

Title of Report:	Entertainments Licensing Report
Committee Report Submitted To:	Environmental Services Committee
Date of Meeting:	11 th January 2022
For Decision or For Information	For Decision

Linkage to Council Strategy (2021-25)			
Strategic Theme	Local Economy		
Outcome	Implementation of statutory requirements		
Lead Officer	Head of Health & Built Environment		

Budgetary Considerations				
Cost of Proposal	Licensing Fee Applies			
Included in Current Year Estimates	NO			
Capital/Revenue	N/A			
Code	N/A			
Staffing Costs	N/A			

Screening Requirements	Required for new or revised Policies, Plans, Strategies or Service Delivery Proposals.			
Section 75 Screening	Screening Completed:	N/A	Date:	
	EQIA Required and Completed:	N/A	Date:	
Rural Needs Assessment	Screening Completed	N/A	Date:	
(RNA)	RNA Required and Completed:	N/A	Date:	
Data Protection Impact	Screening Completed:	N/A	Date:	
Assessment (DPIA)	DPIA Required and Completed:	N/A	Date:	

1.0 ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

1.1 GRANT OF INDOOR ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

Licence No: EL014

Premises: Boveedy Community Hall, 22 Boveedy Road, Kilrea

Application: Grant of an Occasional 14 unspecified days indoor

Entertainments Licence

Days and times on which it is applied to provide

entertainment:

Monday to Saturday 12:00 hrs to 00:00 hrs

Representations: No representations

PSNI & NIFRS No objections

Recommendation

It is recommended to grant an Occasional Entertainments Licence subject to compliance with any recommendations of the Council's Licensing Department

1.2 GRANT OF INDOOR ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

Licence No: EL411

Premises: The Roost Bar, 2 Shuttle Hill, Coleraine

Application: Grant of Annual Indoor Entertainments Licence

Days and times on which it is applied to provide

entertainment:

Monday to Sunday 11:30 hrs to 02:00 hrs

Representations: No representations

PSNI and NIFRS: No objections received from NIFRS

PSNI have objected to this application on the following

grounds:-

- These premises are situated at the heart of a residential area in Coleraine and to grant this application would have a detrimental effect on the local community and the residents living there.
- The potential for a public order situation arising is greatly increased therefore, again, having a detrimental effect on the local community.

Council have not received any relevant complaints regarding the premises.

Recommendation It is recommended that Council consider the refusal of an

entertainments licence for the premises.

1.3 VARIATION OF ANNUAL INDOOR ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

Licence No: EL060

Premises: Atlantic Bar, 39 -41 Main Street, Portrush

Application: Variation of Annual Indoor Entertainments Licence to include:

An extension of hours on the following dates:

Sunday 12th December 2021 12:30 to 03:00hrs

Sunday 19th December 2021 12:30 to 03:00hrs

Thursday 23rd December 2021 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Sunday 26th December 2021 12:30 to 03:00hrs

Monday 27th December 2021 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Wednesday 29th December 2021 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Thursday 30th December 2021 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Friday 31st December 2021 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Every Saturday from 1st January 2022 until Saturday 19th

March 2022 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Friday 18th March 2022 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Friday 25th March 2022 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Saturday 2nd April 2022 1:30 to 03:00hrs

Saturday 9th April 2022 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Saturday 16th April 2022 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Monday 18th April 2022 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Friday 22nd April 2022 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Saturday 23rd April 2022 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Friday 29th April 2022 11:30 to 03:00hrs

Representations: No representations

PSNI and NIFRS: No objections received from NIFRS

PSNI have objected to this application on the following grounds:-

- These premises are situated in a residential area of Portrush and Police have concerns that these hours would have a detrimental effect on the peace of the local area and the residents residing there.
- The potential for a public order situation arising from later drinking is increased therefore also impacting on the peace of the local area and of residents.

The Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) Act (NI) 2021 became law on 26th August 2021. The Act amends both the Licensing (NI) Order 1996 (the Licensing Order) and the Registration of Clubs (NI) Order 1996 (the Clubs Order). Section 3 of the Act allows pubs and hotels (which already have an Article 44 order) to apply to the courts for later opening for an additional hour, up to 104 nights in any year. Food and/or entertainment must continue to be provided during late opening.

As a result of the changes to the above legislation, this premises has applied to vary the entertainment licence hours to coincide with the hours permitted in the above Act. However, as noted above, PSNI have objected to the application due to concerns that extending the hours will have a detrimental effect on the peace of the local area and the residents residing there and that there is increased potential for a public order situation to arise from later drinking. Council is not aware of any substantiated complaints regarding noise emanating from the Atlantic Bar within the Londonderry Hotel.

Recommendation

It is recommended that Council consider the refusal of the variation to the entertainments licence for the premise

1.4 VARIATION OF ANNUAL INDOOR ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

Licence No: EL367

Premises: The Depot, 88 Main Street, Limavady

Application: Variation of annual indoor entertainments licence to include:

An extension of hours on the following dates:

Saturday 3rd December 2021 11.30 to 3.00hrs

Sunday 4th December 2021 12.00 to 3.00hrs

Saturday 10th December 2021 11.30 to 3.00hrs

Sunday 11th December 2021 12.00 to 3.00hrs

Saturday 17th December 2021 11.30 to 3.00hrs

Sunday 18th December 2021 12.00 to 03.00hrs

Sunday 26th December 2021 12.00 to 3.00hrs

Friday 31st December 2021 11.30 to 3.00hrs

Every Saturday from 1st December 2021 until Saturday 12th

March 2022 11.30 to 3.00hrs

Thursday March 17th 2022 11.30 to 3.00hrs

Every Saturday from 26th March 2022 until Saturday July 9th

2022 11.30 to 3.00hrs

Friday 15th April 2022 11.30 to 3.00hrs

Sunday 17th April 2022 12.00 to 3.00hrs

Friday 3rd June 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs Monday 11th July 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Tuesday 12 July 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Every Saturday from 16th July 2022 until Saturday 30th

December 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Friday 26th August 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Friday 28th October 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Friday 25th November 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Friday 2nd December 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Friday 9th December 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Friday 23rd December 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Monday 26th December 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Tuesday 27th December 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Wednesday 28th December 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Thursday 29th December 2022 11.30 to 03.00hrs

Sunday 31st December 2022 12.00 to 03.00hrs

Representations: No representations

NIFRS: Response 16th December 2021 from NIFRS have requested

additional fire safety information to permit an assessment to

be made which is a copy of an up to date Fire Risk

Assessment.. Following receipt of the information NIFRS will

provide a consultation response.

PSNI: No objections

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As a result of the changes to the above legislation, this premises has applied to vary the entertainment licence hours to coincide with the hours permitted in the above Act.

Recommendation

It is recommended that Council consider the grant of the variation to the entertainments licence for the premise subject to compliance with any recommendations of the Council's Licensing Department and a no objection from NIFRS.

1.5 VARIATION OF ANNUAL INDOOR ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

Licence No: EL005

Premises: The Anchor Bar Complex, 86.87 The Promenade Portstewart

Application: Variation of annual indoor entertainments licence to include:

An extension of hours on the following dates:

Every Friday 11.00 to 2.00hrs

Every Saturday 11.00 to 2.00hrs

Representations: No representations

NIFRS & PSNI: No objections

The Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) Act (NI) 2021 became law on 26th August 2021. The Act amends both the Licensing (NI) Order 1996 (the Licensing Order) and the Registration of Clubs (NI) Order 1996 (the Clubs Order). Section 3 of the Act allows pubs and hotels (which already have an Article 44 order) to apply to the courts for later opening for an additional hour, up to 104 nights in any year. Food and/or entertainment must continue to be provided during late opening.

As a result of the changes to the above legislation, this premises has applied to vary the entertainment licence hours to coincide with the hours permitted in the above Act.

Recommendation

It is recommended that Council consider the grant of the variation to the entertainments licence for the premise subject to compliance with any recommendations of the Council's Licensing Department.