

RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

MUNICIPAL YEAR 2014 - 2015

LICENSING COMMITTEE
23rd April 2015

REPORT OF:
Service Director
Public Health & Protection

<u>Part I</u>	<u>Item No. 4</u>
Review of Licensing Act 2003 & Gambling Act 2005	

1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

The purpose of the report is to update Members on relevant issues, with regard to

- **the Licensing Act 2003**
- **the Gambling Act 2005**

2. RECOMMENDATION

Members are requested to: -

- (i) note the contents of the report in respect of the **Licensing Act 2003** which has been provided for information;
- (ii) note the contents of the report in respect of the **Gambling Act 2005**, which has been provided for information;

3. BACKGROUND

Members will be aware that a quarterly meeting is convened to review and discuss the implementation and progress of the Licensing Act 2003, together with any ancillary matters arising from responsibilities with which this particular Committee is charged.

Such ancillary matters include the Gambling Act 2005. (There may also be ancillary matters arising from the impact of the Smoke-Free Premises Regulations, which have the potential to affect all licensed premises).

4. **LICENSING ACT 2003**

4.1 **Application Process**

Applications received since the last update (**5th January 2015 to 29th March 2015**) are as follows:-

<i>Application Type</i>	<i>Number received</i>
Personal Licence	27
Premises Licence	5
Transfer (Premises Licence)	8
Vary (Premises Licence)	3
Club Premises Certificate	1
Vary (Club Premises Certificate)	0
Temporary Event Notice (TEN)	50
Application to Review	1
Interim Authority Notice	0
Change of DPS	9
Minor Variation	6
Disapply provision of DPS (Community Premises)	0
Notification of Interest in Premises	0

Summary of TEN's, reproduced as **Appendix 1A**.

Matters for note for this period include a significant reduction in TEN's, (albeit this is likely to reflect the absence of any recognised Bank holidays in the period); and the submission of the first new Club Premises Certificate application for the Borough since the introduction of the Licensing Act 2003. Members will be aware of the gradual reduction on numbers of such premises from 147 in 2005 to 116 to date. The application does however not reflect a reverse of the trend of decline, in that it is an existing 'qualifying club' which has purchased smaller, more suitable premises where it is intended to relocate.

In accordance with the advice received in respect of data protection matters, the summaries of Personal Licences and Premises Licences issued under delegated authority are now reproduced for information as a Part II restricted item.

4.2 **Contested Applications**

No contested applications have been determined since the last summary report.

Reviews

One Review application is pending since the last report:-

Name of Applicant requesting Review	Name of Premises	Premises Licence Holder	Date of Hearing	Outcome
South Wales Police	The Dragon Bridge Street Treforest Pontypridd CF37 1TE	Admiral Taverns Limited Milton Gate 60 Chiswell St; London EC1Y 4AG	13th April 2015	Pending

At the time of preparing this report, the review hearing in respect of the above-mentioned premises has been deferred to a date to be agreed. The premises licensee, (a 'Pub Management Company'), has ceased trading at the premises and there is on-going negotiation with Responsible Authorities to secure satisfactory conditions for the premises licence, to enable the business to continue trading. There is no desire by the Licensing Authority to see premises close/cease trading and where assistance can be given to remedy a position every effort will be made to do so. However, premises that cause adverse impact to the community in which they trade must continue to be addressed.

Appeals

Three appeals have been determined since the last report:-

Premises	Appellant	Reason for Appeal	Outcome
Hand & Squirrel 19 Ely Valley Road Talbot Green Pontyclun CF72 8AL	The Hand and Squirrel Ltd. Young & Phillips Inspiration House Cardiff Road Upper Boat Pontypridd CF37 5BH	Contesting Suspension of Licensable Activity as disproportionate & unreasonable	Appeal WITHDRAWN and Premises Licence surrendered
Megasave Stores Limited 74 Wyndham Street Tynewydd Treherbert CF42 5NY	Megasave Stores Limited 74 Wyndham Street Tynewydd Treherbert CF42 5NY	Contesting Revocation of Licence as unreasonable	Conditions of Licence imposed by means of a Consent Order – subject to agreement

(i) Hand & Squirrel

The Review of the Premises Licence was called by the Environmental Health Officers (Environment Team) as a result of a failure to promote the licensing objective for prevention of public nuisance.

This is a premises which presents specific challenges as a result of its proximity to residential properties and its poor structure in terms of noise attenuation.

