#### REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF CITY SERVICES

#### **LICENSING COMMITTEE - 26 APRIL 2010**

## LICENSING ACT 2003 – CONSIDERATION FOR THE GRANT OF A PREMISES LICENCE

HETTON AND EPPLETON COMMUNITY HALL, OFFICE PLACE, HETTON LE HOLE, DH5 9JG

Hetton and Eppleton Community Hall Trust Office Place Hetton le Hole Houghton le Spring DH5 9JG

#### 1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 To consider an application for the grant of a premises licence for the above-mentioned premises.

#### 2.0 DESCRIPTION OF DECISION

- 2.1 Members are requested to have regard to the representations referred to above and to take such steps as they consider necessary for the promotion of the licensing objectives. The steps may be:
  - a) to grant the application,
  - b) to modify the conditions of the licence, or
  - c) to reject the whole or part of the application.

#### 3.0 INTRODUCTION/BACKGROUND

3.1 Relevant representations have been received in relation to the application and these are detailed at section 7.0.

#### 4.0 CURRENT POSITION

4.1 The application is for the grant of a new premises licence. The application is for the provision of: -

supply of alcohol plays films live music recorded music performances of dance facilities for dancing

- 4.2 The applicant has requested that the supply of alcohol takes place every day from 18:00 until 23:00, with the exception of the period commencing at 18:00 on New Year's Eve and ending at 02:00 on New Year's Day.
- 4.3 The applicant has also requested that the provision of live music, among other types of entertainment, may take place every day from 13:00 until 23:00, with the exception of the period commencing at 18:00 on New Year's Eve and ending at 02:00 on New Year's Day for the provision of facilities for dancing.
- 4.4 A copy of the application form is attached as Appendix 1.

#### 5.0 REASONS FOR THE DECISION

5.1 To determine the application as requested by section 18(3) of the Licensing Act 2003.

#### 6.0 ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS

6.1 None submitted.

#### 7.0 RELEVANT CONSIDERATIONS/CONSULTATIONS

7.1 Representations have been received from one Interested Party. A copy of these representations is attached as Appendix 2.

#### 8.0 GLOSSARY

8.1 No acronyms or abbreviations have been used in this report.

#### 9.0 LIST OF APPENDICES

Appendix 1 Application Form.

Appendix 2 Representations from the Interested Party.

#### 10.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

10.1 None.

# Appendix 1

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### 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 necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

app des the	I/We THE HETTON & EPPLETON COMMUNITY HALL TRUST  (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							
HET HET HOL	Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description HETTON & EPPLETON COMMUNITY HALL OFICE PLACE HETTON-LE-HOLE HOUGHTON LE SPRING TYNE & WEAR							
Pos	t tow	HETTON-LE-HOLE			Post code	DH5 9JG		
Tele	phone	number at premises (if any)						
Non	-dome	estic rateable value of premises	£8000					
Part 2 - Applicant Details  Please state whether you are applying for a premises licence as Please tick yes								
a)	an in	dividual or individuals *			please comple	ete section (A)		
b)	a pe	son other than an individual *						
	i.	as a limited company			please comple	ete section (B)		
	ii.	as a partnership			please comple	ete section (B)		
	iii.	as an unincorporated associatio	n or		please comple	ete section (B)		
	iv.	other (for example a statutory co	orporation)		please comple	ete section (B)		
c)	a rec	ognised club			please comple	ete section (B)		

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a charity

e)	the proprietor of an	educational esta	blishment		please comp	olete section	(B)
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#### Part 3 Operating Schedule

Telephone number (if any)

E-mail address (optional) a.ann007@btinternet.com

When do you want the premises licence to start?

Day Month Year
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If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, when do you want it to end?

Day Month Year

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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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Pro	vision of regulated entertainment	Please tick yes						
a)	plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)	$\boxtimes$						
b)	films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)	$\boxtimes$						
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)	$\boxtimes$						
f)	recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)	$\boxtimes$						
g)	performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)	$\boxtimes$						
h)	anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H)							
Pro	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)							
Pro	vision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box L)							
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Day	Start	Finish		Both		
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State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as premises supervisor

Name	
Address	
Postcode	
Personal Licence number (if known)	
Issuing licensing authority (if known)	

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)

WE OPERATE A STRICT CHILD PROTECTION POLICY AND MAINTAIN STRICT BEHAVIOUR CODES TO SAFEGUARD CHILDREN AND VULNERABLE ADULTS. STRICT MONITORING OF FILMS SHOWN AND AGE GROUPS INVOLVED WILL OPERATE AND HALL USERS MUST AGREE TO OPERATE ACCORDINGLY AS STATED IN THEIR HALL AGREEMENT DOCUMENTATION.

