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LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

12 November 2012

Subject Heading:

Report Author and contact details:

Premises Licence application for Arkadia News, Unit M1 Romford Shopping Hall, 43 Market Place, Romford RM1 3AB Paul Campbell – Licensing Officer 01708 432777

licensing@havering.gov.uk

This application for a premises licence is made by Mr Graham Walker under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003. The application was received by Havering's Licensing Authority on 25th September 2012.

Geographical description of the area and description of the building

The Rumford Shopping Hall is situated on the north side of the Market Square Romford, it is an enclosed pedestrian shopping precinct with many units inside selling a variety of goods.

The access to the Shopping Hall is by six sets of double doors which lead directly onto the Market square.

Unit M1 is situated in the centre at the very south part of the Shopping Hall directly behind the centre four double doors of the six.

The unit is basically a rectangular area with a solid wall at the northern end glass doors at the southern end the walls either side are glass with open doors on both sides all walls are floor to ceiling.

The Shopping Hall is shuttered when closed and Unit M1 is blocked off internally I spoke to the applicant and he told me that if the licence is granted all alcohol would be at the northern end of the unit either behind the counter for spirits and wines with a chilled unit for beers, cider and some wine to the side of the counter, with easy access for staff behind the counter to get to this area.

Other items sold in the unit are confectionary and other items that would be found at a newsagent.

The surrounding premises are mainly shops and businesses on the ground floor with a market 3 days per week, there are residential properties above the venue.

The premises are situated in the centre of Romford and close to all public transport links.

The premises are situated inside the Romford Ring Road and falls within Havering's saturation area for Romford.

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Within a close area of the shop there are a number of premises which offer alcohol for off sales, 9 pubs or bars and a large number of restaurants that offer alcohol with meals.

A map of the area is attached to assist the committee.

Details of the application

Supply of Alcohol (Off Supply only)				
Day	Start	Finish		
Monday to Sunday	09:00hrs	17:00hrs		

Seasonal variations & Non-standard timings

There are no seasonal variations or non-standard timings attached to this application.

Comments and observations on the application

The applicant acted in accordance with premises licence regulations 25 and 26 relating to the advertising of the application. The required newspaper advertisement was installed in the Yellow Advertiser on Wednesday 3rd October 2012.

Summary

There were no valid representations against this application from interested parties.

There was one representation 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

Responsible Authorities' representations

The Metropolitan Police outline a number of concerns relating to the licensing objectives that they wish the Sub-Committee to consider, they also outline that the premises are within the saturation area in Havering's Licensing Policy.

There were no representations from the following responsible authorities:

Public Health

The London Fire and Emergency Planning Authority

The Health & Safety Enforcing Authority

The Trading Standards Service

Planning Control & Enforcement

Children & Families Service

Licensing Authority

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8. All gross advertising rates (except classified lineage and semi-display) are subject to and include a 0.1% Advertising Standards Board of Finance surcharge, payable by the advertisers to help finance the self-regulatory control system administered by the Advertising Standards Authority.

9. All rates quoted are subject to VAT at the rate currently in force at the time the advertisement appears.

10. Should the rate for advertisements be altered the price for remaining insertions shall be revised accordingly or the publishers shall have the right to cancel the unexpired portion of the order.

11. The placing of an advertisement order will be deemed an acceptance of these conditions.

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12. Account facilities are granted at the discretion of the Company.

13. All accounts must be settled within the terms agreed by the Company and the Customer.

(1) Should an advertiser be in breach of the agreed terms, the publisher shall be entitled to levy a 10% surcharge on the value of the whole debt in respect of accounts with terms of less than 30 days, and any discounts or commissions that had been allowed will be reclaimed.

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15. All queries must be notified, preferably in writing to the accounts department of the publisher within 7 days of the invoice date.

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17. The Publisher may provide voucher copies for published advertisements in electronic form only subject to certain criteria. Further information is available on request.

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18. The copyright of advertisements produced wholly or partially by the Publishers belong to the Publishers. Advertisers may not reproduce such advertisements without the Publishers' consent.

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Boxes are open for the receipt of bona fide answers and are not available for distribution of trade canvassing matter. Original testimonials, goods, cash, cash stamps or payments of any kind must not be enclosed. A box Number and postal address are charged as part of the advertisement, i.e. Box No., centre address. There is no charge for forwarding replies.

Box numbers alone are not available for use in 'Trade' advertisements, other than Employment and Business Opportunities.

Hollday & Travel Category

All advertising must contain the name of the advertiser, phone number alone are not permitted.

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The service you have requested may require us to carry out a credit search at a credit-referencing agency, which will record the fact that a search has been made. We may need to share your information with other lenders and credit-reference agencies. However, we will only use the information from these searches to make credit-granting decisions and, if necessary, for fraud prevention or tracing debtors.
Data controller will use your information for administration and analysis. We may share your information with other Tindle Group Newspaper companies or carefully selected third parties. We, or they may send you details of other goods and services, which may be of interest to you. The information may be provided by letter, telephone or other reasonable means of communication. Calls may be recorded or monitored for training purposes.