As a result, Officers quickly engage with any new management regime in order that they are fully appraised of the potential for nuisance, before a problem occurs.

Despite significant advice & guidance to the Premises Licensee and managers, there continued to be a series of complaints regarding the operation of the business. This culminated in the service of an Abatement Notice, which was subsequently breached and the breach witnessed by the EHO, resulting in the review.

On determination of the review, Members resolved to remove the exemption afforded by the Live Music Act which permitted live music, other than as a licensable activity. Members also imposed a 3 month suspension of all licensable activity, (including retail sale of alcohol) as a punitive measure in recognition of the disruption caused to the community and the commercial advantage derived from the activity.

The Licensee promptly appealed the decision, which effectively preserved the trading position. There were no complaints received during the period that the appeal was pending. The Licensee was also the subject of criminal proceedings for the breach of the Abatement Notice. Following extensive legal advice, the Licensee indicated his intention to cease trading at the premises, indicating the prospect of its imminent sale. On 18th March 2015, the Premises Licence was surrendered to the Licensing Authority and the pending appeal withdrawn. As a result of this action, it was not considered to be in the public interest to proceed with the pending prosecution for breach of the Abatement Notice and this was subsequently withdrawn.

The former owner of the premises indicates that it is being sold for development as domestic accommodation. However, this remains to be confirmed.

As indicated previously, it is not the intention of the Licensing Authority to cease premises trading, but where adverse impact to the community is experienced, action must be taken.

Officers will now track the sale of the premises and should it be purchased with a view to trade as a licensed premises will again provide assistance & guidance to the new owners. However, this is a longstanding problem, where local residents have had to endure noise nuisance from various successive

management regimes. Any application made for a new Premises Licence will be carefully considered, mindful of the problematic history and the capacity of the new owners to mitigate its problems.

Local residents are however pleased with the outcome and have submitted letters of thanks to the Licensing Authority for the service received. Copies are reproduced for information as **Appendix 1B**

(ii) Megasave Stores Ltd

At the time of preparing this report this matter remains to be concluded, with a hearing scheduled at Pontypridd Magistrates Court for 17th April 2015. However it is likely that there will be a mediated position where a Consent Order will impose stringent conditions in order to support an effective management regime.

Members will recall that the Licensing Committee resolved that the Premises Licence be revoked for a failure to promote the licensing objective for prevention of crime & disorder. This was as a result of the number of racially related assaults and thefts associated with the business and the failure of the premises management to engage with South Wales Police to prevent such occurrences.

In accordance with provisions for appeals, the premises has continued trading whilst the appeal has been pending. A significant factor in the consideration of the Consent Order has been the absence of further incidents of either racially aggravated crime or thefts reported by the premises management since the service of the review. Whilst the Police have expressed concern re potential 'under reporting' of incidents, no complaints have been received from any other parties in the community. It would therefore appear to be a satisfactory outcome and Responsible Authorities are assured of continuing effective control as a result of the conditions proposed and 'in principle' accepted by the licensee's legal representative. Legal advice confirms that it would not be in the public interest to pursue the outcome originally determined by the Licensing Committee, in view of the current position, which is significantly different to that at the time of determination. In recognition of this factor, parties have agreed to meet their own costs.

Further comment will be made at the meeting.

(iii) Robert Lloyd

In addition to the matters detailed above, one further appeal has finally been determined, that of Mr Robert Lloyd, Flat 7, The Esplanade, Porthcawl

This is a matter that has taken approximately two years to reach conclusion and as a result has not featured in recent reports. Mr Lloyd was previously involved with the management of the Commercial Hotel, Cilfynydd at the time that it was subject to a Closure order for repeated non-compliance with

Licensing Act 2003. Members will recall that the premises consistently provided licensable activity, contrary to the terms of the Premises Licence and latterly, in the absence of such licence.

Several offences were identified, resulting from test purchase and a multi-agency enforcement visit at the premises on 27th January 2012.

Mr Lloyd was found guilty of offences on 28th November 2013 and costs of £3,284.04 were awarded to the Licensing Authority. However, he appealed the decision and as a result of numerous legal challenges the final hearing of the matter was subject to several deferrals, eventually coming to court 12th February 2015.

Whilst the disruption caused to the community by the former management regime of the Commercial Hotel ceased some time ago, it was considered to be in the public interest to pursue the outstanding matter to a formal conclusion, given the trading history of the parties involved.