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P Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General - all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e) (please read guidance note 9)

THE HALL IS WELL SUPPORTED BY THE COMMUNITY AND SEEN AS AN ASSETT, GOODWILL HELPS TO KEEP SAFETY MEASURES IN PLACE. LOCAL PEOPLE WOULD SPEAK UP AND ALERT TRUSTEES TO ANY PROBLEMS. THERE IS GOOD COMMUNITY CO-OPERATION BETWEEN LOCAL RESIDENTS, AND THE NEIGHBOURING AIR TRAINING CORP. THE AIM IS TO BRING BENEFITS TO THE COMMUNITY, WE ARE THEREFORE, ALSO AUTOMATICALLY COMMITTED TO SAFETY ISSUES AND KEEN TO FOLLOW ANY ADVICE GIVEN.

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

THE TRUSTEES HAVE A GOOD WORKING RELATIONSHIP WITH THE POLICE. THE HALL HAS GOOD SECURITY, EXTERNAL DOORS ONLY RECENTLY RENEWED. ALCOHOL IS NOT KEPT ON THE PREMISES. THE HALL IS HAVING A LAND TELEPHONE LINE INSTALLED AND HALL USERS MUST CARRY A MOBILE PHONE. OUTSIDE THE HALL AREA IS WELL LIT, THE CAR PARK WELL USED.

c) Public safety

HALL USERS ARE THEMSELVES REQUIRED TO DISPOSE OF ANY BOTTLES/RUBBISH SAFELY. THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF PEOPLE ALLOWED IN THE HALL, SPECIFIED IN THE HALL USER AGREEMENT WILL BE ADHERED TO, SIMILARLY THE CHILD PROTECTION POLICY. HALL AGREEMENTS SPECIFY THE USE OF ALCOHOL INSIDE THE PREMISES ONLY, LEAVING WITH GLASSES IS PROHIBITED. HALL USERS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR MONITORING AND APPLYING THIS RULE. DURING FILMS THE UPLIGHTING WILL REMAIN ON TO ALLOW SAFE MOVEMENT DURING THE FILM. THERE ARE SUFFICIENT SEATS, NO NEED FOR HAZARDOUS SITTING ON THE FLOOR.

d) The prevention of public nuisance

DOORS, WINDOWS AND FIRE DOORS WILL BE KEPT CLOSED TO RESTRICT VOLUME OF MUSIC ETC. A NOISE LIMITING DEVICE WILL OPERATE TO KEEP LEVELS WITHIN LIMITS AGREED BY THE COUNCIL. GOOD BEHAVIOUR NOTICES WILL BE DISPLAYED ASKING PEOPLE TO LEAVE QUIETLY. THE PREMISES IS SITUATED AWAY FROM PUBLIC RESISENTIAL AREAS SUFFICIENTLY SO THAT LIGHT OR SMELL POLLUTION SHOULD NOT BE A PROBLEM.

e) The protection of children from harm

A CHILD PROTECTION AND VULNERABLE ADULTS POLICY IS IN FORCE, ALL HALL USERS MUST EITHER HAVE THEIR OWN POLICY IN PLACE OR ADOPT OURS, THEY MUST BE CRB CHECKED AND BE VIGILANT IN CHECKING VOLUNTEERS/CASUAL HELPERS. AGE RESTRICTIONS REGARDING ALCOHOL (REQUESTING PHOTO ID) AND FILMS WILL BE ADHERED TO.

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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 - Signatu	ures (please read guidance note 10)					
	plicant or applicant's solicitor or other duly a 1). If signing on behalf of the applicant please					
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Date	25/2/10					
Capacity	CHAIR OF TRUSTEES					
For joint applications signature of 2 <sup>nd</sup> applicant or 2 <sup>nd</sup> 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						
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associated with		ss for corre	spondence			
Post town HE	TTONL-LE-HOLE	Post code	DH5 9PH			
Telephone num	ber (if any) 0191 5173102					
If you would pre a.ann007@btinte	efer us to correspond with you by e-mail your ernet.com	e-mail addr	ess (optional)			

## Appendix 2



Licensing Section Environmental Services PO Box 107 Civic Centre Sunderland SR2 7DN



16 March 2010

Dear Sir/Madam

### Re: Hetton and Eppleton Community Hall, Office Place, Hetton le Hole

We would like to strongly object to the granting of a licence enabling the above to sell alcohol and play live music.

The hall already has a number of activities which create great difficulties for us to access our property. Cars frequently park on the road/kerb which restricts access.

We feel that the granting of a liquor license is completely unnecessary when you take into account that there are two public houses a matter of yards away.

Whilst we feel it is preferable to have the hall being used for various groups and youngsters in order that they can progress their hobbies and interests we are extremely anxious that liquor licence and live music will lead to parking problems as well as greatly heightening the opportunity for rowdiness through alcohol and music.

As other immediate neighbours have done, we have spent a considerable amount of time and money on our properties ensuring that it is a quiet place to reside. I have personally experienced living in close proximity to a pub and it is one of the reasons we moved to where we are now.

Please confirm that you have received this letter and note our objection.

Yours faithfully