Special conditions apply with regard to the advertising of adult services, which are outlined to all persons submitting such advertisements.

Business Advertising

By phone

Recruitment: 01268 503 420 Classified: 01268 503 430 Monday-Thursday 9.00-5.30 Fri day 9.00-5.00 Calls may be monitored

By post

Yellow Advertiser Acorn House Great Oaks, Basildon. Essex SS14 1AH

By fax

01268 503 418 01268 503 419 01268 503 455

In person

Pop into our town centre office Monday-Thursday 9.00-5.30 Friday 9.00-5.00 Acorn House, Great Oaks Basildon

Public Notices

Expressions of interest are invited for a management sub-contractor

Romford Ice Arena is a leisure facility of regional significance and the management company, Saturn Leisure Ltd, wishes to appoint a sub-contractor to undertake day to day operations of the public skating sessions and building maintenance.

The contract will be for a period of between 3 and 12 months in the first instance; Transfer of Undertaking Regulations apply.

In the first instance please either email, fax or post details of previous experience in running a comparable leisure facility along with trading history and a company profile, to:

Saturn Leisure Limited Units 20/21 Acorn Business Centre Milton Street, Maidstone, Kent ME16 8LL Email saturnleisure@btconnect.com Fax: 01622 727 678

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A NEW PREMISES LICENCE UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE LICENSING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr Graham Walker has applied to the London Borough of Havering for a new premises licence for Arkadia News, Unit M1, Romford Shopping Hall, 43 Market Place, Romford Essex RM1 3AB as follows: to permit the sale of alcohol for consumption off the premises from 09.00 until 17.00 all week. The address of the licensing authority where the register is kept and the application may be inspected during normal business house. application may be inspected during normal business hours is Licensing Section, Housing & Public Protection, London Borough of Havering, Mercury House, Mercury Gardens, Romford, Essex, RM1 3SL or on the council's website:

www.havering.gov.uk.

Any representations by an other person or responsible authority must be received in writing by the licensing authority by 24th October 2012 stating the nature and grounds for making such representation. It is an 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 application the maximum fine on summary conviction for this offence is £5,000.

Bargain Buys

SMALL TRAMPOLINE buver

collects, £15. MEDIUM ROUND KITCHEN TABLE four chairs,

buyer collects, £15. Tel: 07785

FRIDGE under worktop size, white, clean, vgc, poss delivery, £65. COOKER gas, clean, white, modern, vgc, poss delivery, £99. Tel: 01708 453 490.

SNOOKER TABLE 96 x 183mm, plus stand, £60. COF-FEE TABLE 60 x 120mm, light

oak, buyer collects, £25. Tel:

TIDY YOUR GARDEN FOR

WINTER Stiga model K801 2000 watt, wood shredder, clear

trees, shrubs, etc, gc, Grays area, £50 only. Tel: 01375 856

TROLLERS new and used, call for details, prices from £2. Tel: 07884 277 272.

CHAIR width 62cm x depth

and bag, £30. Tel: 07703 649

£20. Tel: 01268 570 562.

PAIR GATES WITH POSTS LEAPPAD plus seven games

G T Licensing Consultants Tel 07810 826778

SNOOKER/POOL TABLE 6 x

3ft, folding, Argos p.347, unused, boxed, buyer collects, £80. 14in TV, £20. Digibox, £10. Tel: 01268 755 072

FOLDAWAY FRAMED BABY

BACK CARRIER from 6mths to

2yrs, brand new, £25. Tel: 01268 410 575 or 07792 895

FRENCH DOORS -Pair of

Georgian style, 10 light glazed, stained hardwood H1980mm W910mm £99 Matching Panels

x2 W340mm £50 Tel: 01708 459

PAPERBACK BOOKS 18 'clas-

sics', £9 ono. STRIMMER Black

and Decker, model GL320.

nearly new, £8. Tel: 01702 585

28IN SONY DIGITAL TV silver,

old style, perfect picture, £30,

14in old style colour TV, £5. Tel:

EARLY LEARNING CENTRE

three storey wooden dolls house with all dolls and room

sets £40. Tel: 01277 234 282.

40in x 40in, gc, £75. Tel: 01702 512 192 or 07957 155 622.

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01702 587 743.

Em: gtlicensingconsultants@googlemail.com

GLASS TOP dark wood, side board, drawer, shelves, like new, beautiful. First to see will buy. Cost over £600 new. 1 year old. 83cm (h) x 133cm (w) x 45cm (d) £100.00 + matching lamp table, glass top, dark wood, modern. £30.00 will separate. Tel: 07538 950 098.