4.5 Compliance & Enforcement

(i) Prosecutions

Details of Prosecutions under the Licensing Act 2003 are reproduced for information as **Appendix 1C**

(iii) Test Purchasing

Two test purchases have been conducted in the period, which resulted in 'no sale'. Whilst this is encouraging, as indicated previously this does not reflect a position where under age sales no longer exist!

The methods used by young persons to obtain alcohol whilst 'under age' are constantly changing and Officers and Licensees must be alive to the challenges this presents.

This includes dealing with new methods of purchase, such as organised proxy sales, where a designated person of a suitable age is given 'orders' to purchase specific items. Some young persons have been observed photographing alcoholic products with mobile phones, which can then potentially constitute a shopping list! Social networking sites are also being used by young persons to 'advertise' premises where underage sale has been successful, or is likely to be made directly. Officers continually revise their approach to intelligence gathering to ensure that useful information from a variety of sources is used to target Team resources most effectively.

Two private members clubs have been subject of enforcement visits, where their respective approach to prevention of underage sales has been unsatisfactory. Advice and guidance has been given in order to promote improvement. Club Officials have also been invited to attend the licensee training courses being run by the Authority in April, as detailed below.

In addition, as part of the early intervention strategy, two convenience stores were the subject of multi-agency interviews as a result of concerns arising from repeated complaints/other intelligence. Both premises were subject to warnings re future activity and required to implement changes to their management structure and staff training programmes. Monitoring of premises will continue to ensure changes implemented are effective.

(iv) Partnership Working

(i) Aberdare Town Centre Project

As a result of lessons learned with the recent 'Beddau Project', (as detailed in the previous report), a multi- agency exercise was initiated for Aberdare Town Centre, focussing on the smaller alcohol retailers in the immediate vicinity. All relevant licensees, primarily convenience stores were invited to a meeting at the Aberdare Police Station to outline concerns regarding the increase of young persons congregating in the Town Centre. (Larger supermarkets were dealt with separately.)

There appeared to be a significant increase in proxy sales and alcohol related anti-social behaviour and disorder in the vicinity, which Officers believe is linked to the activity. Of particular concern was the intelligence which confirmed that Aberdare had become 'a destination' for young persons from a variety of areas outside Cynon Valley, where information was being shared by social media. This had resulted in up to 200 young persons congregating at various 'hot spots', such as the rear of the Library in the centre of the town.

The purpose of the meeting was to raise awareness with licensees as to the types of behaviour that may indicate potential proxy sales. Whilst it was recognised that licensees were not responsible for direct selling, the Police requested co-operation in identifying proxy sellers, particularly those who may be shopping to order, maybe at a profit. Licensees were encouraged to question customers where behaviour was suspect and to ensure that appropriate CCTV footage was passed to Police Officers to aid identification and investigation of offences. In addition there was the continuing prospect of opportunist proxy sales where young persons would approach legitimate customers prior to them entering stores to make respective purchases.

Licensees were also advised of the forthcoming licensee training to be provided by the Licensing Authority and premises managers were encouraged to nominate sales staff to attend, in order to promote improved management practice.

Licensees in general welcomed the positive approach of the partner agencies in bringing the matter to their attention collectively. The importance of working together, both the licensed trade and the enforcement agencies was recognised in that this best practice was an effective mechanism to protect both public safety and their individual businesses.

Initial assessment of the intervention is very positive, with a significant reduction in alcohol related anti-social behaviour being evident in the town centre over the Easter Bank Holiday. Information and intelligence gathered as a result of the partnership working will also be brought to the local Pub Watch to ensure that good practice is shared.

(ii) Licensee Training

At the time of preparing this report, Licensing Authority invitations are being sent to various Premises Licensees and Club Officials, inviting them to nominate staff to attend accredited training. This will result in the award of the BII National Certificate for Personal Licence Holders for successful participants.

The training is being delivered by Access Training, who has successfully worked with the Authority previously. The training is being offered to the employees of premises where it is considered by Responsible Authorities that there is opportunity for improvement in management control. Premises are a mix of alcohol retailers such as 'On Licences, Off Licences/Convenience Stores and Private Member Clubs.

It is considered that training of staff at different levels of the retail process raises awareness of the risks to both the individual and the business for under age sale of alcohol and associated anti-social behaviour.

