

**Blaby District Council**  
**Licensing Sub-Committee**

**Date of Meeting** 25 November 2021  
**Title of Report** Application to Vary a Premises Licence – Badgers Mount Hotel, 6 Station Road, Elmeſthorpe, Leicester, LE9 7SG  
**Report Author** Licensing Team Leader

**1. What is this report about?**

- 1.1 The Licensing Sub-Committee is required to determine an application to vary a premises licence BLPR0082, relating to Badgers Mount Hotel, 6 Station Road, Elmeſthorpe, Leicester, LE9 7SG.

**2. Recommendation**

- 2.1 That the Licensing Sub-Committee determines the application in accordance with the Licensing Act 2003.  
Having considered the application and representations, members must consider whether to
- Grant the licence variation without modification
  - Grant the licence variation subject to conditions
  - Reject the application
- Members must give full reasons for the decision made

**3. Reason for Decision Recommended**

- 3.1 The Licensing Act 2003 requires that the Licensing Sub-Committee determine a variation of a premises licence where relevant representations are received

**4. Matters to consider**

4.1 Background

The Licensing Authority received a complete application for a variation to a premises licence for the Badgers Mount Hotel on 4<sup>th</sup> October 2021. The application was submitted in accordance with the requirements of the Licensing Act by the applicant: Mr Glen Watson, and requested the following variations to the activities authorised by the current premises licence:

- To request the hours for the supply of alcohol (on the premises), live music (indoors), and recorded music (indoors) be changed to:
  - Every day 11.00hrs – 23.59pm

- Additional non-standard timings: New Year's eve 00.00hrs - 02.00hrs

A copy of the full application is attached at Appendix A.

The steps the applicant proposes to take to promote the licensing objectives are set out in the operating schedule (Section M).

A copy of the existing premises licence is attached as Appendix B.

## 4.2 Relevant Representations

Responsible Authorities - Leicestershire Police have agreed conditions with the applicant in order to promote the licensing objectives, namely the Prevention of Crime and Disorder. If the application is granted, these conditions will be transferred to the premises licence. A copy of these agreed conditions is attached as Appendix C.

Other Persons - Representations were received from 22 other persons. The representations cover aspects of all four of the licensing objectives. Copies of these representations are attached as Appendix D.

## 4.3 Appropriate Consultations

The Act requires that the applicant sends a copy of their application to the Licensing Authority and all Responsible Authorities. When the application is accepted the applicant must place a notice detailing the application and the relevant dates for representations to be submitted, once in a local publication and on, at or near to the premises for 28 consecutive days. The Licensing Authority must also display a notice detailing the application on their website for 28 consecutive days commencing on the day after the application has been accepted. All of the above requirements were complied with.

## 4.4 Significant Issues

Human Rights have been considered but there are no overarching matters for concern in relation to this report. There are no specific legal or Human Resources implications. There is no requirement for an EINA or DPIA.

## 5. Other significant issues

- 5.1 In preparing this report, the author has considered issues related to Human Rights, Legal Matters, Human Resources, Equalities, Public Health Inequalities, and Climate Local and there are no areas of concern.

## 6. Appendix

- 6.1 Appendix A – Application to vary the premises licence

- 6.2 Appendix B – Existing premises licence

- 6.3 Appendix C – A copy of the agreed conditions with Leicestershire Police
- 6.4 Appendix D - Representations made by other persons

## **7. Background paper(s)**

- 7.1 The Licensing Sub-Committee shall refer to the current Statement of Licensing Policy, in particular sections;

- 3.0 Licensable Activities
- 6.0 Licensing Hours
- 7.0 Promotion of the Licensing Objectives
- 8.0 Prevention of Public Nuisance
- 9.0 Prevention of Crime and Disorder
- 10.0 Public Safety
- 11.0 The Protection of Children from Harm
- 19.0 Standardised Conditions

The current Guidance, issued by the Home Office under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003 (April 2018) should also be taken into consideration.  
In particular;

### **Section**

- 1.2 – 1.5 Licensing objectives and aims
- 1.15 – 1.17 General Principles – each application on its own merits
- 2.0 - 2.32 The Licensing Objectives
- 8.41 – 8.49 Steps to promote the licensing objectives
- 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
- 14.51 – 14.52 Licensing hours

## **8. Report author's contact details**

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