MODERN DISPLAY CABINET birch, glass shelving, top doors, birch, glass sneiving, top doors, enclosed bottom shelving, vgc, £95. Modern three drawer dressing table, maple, exe cond, £85. Silver 14in old style internet TV, hardly used, exe cond, £40. Tel: 07715 111 152 Canvey.

INDESIT WASHER DRYER 1200 white, gwo, quick sale due to house move, 4yrs old, £80. BOSCH IRON 2000 watts, as new, 1yr old, used twice, includes medium sized ironing board with cover, both exe cond, £30. Tel: 07801 957 850 or 07801 635 206.

LEAP FROG LEARN AND GROOVE MUSICAL TABLE new, boxed, RRP £36, 15 activities & more, 40 songs, keeps children learning & grooving, £25. Lindam stairgate new, boxed, extending metal safety gate, white, £8. Tel: 07930 317 499.

HOTPOINT FRIDGE under work top, white, gc, quick sale due to house move, £60. IPOD DOCKING STATION, boxed by I Luv, used twice, can be great gift, as radio/alarm, etc, £30. Tel: 07801 957 850 or 07801 635 206.

THREE LADIES MOUNTAIN BIKES 26in wheels, from £55, exe cond. Three girls mountain bikes 20 & 24in wheels, from £30, exe cond. Three boys mountain bikes 20 & 24in wheels, from £25, exe cond. tel: 01268 767 959.

DOUBLE WARDROBE two full length mirrored doors, shelves and rails, gc, moving hence sale, £40.lkea Double Wardrobe light wood, shelf & rail, moving hence sale, bargain £35. Tel: 01702 475 702.

HARVEYS FURNITURE three door display cabinet, plus three bottom cupboards, beech, glass shelving with lights, height 192cm x width 163cm x depth 42cm, vgc, £95. Tel: 01268 570 562.

Triple buggy side-by-side sit, lay back, folds flat, no raincover, £55. Double headboard, beige & aluminium, gc, £7. Glass shelving unit, four shelves, freestanding, height 129cm cond, £10. Tel: 01268 570 562.

IKEA TV STAND H40 W150 D50cms, light oak finish, £20. Ikea coffee table glass topped with shelf under H50 W118 D70cms £30, light oak finish. Tel: 01708 342 254

CONSOLE GAMES & CONTROLLERS new and used, call for details, prices from £2. Tel: old, wooden (rosewood?), height 29in, top 27in x 18in £25. Tel: 020 85317 836 IKEA WICKER ROCKING Highams Park.

ELECTRIC ELECTRIC FIRE COAL EFFECT £18. Tottenham foot-ball programmes, 1960s to 1970s, £25. Liverpool football LEG MAGIC EXERCISER plus programmes, 1970s to 1970s, £25. Tel: 07773 711 225.

SQUASH & BADMINTON RACKETS two have covers, £10 each. Baby car seat new-born to 6mths, Graco, gc, £10. Plnk moses basket with stand £15. Tel: 07507 141 821.

Bargain Buys

GAS BBQ three burner, fwo plus gas bottle, £35. GARDEN SHREDDER ideal small branches & greenery, £25. Tel: 07802

GLASS DINING ROOM TABLE six chairs, very good clean cond, £100. Chicken coup very good clean cond, £55. Tel: 01702 428 944.

JMB MIDI SYSTEM CD radio, twin tape deck, pwo, £20. DELL 16IN FLATSCREEN computer monitor, nearly new, accept £20. Tel: 020 8 594 6580. THREE PIECE SUITE (would

separate), exe cond, main colours various shades beige, transport required, £80 ono. Tel: 01268 772 693.

MAMAS & PAPAS BABY CHAIR £10. Travelcot & free linen £12. Molaren buggy inc rainhood, £12. Brittax newborn car seat £6. Tel: 01702 587 333. MERIDIAN LEFT-HANDED GOLF CLUBS IN BAG £20. HIGH BREAKFAST BAR CHAIR, wooden, £5. Tel: 01268 565

NEST OF THREE COFFEE TABLES light colour, £25. Tel: 01268 515 490.

SET FOUR PIRELLI SCORPI-ON TYRES 255-65-15, almost new, £100. Shogun 2.8 diesel 1995 rear light guards set four, £50. Tel: 01375 840 696. BLACK BAR STOOL 3 x black

bottle top gas lift bar stools, very funky & vgc! £20 each tel: 07881 611 233. MAGNA RED BIKE £25. Two spiderman scooters, two wheels, £5 each. Tel: 01375

482 016. SHOPPING TROLLEY virtually brand new, used twice, cost £55, accept £40 ono. Tel: 01702 477 353.

DANSK LIGHT OAK SIDE-BOARD three door, three draw ers, £25 ono. Tel: 01702 201

MOTHERCARE TAKELEY DROPSIDE COT antique, immac cond, £50. Tel: 07816 413 225.