Whilst the courses are intended to secure a nationally accredited certificate, they are also tailored to suit our local environment, addressing local issues which will provide good practical guidance for those taking part. Officers are also utilising the opportunity to deliver a short introduction to the Food Hygiene Rating system and its importance for successful businesses. This is another example of 'making every contact count' and sharing information and opportunity between partner agencies.

The cost of the training is being met by the Licensing Authority from funding allocated for reduction of alcohol harms, consistent with Wales Programme for Improvement (WPI) priorities.

There are currently four courses available as follows:

<i>Course Date</i>	<i>Venue</i>
13th April 2015	Llantrisant Leisure Centre
16 th April 2015	Abercwmboi Rugby Club
20 th April 2015	The Conference Centre, Nantgarw (Reserved for Private Member Clubs)
21 st April 2015	Council Chamber, Clydach Vale

Each course will cater for sixteen candidates and three of the four courses are currently oversubscribed, with several reserves awaiting cancellations. The uptake for the course specifically designed for Club Officials has been disappointing to date, particularly as this area of the trade is probably the least experienced of the alcohol suppliers. Partner agencies are engaging with respective premises to encourage participation.

The success of the training from last year is evidenced by the number of staff that has been retained within the local trade, (albeit in some instances at different premises) and there is an example of one former candidate who has now progressed to the management of their own successful business.

(v) Premises Inspection & Infringements

106 premises inspections have been undertaken in the current period. This increase reflects the reduction in other 'demand led work, primarily in respect of contested applications, Committee and Court hearings.

As indicated in the previous report, the inspection programme has been revised to limit the impact on well managed businesses and also make best use of limited resources available.

The format of individual premises inspection has been amended to:

- Take better account of the problems associated with 'Off Licences' and 'Late Night Refreshment Houses' (Takeaways). This is consistent with action of South Wales Police who have also amended their 'Traffic Light System' to include such premises;

- Assessment of 'Business Competence' which includes an overview of recent trading activity and impact on community when allocating risk rating.

The risk rating system will continue, but pre-programmed inspections will be restricted to High & Medium risk premises in accordance with priorities for 'Wales Programme for Improvement'.

In addition, Licensing Officers will inspect more premises as part of the application process, particularly where there is a change of management control, such as for a variation of the DPS or a transfer of Premises Licence.

It is anticipated that this change of focus will enable Licensing Officers to further develop their good relationships with individual licensees, where local knowledge, advice and guidance will act as an early intervention to prevent undesirable business activity and support successful trading.

The change to the scoring and assessment process is likely to result in an initial increase to the number of High & Medium risk premises in the short term. However, as the process evolves, this should then stabilise.

A summary of infringements arising from inspection is reproduced as **Appendix 1D**.

4.6 Legislative Changes

(i) Update on Personal Licences

The proposed changes in respect of Personal Licences came into effect on 1/4/15. As a result of the implementation all Personal Licence are now extended with no expiry date, similar to provisions for Premises Licences. The situation remains that Personal Licences are only subject to sanction by the Courts, following conviction for a 'relevant offence'.

The small number licences that expired prior to the implementation date will be regarded as 'RENEWED', provided there was compliance with specified process. Arrangements are in hand to amend the guidance published on the Council's website.

(ii) Deregulation of Entertainment

The proposed changes for Entertainment as a licensable activity have also been implemented with effect from 6/4/15.

In brief, the provisions allow recorded music to be held at 'On Licensed' premises between 08.00 and 23.00 to be deregulated(i.e. not regarded as licensable activity); provided the audience is less than 500.

There are also exemptions for certain Local Authority run premises, provided that the permission of the Authority is given for the activity. (This will impact particularly of Schools for example.)

The effect of the changes will allow the majority of on licence premises in the Borough to hold entertainment without needing it to be licensed. In addition , it will impact on the enforcement aspect of noise from entertainment, where the standard will now be 'Statutory Nuisance'

One safeguard is retained is a provision for the exemption to be disappplied, should the business be subject to a review of the Premises Licence by the appropriate Responsible Authority.

It is proposed to write to all Premises On Licensees with advice & guidance as to how proposals can be utilised, but with a warning of the prospective loss of the exemption should there be adverse impact to the community. It is anticipated that there will be a reduction in TEN's as a result of the deregulation and internal processes are currently being reviewed to take account of the impact of changes on respective Teams.

