APPLICATION FOR A NEW PREMISES LICENCE UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003

LONDON BOROUGH OF CAMDEN		FOR SUBMISSION TO: Licensing Panel		DATE: 13 November 2025	
REPORT OF: Executive Director Investment, Place and Opportunity			CONTACT OFFICER: Sarah Fearon-Hales Licensing Officer Licensing Team, 5 Pancras Square, London, N1C 4AG. 0207974 4444/Sarah.fearon- hales@camden.gov.uk		
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Local Government Act 1972 – Access to Information - Documents used in the preparation of this report	1) The Licensing Act 2003 ("the Act") 2) Camden Statement of Licensing Policy 2022-2027 ("the Policy") 3) Amended Guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003 (February 2025) ("the Guidance")				
Appendices	Appendix 1) Location map of premises Appendix 2) Application form Appendix 3) Relevant representations Appendix 4) Conditions consistent with the operating schedule Appendix 5) Legal and finance comments				
Signed by: Oliver Jones – Director of Recreation and Public Safety					

Date: 31st October 2025

Application

- 1.1 This is an application for a new premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003. **Appendix 2**
- 1.2 The application is for:

a) Film, Live Music, Recorded Music and Performance of Dance

11:00 - 03:00 - Monday to Sunday

On New Years Eve licensable activities will be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.

b) Late Night Refreshment

23:00 - 02:30 - Monday to Sunday

Extended until 03.00 on Easter Sunday, Sunday before May Day Bank Holiday, Sunday before Spring Bank Holiday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday of August Bank Holiday, Christmas Eve, Boxing Day, Anzac Day (25 April), Australia Day (26 January), Waitangi Day (8 February), St Patricks Day (17 March), Freedom Day (27 April) and Queens Birthday (9 June).

On New Years Eve licensable activities will be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.

c) Supply of Alcohol (For consumption on and off the premises)

10:00 - 02:00 - Monday to Sunday

Extended until 03.00 on Easter Sunday, Sunday before May Day Bank Holiday, Sunday before Spring Bank Holiday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday of August Bank Holiday, Christmas Eve, Boxing Day, Anzac Day (25 April), Australia Day (26 January), Waitangi Day (8 February), St Patricks Day (17 March), Freedom Day (27 April) and Queens Birthday (9 June).

On New Years Eve licensable activities will be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.

d) Opening hours

10:00 - 03:30 - Monday to Saturday 10:00 - 03:30 - Sunday On New Years Eve licensable activities will be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.

Application can be found at Appendix 2.

2. Representations

- 2.1 One relevant representation was received in relation to the application.
- 2.2 The representation opposes the application, and this is from the Police responsible authority.

Appendix 3

3. Policy

Licensing objectives (Chapter Four Page 20 to 35 of the Policy)

- 3.1 The licensing objectives engaged by this application are:
 - a) The Prevention of Public Nuisance
- 3.2 The hours policy is engaged by this application in relation to the proposed end times for late night refreshment. The framework hours are given in the policy as:

On Sales

Monday to Thursday 10:00am until midnight Friday and Saturday 10:00am until 00:30am Sunday 11:00am until 11:00pm

No sale or supply of alcohol

Monday to Thursday 08:00am until 11:30pm Sunday 10:00am until 23:00pm

3.3 The times for the framework hours on any given day are not (and should not be regarded as) the "usual" or "normal" working hours for licensable activities in the Borough. Instead, the framework hours serve to identify those cases where the Licensing Authority will pay particular regard to the likely effect on the local neighbourhood of carrying out the proposed licensable activities.

Women's Safety (Appendix One – Page 88 to 89 of the Policy)

3.4 The Council has adopted a set of principles that commit our licensed premises to act in a responsible manner, taking all forms of female harassment seriously and set out the practical steps licensed premises can take to support this.

The principles encourage all licensed premises to consider and implement them in the day to day operation of their premises and include:

- a. Let's Communicate
- b. Supporting Each Other
- c. Training for All

The application does not include these principles.

Premises Policy (Chapter Seven – Page 46 to 67 of the Policy)

- 3.5 The premises policies currently engaged by this application are:
 - a) Pubs and Bars
 - b) Premises supplying hot food and drink between 11:00 pm and 05:00 am

4. Secretary of State's Guidance

- 4.1 The relevant parts of the Secretary of State's Guidance ("the Guidance") for this application are:
 - a) Chapter 2 The Licensing Objectives
 - b) Chapter 3 Licensable Activities
 - c) Chapter 8 Applications for Premises Licences
 - d) Chapter 9 Determining Applications
 - e) Chapter 10 Conditions Attached to Premises Licences and Club Premises Certificates

5. Recommendations

- 5.1 To determine the application for a new premises licence under section 18 of the Licensing Act 2003.
- 5.2 Having considered the application, the representation(s) submitted in relation to this application, the legislative provisions, the Statement of Licensing Policy, and the Guidance issued by the Secretary of State, Members have the following options:
 - a) Grant the application in full with such conditions on the licence that are consistent with the operating schedule.
 - b) Grant the application subject to revised conditions that they consider appropriate to promote the licensing objectives.
 - c) Reject the whole or part of the application.
- 5.3 Members may attach additional conditions if they consider it appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives raised in the representations.
- 5.4 Members are reminded that all applications must be considered on their own merits, and that findings on any issues of fact should be on the balance of probability.

6. Conclusion

6.1	Members are required to consider the application in light of all the relevant information, and if approval is given, may attach such conditions appropriate to promote the licensing objective