NERF N-STRIKE HAVOC FIRE AUTO BLASTER 25 darts included, open but never used £40. Tel: 01708 443 748.

SUPER KING SIZE MAT-TRESS Firm specification.
Barely used, as new £80 Tel: 07812 201 682

BABY BOUNCER for doorway, suit from 3mths, £5, Tel: 01268 410 575 or 07792 895 483.

CHICKEN WIRE 9m x 6ft high, green galvanized, £30 ono. Tel: 01375 404 683.

HUMMEL FIGURES five different designs, £70ono. Tel: 01702 585 359.

DVD. Hardly used, cost £50, sell for £30. Tel: 07840 847 811.

TEAK G-PLAN DINING TABLE Oval, extending 5' - 6' 6" £50. Tel: 07840 847 811.

TWO SUCTION GRAB RAILS boxed, gc, £3 each. Tel: 07507 141 821.

V-FIT RECUMBENT CYCLE as new, £70. Mahogany Standard Lamp £25. Tel: 01708 452 212. WHEELCHAIR new unused, cost £250, accept £99. Tel: 01375 673 779.

AB CIRCLEPRO EXERCISE MACHINE £55. Tel: 01268 420

GOLF GUARD TRAVELLING CASE vgc, virtually unused, £35. Tel: 01708 451 936.

KENWOOD DIGITAL STEAM PRESS used twice, £45ono. Tel: 01375 673 246. RED DUNLOP EDGE BMX

BIKE £30. Pink angels bike suit 5yrs, £20. Tel: 01375 482 016. SHARP UX470 PHONE FAX MACHINE £15. Tel: 07749 179

MOUNTAIN BIKE gc, £50. Tel:

LIVING FLAME GAS FIRE logs & coal £40. Tel: 01702 554 323. Wanted

OUTBOARD MOTOR WANT-ED, runner or non-runner, Mercury, Yamaha, etc, 5HP to 100HP, anything considered, may take complete boat if still attached. Tel: 01268 765086.

Musical

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Appendix 1 Copy of 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

neces	necessary. You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.						
apply desc the re	/We MR GRAHAM WALKER (Insert name(s) of applicant) apply for a premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below (the premises) and I/we are making this application to you as the relevant licensing authority in accordance with section 12 of the Licensing Act 2003 Part 1 – Premises Details						
ARKA UNIT 43 M ROM ESSE	Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description ARKADIA NEWS, UNIT M1 ROMFORD SHOPPING HALL, 43 MARKET PLACE, ROMFORD, ESSEX. RM1 3AB						
Post	town	ROMFORD			Post code	RM1 3AB	
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Telep	hone	number at premises (if any)	07985 4075	46			
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(B) OTHER APPLICANTS Please provide name and registered address of applicant in full. Where appropriate please give any registered number. In the case of a partnership or other joint venture (other than a body corporate), please give the name and address of each party concerned.					
Name					
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	000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any time, please state the number expected to attend.	
Wha	at licensable activities do you intend to carry on from the premises?	
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Prov	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 (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H)	
Prov	vision of entertainment facilities:	
i)	making music (if ticking yes, fill in box I)	
j)	dancing (if ticking yes, fill in box J)	
k)	entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (i) or (j) (if ticking yes, fill in box K)	
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In all cases complete boxes N, O and P

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Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read		and	Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption (Please tick box) (please read guidance note 7)	On the premises	
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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 GRAHAM	Name MR GRAHAM WALKER.					
Address 138 CAMBRIDGE AVENUE, GIDEA PARK, ROMFORD, ESSEX. RM2 6RA						
Postcode f	RM2 6RA					
Personal Licence number (if known)						
Issuing licensing authority (if known) LONDON BOROUGH OF HAVERING						