4.3 Recovery of Annual Fees

At the time of preparing this report information on fees recovered is not available and further comment will be made at the meeting.

5. GAMBLING ACT 2005

5.1 Trade profile – Premises Licences

Permissions are as detailed below, there is one new Betting Premises licence that has been granted in Ynysybwl in this period:-

Permission Type	Number at Transition (1/9/07)	Number at 5/10/14
Bingo Premises Licences	4	3
Betting Premises	47	39
Adult Gaming Centre	10	7
Licensed Family Entertainment Centre	1	2
Lotteries/ Registered Societies	N/A	215

5.2 Trade profile – Gaming Permits

Complimentary to Premises Licences are a wide range of Gambling Permits that allow lower level gaming in primarily alcohol licensed premises. A summary of existing permissions is as follows:-

Premises Type	Number of Permits	
	Licensed Gaming Notification Machines	Premises Machine Permit (>2 Machines)
Public Houses (Premises Licence with Retail Alcohol 'On Sales')	202	5

Premises Type	Number of Permits	
	Club machine Permit (3 Machines)	Club Gaming Permit
Qualifying Member Clubs (Club Premises Certificate)	70	10

5.3 Enforcement

There are no enforcement issues to report for this period.

6 Recovery of Annual Fees

As a result of the static nature of the trade, there is little change to the position, where 100% recovery of annual fees is the standard, primarily due to the robust provisions contained within the legislation which allow for withdrawal of the licence/permit for non-payment of appropriate fees.

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404106 Late TENS	Maes Yr Haf Community Centre Brithweunydd Road Trealaw Tonypandy CF40 2UD	Mr Graham Waters	24 January 2015 To 24 January 2015	Generate Funds for Local Charities - 14th January 2015
404108 Standard TENS	Pontypridd Ex-Servicemens Club Woodland Terrace Maesycod Pontypridd CF37 1DZ	Miss Sharon Davies	6 February 2015 To 6 February 2015	Band - 6th February 2015
404111 Standard TENS	Pontypridd Ex-Servicemens Club Woodland Terrace Maesycod Pontypridd CF37 1DZ	Miss Sharon Davies	28 February 2015 To 28 February 2015	Band - 28th February 2015

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404112	Pontypridd Ex-Servicemens Club	Miss Sharon Davies	14 March 2015	Band - 14th March 2015
Standard TENS	Woodland Terrace Maesycoed Pontypridd CF37 1DZ		To 14 March 2015	
404114	Pontypridd Ex-Servicemens Club	Miss Sharon Davies	15 February 2015	Band - 15th February 2015
Standard TENS	Woodland Terrace Maesycoed Pontypridd CF37 1DZ		To 15 February 2015	
404179	Ystrad Rhondda Labour Club	Mr Michael Hall	31 January 2015	Tribute act & disco
Standard TENS	236 Tyntyla Road Ystrad Pentre CF41 7SG		To 31 January 2015	

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404221 Standard TENS	Treorchy RFC Regent Street Treorchy CF42 6PN	Miss Nerys Phillips	31 January 2015 To 31 January 2015	Fundraising 16+ DJ Event on 31.01.15
404227 Standard TENS	Penygraig RFC Tylacelyn Road Penygraig Tonypandy CF40 1JR	Mr Stephen Riddick	1 February 2015 To 2 February 2015	American Football Superbowl final 01/02/15 - 02/02/15
404284 Standard TENS	Ninian Stuart Conservative Club Station Street Treherbert Treorchy CF42 5HT	Mr Alwyn J Eynon	6 February 2015 To 6 February 2015	six nations rugby event - 6th February 2015
404292 Standard TENS	Royal Opera House Aberaman Enterprise Park Aberaman Aberdare CF44 6DA	Mr Jacob Gough	25 June 2015 To 27 June 2015	Public Performance by National Theatre of Wales

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404294 Standard TENS	Royal Opera House Aberaman Enterprise Park Aberaman Aberdare CF44 6DA	Mr Jacob Gough	29 June 2015 To 4 July 2015	The event is a public performance by National Theatre Wales
404296 Standard TENS	Royal Opera House Aberaman Enterprise Park Aberaman Aberdare CF44 6DA	Mr Jacob Gough	6 July 2015 To 11 July 2015	Performance produced by National Theatre Wales
404335 Standard TENS	The Lifelong Learning Centre Garth Olwg Community Campus St Illtyds Road Church Village Pontypridd CF38 1RQ	Mrs Heidi Katya Thomas	27 February 2015 To 27 February 2015	Music Concert with alcohol on 27th February 2015

