David Fern Metropolitan police - Havering Licensing officer



The Appropriate Licensing Officer Havering Licensing Authority Mercury House Mercury Gardens Romford RM1 3SL **Public Protection**

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Date: 11 June 2012

Your Reference:

My Reference:

PPC/011686

Dear Sir/Madam

Licensing Act 2003
Bargains Galore, 7a Western Road, Romford, RM1 3LD
Premises licence application ref. 11686

Please be advised that as a responsible authority Havering's Licensing Authority makes representation against the application detailed above based upon the perceived failures of the applicant to adequately promote the four licensing objectives as provided on the application form.

The London Borough Of Havering's Licensing Policy has identified two areas within the borough where it is considered the cumulative impact of premises selling alcohol has an overall detrimental effect on the public and the four licensing objectives (details of this policy can be found on the London Borough Of Havering website). One of the two areas is Romford Town Centre which is classed as the area within the Romford Ring Road.

This premises falls within the saturation area of the town centre.

The Licensing Authority feel that the application should be refused for the reason the saturation policy was introduced to prevent crime and disorder, prevent public nuisance and public safety.

The commutative impact of allowing this application would only add to the many alcohol related problems that already exist in Romford. Whilst working I have witnessed young people (over 18) buying alcoholic shots and small bottles of spirits from premises in Romford drinking them in quick succession outside the shop before moving onto the many pubs and clubs which are situated within 200 metres of this premises. I have also been inspecting a premises in South Street when young people have come into the shop asking what drinks are on special offer unconcerned as to what drink they were buying.

There are 16 other premises within 250 metres of this premises that are licensed for the supply of alcohol for off sales, adding another outlet would not increase the number of people attending Romford but would increase the pressure on all of them to maintain their share of the customer base. To do this a shop would need to be a specialist shop or to sell cheap alcohol or put on special offers selling a quantity for a cheaper price. Nothing in the application indicates that this is a specialist shop in fact it states it is a "Retail Shop" which will be selling as part of a brand so I can only surmise that the latter may take place in order to be competitive and make a profit.

If alcohol is bought in quantity by persons before moving onto a pub or club the drinking is normally done in a short space of time and the full effects of the alcohol do not take hold until later causing problems disturbances and violence inside or near other venues. I have witnessed on occasions people being ill quite early during the evening, being ejected or refused entry at other premises and when speaking to the manager of premises they have been ejected from being told that the person has only had one drink in their venue and becoming disorderly or ill. It is obvious to me that the persons concerned have "preloaded" either at home or at one of the many outlets.

I am aware that this application is not for late at night but I feel the supply of alcohol at any time will only add to the problems already being experienced.

This is not an exceptional application for an area such as Romford and its many problems which the police and community are trying to address and I submit that the granting of this application is against Havering's Own Licensing Policy and that it is not appropriate to do so in these circumstances.

Yours faithfully

Paul Campbell Licensing Officer