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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)		olic and read	State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 4) NONE
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Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the roal neerising objectives.
a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e) (please read guidance note 9)
WE WILL OPERATE OUR OFF LICENCE IN A RESPONSIBLE MANNER AND ACTIVELY PROMOTE THE LICENSING OBJECTIVES AT ALL TIMES.
b) The prevention of crime and disorder
ALL STAFF WILL RECEIVE TRAINING FOR THEIR ROLE ON INDUCTION AND REFRESHER TRAINING EVERY SIX MONTHS WHICH SHALL INCLUDE THE OPERATION OF CHALLENGE 25. WRITTEN TRAINING RECORDS WILL BE KEPT AND MADE AVAILABLE TO POLICE / COUNCIL OFFICERS ON REQUEST. NOTICES WILL BE DISPLAYED AT THE FRONT DOOR AND POINT OF SALE ADVISING THAT CHALLENGE 25 IS IN OPERATION AND THE PROVISIONS OF THE LICENSING ACT RELATING TO UNDERAGE AND PROXY SALES. (SEE BOX E) A TILL PROMPT WILL BE DISPLAYED BESIDE EACH TILL. ALL ALCOHOL WILL BE DISPLAYED IN CLEAR LINE OF SIGHT OF THE COUNTER & ALL SPIRITS SHALL BE DISPLAYED BEHIND THE COUNTER. ALL ALCOHOL NOT ON DISPLAY SHALL BE KEPT IN A SECURE STORE ROOM. NO CANS OR BOTTLES OF BEER, LAGER OR CIDER ABOVE 5.5% ABV WILL BE SOLD. NO MORE THAN 10% OF THE RETAIL DISPLAY AREA MAY BE USED FOR THE DISPLAY OF ALCOHOL. A NOTICE WILL BE DISPLAYED AT EACH DOOR ADVISING CUSTOMERS THAT THEY ARE IN AN AREA SUBJECT TO A DESIGNATED PUBLIC PLACE ORDER, MUST NOT DRINK ALCOHOL IN THE STREET AND MUST SURRENDER ALCOHOL TO A POLICE OFFICER ON REQUEST OR FACE ARREST AND A FINE. NOTICES WILL BE DISPLAYED ASKING CUSTOMERS NOT TO LOITER OUTSIDE AND TO DISPOSE OF RUBBISH RESPONSIBLY. STAFF WILL DISCOURAGE CUSTOMERS FROM LOITERING OUTSIDE THE PREMISES
AND WILL ENGAGE WITH AND WORK WITH THE SNT.
c) Public safety
A FIRE RISK ASSESSMENT & EMERGENCY PLAN WILL BE PREPARED & REGULARLY REVIEWED.
d) The prevention of public nuisance

A NOTICE WILL BE DISPLAYED AT EACH DOOR ADVISING CUSTOMERS THAT THEY ARE IN AN AREA SUBJECT TO A DESIGNATED PUBLIC PLACE ORDER, MUST NOT DRINK ALCOHOL IN THE STREET AND MUST SURRENDER ALCOHOL TO A POLICE OFFICER ON REQUEST OR FACE ARREST AND A FINE.

NOTICES WILL BE DISPLAYED ASKING CUSTOMERS NOT TO LOITER OUTSIDE AND TO DISPOSE OF RUBBISH RESPONSIBLY.

STAFF WILL DISCOURAGE CUSTOMERS FROM LOITERING OUTSIDE THE PREMISES AND WILL ENGAGE WITH AND WORK WITH THE SNT.

THE SHOP FRONT WILL BE KEPT TIDY AT ALL TIMES AND SHALL BE SWEPT AT CLOSE.

e) The protection of children from harm

WE WILL OPERATE THE CHALLENGE 25 PROOF OF AGE POLICY AND NOTICES WILL BE DISPLAYED BY THE DOORS & AT THE POINT OF SALE ADVISING CUSTOMERS CHALLENGE 25 IS IN OPERATION ALONG WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003 RELATING TO UNDERAGE AND PROXY SALES.

ONLY A PASSPORT, PHOTOGRAPHIC DRIVING LICENCE OR PASS APPROVED PROOF OF AGE CARD WITH THE PHOTOGRAPH OF THE HOLDER AND A HOLOGRAPHIC MARK ON IT WILL BE ACCEPTED AS PROOF OF AGE. NO OTHER FORM OF IDENTIFICATION SHALL BE ACCEPTED.

A WRITTEN REFUSALS RECORD WILL BE KEPT AND MADE AVAILABLE TO POLICE / AUTHORISED COUNCIL OFFICERS ON REQUEST. THE REFUSALS REGISTER SHALL INCLUDE THE DATE, TIME AND REASON FOR REFUSAL TOGETHER WITH SUFFICIENT DETAILS TO ENABLE THE SALES PERSON TO BE IDENTIFIED. THE DPS SHALL CHECK AND SIGN THE REFUSALS REGISTER AT LEAST WEEKLY.

ALL STAFF WILL BE TRAINED IN OPERATING CHALLENGE 25 ON INDUCTION AND GIVEN REFRESHER TRAINING EVERY SIX MONTHS. WRITTEN TRAINING RECORDS WILL BE KEPT. TRAINING WILL INCLUDE IDENTIFYING PERSONS UNDER 25, MAKING A CHALLENGE, ACCEPTABLE PROOF OF AGE & CHECKING IT, MAKING & RECORDING A REFUSAL AND AVOIDING CONFLICT.

ALL SPIRITS SHALL BE KEPT BEHIND THE COUNTER & ALL ALCOHOL WILL BE IN CLEAR LINE OF SIGHT OF THE COUNTER.

A TILL PROMPT WILL BE DISPLAYED BESIDE EACH TILL.