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404337 Late TENS	Molly OD's 20 High Street Gilfach Goch Porth CF39 8SP	Mrs Corrine John	6 February 2015 To 6 February 2015	Live artist for after 6 Nation game
404340 Standard TENS	Ton Pentre AFC Social Club Llanfoist Street Ton Pentre Pentre CF41 7AF	Mr John Anthony Thomas	To	Charity event - Februry 14th 2015
404369 Standard TENS	Maes Yr Haf Community Centre Brithweunydd Road Trealaw Tonypandy CF40 2UD	Mr Graham Waters	21 February 2015 To 21 February 2015	Charity event Sat 21st Feb 2015

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404375 Standard TENS	Treorchy RFC Regent Street Treorchy CF42 6PN	Miss Nerys Phillips	14 February 2015 To 14 February 2015	Charity event Saturday 14th February 2015
404378 Standard TENS	All Hallows Catholic Church School Road Miskin Pontyclun CF72 8PG	Mr Geoffrey Thomas Bell	21 February 2015 To 21 February 2015	Llive band, male voice choir and sale of alcohol
404419 Standard TENS	Penygraig RFC Tylacelyn Road Penygraig Tonypandy CF40 1JR	Mr Brian Newman	To	Valentine day disco on 14th. Rugby match 15th.
404433 Late TENS	The Skinny Dog Broadway Pontypridd CF37 1BA	Mrs Kay Morgan	16 February 2015 To 16 February 2015	Late Ten - 16th Feb 2015 extend hrs for the rugby

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404513 Standard TENS	Tonysguboriau Primary School Stuart Terrace Talbot Green Pontyclun CF72 8AA	Mrs Amanda Bess	12 March 115 To 12 March 2015	Fund Raising Event by PTA on 12th March 2015
404570 Standard TENS	Abercynon Community Centre Station Road Abercynon Mountain Ash CF45 4TA	Mrs Merryl Murphy	4 March 2015 To 4 March 2015	St David's Day Tea Dance
404636 Standard TENS	Pontypridd RFC - Club House Sardis Road Graig Pontypridd CF37 1HA	Mrs Anne Davies	6 March 2015 To 6 March 2015	Quiz night - Mayors charity

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404682 Standard TENS	Cwmbach Community Primary School Llangorse Road Cwmbach Aberdare CF44 0HS	Mrs Eileen King	26 March 2015 To 26 March 2015	An evening of entertainment and sale of alcohol
404699 Standard TENS	St Dyfrigs RC Church Hall Broadway Treforest Pontypridd CF37 1DB	Mr John Francis Egan	To	St David's Day concert
404777 Standard TENS	Ynyshir and District Workmen's Club & Institute Limited 100A Aber-Rhondda Road Porth CF39 0AU	Mr William John Morgan	5 April 2015 To 5 April 2015	Charity darts tournament

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404778 Standard TENS	Llantrisant RFC St David's Place Llantrisant Pontyclun CF72 8HA	Mr Nicholas Anthony Wood	23 May 2015 To 24 May 2015	Dinner Dance on 23/05/15 and ROck Band on 24/05/2015
404807 Standard TENS	Treorchy RFC Regent Street Treorchy CF42 6PN	Miss Nerys Phillips	28 March 2015 To 28 March 2015	Fundraising event for Youth Teams (16+)
404895 Standard TENS	Wattstown Social Welfare Club Bailey Street Wattstown Porth CF39 0RA	Mr Martin Mays	21 March 2015 To 21 March 2015	21st Birthday Party - 21st March 2015
404896 Standard TENS	Maes Yr Haf Community Centre Brithweunydd Road Trealaw Tonypandy CF40 2UD	Mr Graham Waters	28 March 2015 To 28 March 2015	To generate funds for local charities by engaging an artiste

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404898 Standard TENS	Gilfach Goch RFC 73 High Street Gilfach Goch Porth CF39 8SR	Mrs Donna May Jenkins	21 March 2015 To 21 March 2015	Band/Disco - 21st March 2015
404916 Standard TENS	Judges & Jurys 7 Market Street Aberdare CF44 7DY	Mr Gino Fulgoni	6 April 2015 To 6 April 2015	Disco 6th April 2015
404917 Standard TENS	Judges & Jurys 7 Market Street Aberdare CF44 7DY	Mr Gino Fulgoni	4 May 2015 To 4 May 2015	Disco for 4th May 2015
404952 Standard TENS	The Skinny Dog Broadway Pontypridd CF37 1BA	Mrs Kay Morgan	6 April 2015 To 6 April 2015	

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404981 Late TENS	The Lifelong Learning Centre Garth Olwg Community Campus St Illtyds Road Church Village Pontypridd CF38 1RQ	Mrs Heidi Katya Thomas	20 March 2015 To 20 March 2015	Welsh learners Eisteddfod - 20th March 2015
405103 Standard TENS	The Old School House School Street Maerdy Ferndale CF43 4DN		4 April 2015 To 4 April 2015	Boxing Event to raise funds for MBC
405263 Standard TENS	Ynyshir and District Workmen's Club & Institute Limited 100A Aber-Rhondda Road Porth CF39 0AU	Mrs Louise Harris	16 May 2015 To 16 May 2015	TEN for 18th Birthday with disco Sat 16th May 2015

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405295 Standard TENS	Soul Suite 14 High Street Pontypridd CF37 1BB	Mr Nick Davies	29 March 2015 To 29 March 2015	Ten for the Clocks to go forward 29.03.15
405296 Standard TENS	The Lion Treorchy Bute Street Treorchy CF42 6AH	Mr Adrian Ian Emmett	5 April 2015 To 5 April 2015	Sunday 5th April 2015 Easter Bank Holiday
405297 Standard TENS	The Lamb Inn 78 Brecon Road Hirwaun Aberdare CF44 9NL	Mr Adrian Ian Emmett	3 May 2015 To 3 May 2015	3rd May 2015 Bank Holiday
405298 Standard TENS	The Lion Treorchy Bute Street Treorchy CF42 6AH	Mr Adrian Ian Emmett	24 May 2015 To 24 May 2015	24.05.15 Bank Holiday

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405326 Standard TENS	Judges & Jurys 7 Market Street Aberdare CF44 7DY	Mr Gino Fulgoni	25 May 2015 To 25 May 2015	Disco 25th May 20125
405328 Standard TENS	Llantrisant RFC St David's Place Llantrisant Pontyclun CF72 8HA	Mr Nicholas Anthony Wood	22 May 2015 To 24 May 2015	22.5: Rugby Club Dinner, 23.5: Llantrisant Freeman's Dinner
405335 Late TENS	The Banc 54-56 Llewellyn Street Pentre CF41 7BW	Mr Garry Anthony Fisher	5 April 2015 To 6 April 2015	Music & Dancing - 5 to 6 April 2015
405336 Standard TENS	The Banc 54-56 Llewellyn Street Pentre CF41 7BW	Mr Garry Anthony Fisher	24 May 2015 To 25 May 2015	Music & Dancing - 24 to 25 May 2015

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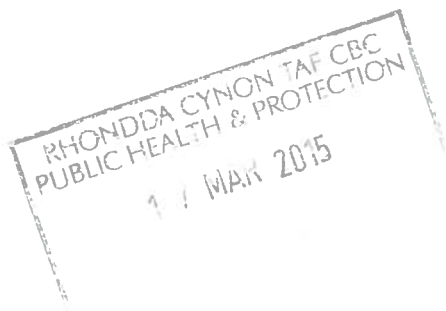
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405337 Standard TENS	The Banc 54-56 Llewellyn Street Pentre CF41 7BW	Mr Garry Anthony Fisher	3 May 2015 To 4 May 2015	Music & Dancing - 3rd to 4th May 2015
405355 Standard TENS	Mountain Ash RFC 12 Oxford Street Mountain Ash CF45 3PL	Mr Paul Moore	11 April 2015 To 11 April 2015	11th April 2015
405357 Standard TENS	Mountain Ash RFC 12 Oxford Street Mountain Ash CF45 3PL	Mr Paul Moore	25 April 2015 To 25 April 2015	Fund Raising Disco 25th April 2015
405389 Standard TENS	The Skinny Dog Broadway Pontypridd CF37 1BA	Mrs Kay Morgan	4 May 2015 To 5 May 2015	Change of Time for Bank Holiday

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405390	The Skinny Dog Broadway Pontypridd CF37 1BA	Mrs Kay Morgan	25 May 2015 To 25 May 2015	Change of Time for Bank Holiday

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Bronwydd House
Ely Valley Road
Talbot Green
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Environmental Services Group
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Ty Elai
Dinas Isaf East
Williamstown
Tonypandy
CF40 1BR

Your Ref: MW/401082

16 March 2015

Dear Sir,

Re: Determination of Application for review of Premises Licence Trading as Hand and Squirrel Public House

I refer to your letter of the 12th March, 2015 in respect of the matter above. I would like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude to the team of officers, working on our behalf, for the excellent support that we received throughout in assisting us to resolve this matter. Thankyou.