	Please tick	yes
•	I have made or enclosed payment of the fee	\boxtimes
•	I have enclosed the plan of the premises	\boxtimes
•	I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable	\boxtimes
•	I have enclosed the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be premises supervisor, if applicable	\boxtimes
•	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 be rejected	\boxtimes

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

Part 4 – Signatures (please read guidance note 10)

Signature of applicant or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (See guidance note 11). If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.

Signature	
Date	/9/12
Capacity	AUTHORISED LICENSING CONSULTANTS

For joint applications signature of 2nd applicant or 2nd applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent. (please read guidance note 12). If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.

Signature	
Date	
Capacity	

Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 13) GT LICENSING CONSULTANTS.

21B McINTOSH ROAD,

ROMFORD,

ESSEX.

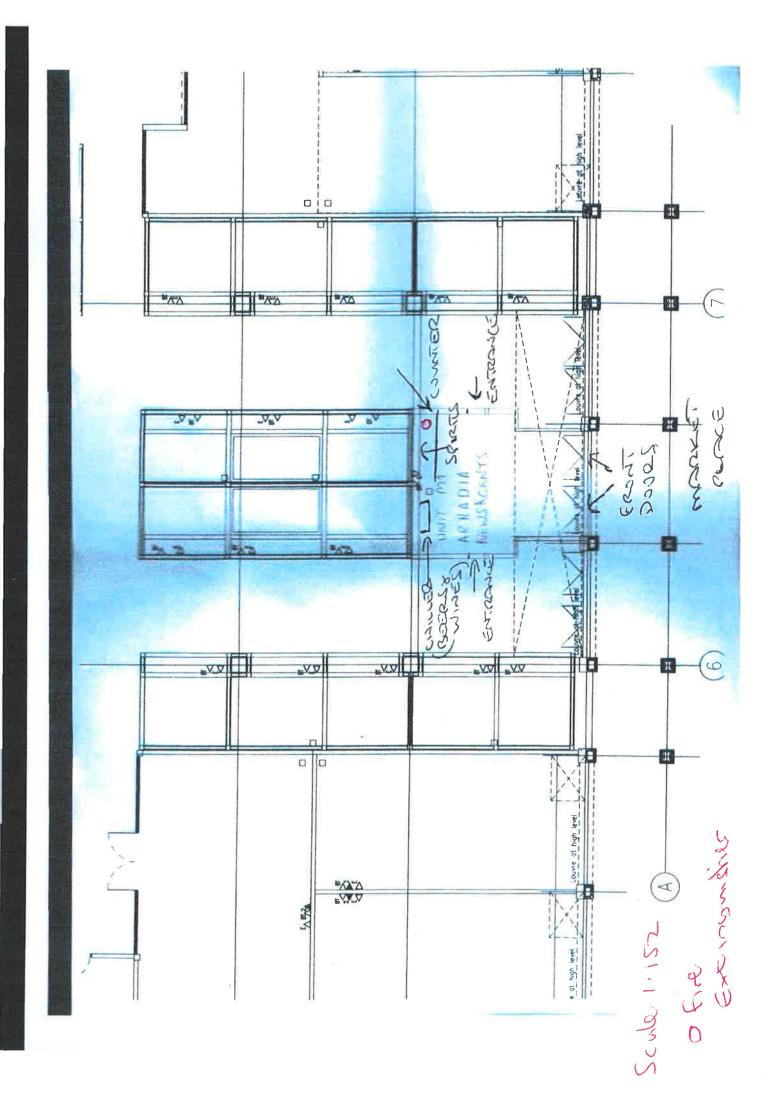
RM1 4JU

Post townROMFORDPost codeRM1 4JUTelephone number (if any)07810 826778

If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail your e-mail address (optional) gtlicensingconsultants@googlemail.com

Notes for Guidance

- Describe the premises. For example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.
- 2. Where taking place in a building or other structure please tick as appropriate. Indoors may include a tent.
- For example the type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.
- 4. For example (but not exclusively), where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.
- 5. For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.
- 6. Please give timings in 24 hour clock (e.g. 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.





Consent of individual to being specified as premises supervisor

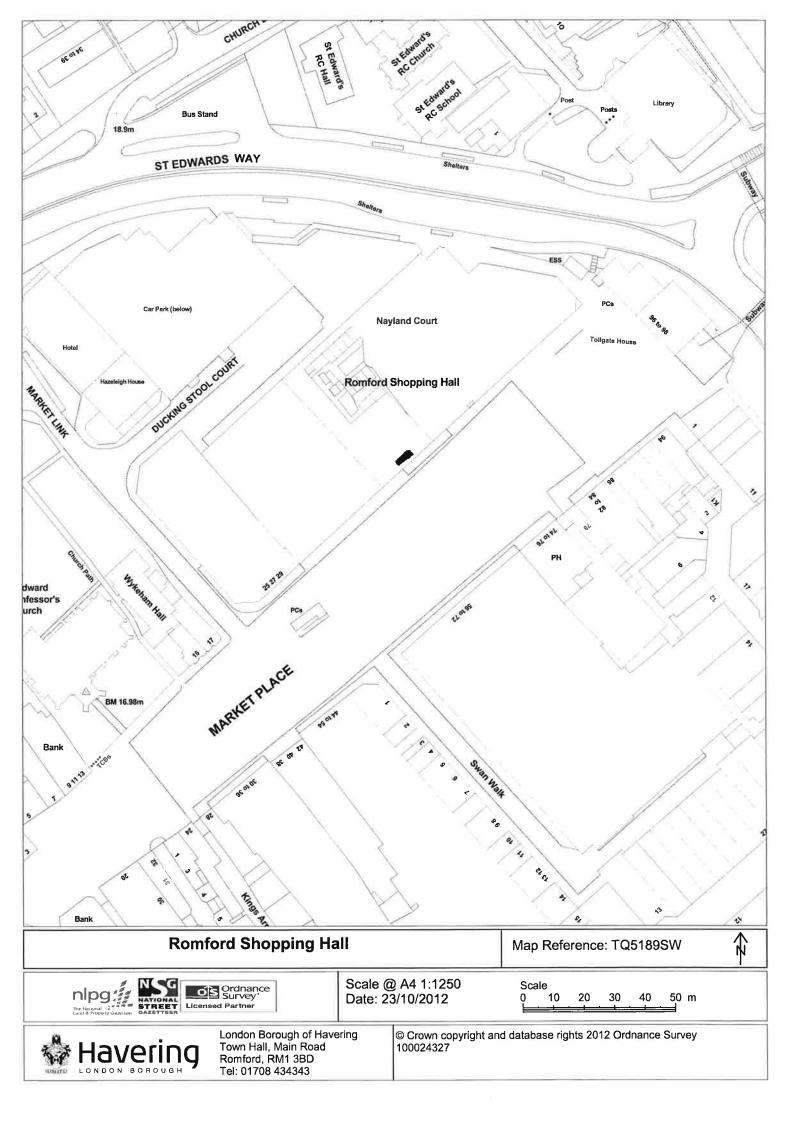
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GRA	AHAM WALKER	
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[name	and address of premises to whi	ch the application relates]

and any premises licent by	ce to be granted or varied in respect of this application made		
GRAHAM WALKER			
[name of applicant]			
concerning the supply of alcohol at ARKADIA NEWS, UNIT M1 ROMFORD SHOPPING HALL, 43 MARKET PLACE, ROMFORD, ESSEX. RM1 3AB			
[name and address of premi	ses to which application relates]		
I also confirm that I am licence, details of which	applying for, intend to apply for or currently hold a personal I set out below.		
Personal licence number	PF		
[insert personal licence numb	per, if any]		
Personal licence issuing	g authority		
LONDON BOROUGH	OF HAVERING		
[insert name and address and	d telephone number of personal licence issuing authority, if any]		
Signed	leh Well		
Name (please print)	GRAHAM WALKER		
Date	² S 19/12		



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Appendix 2 Map of local area





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Appendix 3 Representation from Responsible Authority



Working together for a safer London

Licensing Authority London Borough Havering Mercury House, Mercury Gardens Romford RM1 3SL PC 118 KD David Fern

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

Telephone: 01708 432781

Email: David-

anthony.fern@met.police.uk
Date: 19th October 2012

The Police wish to make a representation <u>against</u> the application for a new premises licence for ARKADIA NEWS, UNIT M1, Romford shopping centre, 43 Market Place RM1.

- 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 are closed.

Supporting grounds of saturation

The following Nineteen off licence premises are all located within close proximity:

Am and Pm - South Street Romford Mini Mart - South Street The Russian shop - High Street Marks and Spencer - South Street SAVERS Market place - Romford TESCO South Street - Romford Bargains Galore - Western Road Debenhams - Market place Iceland - Market place Sainsburys - The Brewery Londis - Victoria Road Strumbras Victoria Road ESSSO - Main Road Lidl - Atlanta Boulevard Maxim Food stores - Victoria Road Afforda - South Street J and B convenience - South Street Asda Liberty Mall

Key News and Food - South Street

This list does not include licensed premises such as Pubs, Bars, and Restaurants where the majority cater for off sales as well.

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. The
 operators are unable to control this hence the police are now involved.
- Off licences fuel the availability to street drinkers and those who are alcohol dependant many of whom are refused entry into the local pubs and bars.

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

The Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001 contains provisions specifically designed to address the problems of alcohol related disorder. Sections 12-16 of the Act allow local authorities to adopt powers to designate areas which have known nuisance, annoyance to the public, or disorder associated with the consumption of alcohol.

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, street drinkers and alcoholics.