Yours Faithfully

M. W. Wesgate *M. W. Wesgate*

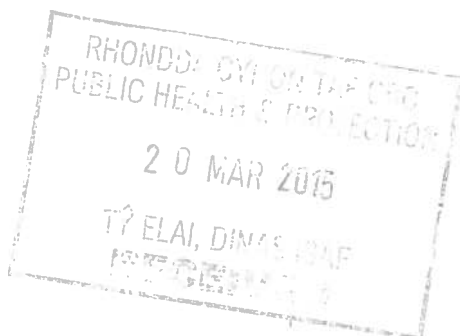
Mr. & Mrs. Weston- Wesgate.



3 Maes-y-Rhedyn
Talbot Green
RCT
CF72 8AN

18th March 2015

Ty Elai
Dinas Isaf East
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Tonypandy
CF40 1NY



Dear Mr Shephard

Thank you for your letter regarding the suspension of the premises licence for the Hand and Squirrel. The removal of music and attendant customer noise from the public house has had a significant impact, and the quality of our lives has dramatically improved.

We would like to put on record our thanks for the professional and efficient way you and all your colleagues have dealt with our issues regarding the Hand and Squirrel. We really do appreciate that a great deal of hard work by many people has gone into obtaining such a positive result, and you all have our most sincere gratitude.

Best wishes
Yours sincerely

Gill & John Webber

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Prosecutions Heard
from 5th January to 29th March 2015

DEFENDANT	PREMISES	STATUTE	HEARING DATE	TOTAL FINE
Mrs Nimerjeet Bains	SB Stores 165 Bute Street Treherbert Treorchy	Licensing Act 2003	27 February 2015	100.00
	SECTION	No of Offences	RESULT	COSTS
	146(1)	1	Prosecution - Guilty	150.00

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENCE

Sold alcohol to an individual aged under 18

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Prosecutions Heard
from 19 December 2009 – 25 April 2010

DEFENDANT	PREMISES	STATUTE	HEARING DATE	TOTAL FINE
Mr Kameljit Singh Dhesi	Premier Stores 19-20 Llewellyn Street Pentre	Licensing Act 2003	13 March 2015	145.00
	SECTION	No of Offences	RESULT	COSTS
	146(1)	1	Prosecution - Guilty	100.00

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Sold alcohol to an individual aged under 18

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Prosecutions Heard
from 19 December 2009 – 25 April 2010

DEFENDANT	PREMISES	STATUTE	HEARING DATE	TOTAL FINE
Mrs Parmjit Kaur Dhesi	Premier Stores 19-20 Llewellyn Street Pentre	Licensing Act 2003	13 March 2015	0.00
	SECTION	No of Offences	RESULT	COSTS
	146(1)	1	Case Withdrawn	0.00

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Closed Date from 5/ 1/2015 to 29/ 3/2015
 Inspection Types : L - Licensing
 Detail category : I - INSPECTION DETAIL TYPES
 Detail code : L - Licensing Infringements
 All Classes of Last Visit (Primary, Alternative, etc) included
 Primary Analysis by Detail Code
 Sorted by Analysis Category

Report format ACTIONS

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TOTAL
CATEGORIES

L Licensing Infringements

LAA	No Licence Summary on display	21
LAB	No Premise.Lic or cert copy ke	31
LAC	No written permission from PLH	21
LAD	No Personal Licence Holder on	1
LAE	No Staff training book	7
LAF	No Refusals book	5
LAG	No CCTV	6
LAH	No required posters challenge	1
LAJ	No door supervisors	2
LAN	Not using tough or plast glass	1
LAP	No DPS/Current DPS differs fro	1
LAQ	No Gaming Permits	2
LAR	Premises Layout/Const.Differen	5
LAS	Other	11
TOT: Licensing Infringements		<u>115</u>

*** GRAND TOTALS: 115

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