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

The licensing objective the Prevention of Crime and disorder, police officers are at a constant battle to combat crime and disorder, and public nuisance within the town centre. They work day and night on street drinking issues.

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 fuelled 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.

Summing up

- Romford town centre is major concern to the local police day and night; the saturation policy remains valid regardless of times the applicant states he wishes to serve alcohol.
- Street drinkers, thefts, robberies and violence occur through out the day although violent offences peak late evening and early morning. They are certainly not just at night.
- Police have worked on several projects with street drinkers and those subjects who are alcohol
 dependant.
- Police have adopted several polices and use legal powers to combat the issues alcohol presents as mentioned in this report.
- Crime and disorder along with public nuisance will continue to rise if we continue to feed an area with off licensed premises that have very little responsibility beyond the sale. Granting an

additional licence will add cumulative impact to this area. Alcohol related issues are a serious issue for this town.

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"

A Quote from a recent newspaper article "A recent report shows that in London there was 156, 017 people admitted to hospital last year with drink problems compared with 146, 391 the year before. Experts warn that cheap alcohol is still to blame for people developing liver problems and drink related health problems."

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, and creating cumulative impact.
- 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 licence to serve alcohol in an area identified as being saturated.

I have inspected the premises and there is currently no CCTV within the store and only one camera within the centre covering the entrance door to the store. This is inadequate under the prevention of crime objective.

The current store layout has three entrance/exit points and Police believed this will encourage theft due to the ease of getting away. Theft of alcohol is serious concern to the police given the issues we face daily in the town centre.

The store personal appeared to assist at the adjacent unit on one visit to the premises, leaving the issues surrounding theft and the possibility of children obtaining alcohol likely.

If the committee feel a licence should be granted police would like to suggest the following robust conditions are appropriate.

CD1 All staff shall be suitably trained for their job function for the premise. The training shall be written into a programme, ongoing and under constant review, and must be available to a relevant Responsible Authority when called upon. Refresher training should be every 6 months on the responsible sale of alcohol.

CD16 A properly specified and fully operational CCTV system shall be installed or the existing system maintained to a satisfactory standard. The system will incorporate a camera covering each of the entrance doors and be capable of providing an image which is regarded as 'identification standard' of all persons entering and/or leaving the premises. All other areas of risk identified in the Operational Requirement shall have coverage appropriate to the risk.

CD18 To obtain a clear head and shoulders image of every person entering the premises on the CCTV system, persons entering the premises should be asked to remove headwear, unless worn as part of religious observance.

CD19 The CCTV system shall incorporate a recording facility and all recordings shall be securely stored for a minimum of one calendar month. A system shall be in place to maintain the quality of the recorded image and a complete audit trail maintained. The system will comply with other essential legislation, and all signs as required will be clearly displayed. The system will be maintained and fully operational throughout the hours that the premises are open for any licensable activity.

CD21 A staff member from the premises who can operate the CCTV system shall be on the premises at all times when the premises is open to the public. This staff member shall be able to show Police recent data or footage with the absolute minimum of delay when requested.

CDGPG3 A proof of age scheme, Challenge 25, shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are recognised photographic identification card, such as a driving licence or passport.

CDGPG4 Prominent clear notices shall be displayed at the point of entry to the premises and in a suitable location at any points of sale, advising customers that they may be asked to produce evidence of their age.

CDGPG12 All occasions when persons have been refused service shall be recorded in writing and kept at the premises for 12 months.

Designated Premises supervisor, Premises licence holders and other members of their staff must keep a register detailing when alcohol and cigarettes have attempted to be purchased by someone suspected as being underage. This register should detail the person who refused the sale, the date and time and the product subject to the attempted purchase, details surrounding the attempted purchase and detail/description of the person attempting the purchase.

This register should be available to all staff selling age restricted products, for their referral prior to them starting work each day. The register should be available for inspection by a Trading Standards officer, police officer or Licensing officer.

CDGPG13 Prominent, clear notices shall be displayed at the premises about the supply of alcohol to minors and the relevant offences involved.

The front window of the store must be kept clear from any promotional posters or anything similar, staff are require to monitor outside the store to prevent any proximity sales. Warnings should be given to adults about the offence of buying alcohol for those under 18 if suspected.

A personal licence holder will be on duty at times during licensable activity.

The maximum floor space shall be 10 % of the store indicated on a map. No alcohol can be place or stacked any where else in the store, except in the storage area out of the public view.

The premises shall not stock any Beers, Ciders, lagers and sprit mixed drinks with an ABV over 5.2 %.

The premises shall not stock any cans/bottles of lager, cider, beer or sprint based mixers unless they are in packs of four or more.

No bottles of wine or spirits less then 75cl shall be sold of the premises.

Any till used at the premises for serving customers must operate with a prompt, requiring the server to certify the age of the customer purchasing any alcoholic product.

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

Yours sincerely

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