

Premises Licence Application

Sila – 50 Eastfield Road, Peterborough, PE1 4AN

NOTES OF MEDIATION MEETING

Thursday 11th March 2010
10am
Council Offices, Bridge House

Present :

Darren Dolby (PCC – Mediator)
PC Ifor Maddox (Cambridgeshire Constabulary)
PS Lisa Pearson (Cambridgeshire Constabulary)
Bulent Bakir (Applicant)
Saglar Ahmat (Proposed Designated Premises Supervisor)

Darren explained that the meeting was being held to attempt to resolve the outstanding issues raised by the Police in relation to the application for a premises licence at 50 Eastfield Road.

It was agreed by all at the meeting that the issue that is currently unresolved is the time that the sale of alcohol must cease. PC Maddox explained that the Police stood by their representation as it was presented to the licensing authority and they were still looking for the application to be rejected outright if the applicants continued with the timings initially applied for. PC Maddox did indicate that the representation would be withdrawn if the applicant curtailed the terminal hour for selling alcohol to 11pm.

Mr Bakir stated that he was not prepared to curtail the hours for selling hours to 11pm as he wished to be able to trade the same hours as other off licences in the nearby vicinity, ie Eastfield News, Jim Crown & News N Booze. PC Maddox stated that it was the intention of the Police to examine each of the licences mentioned with the intention of curtailing those licences that did not meet the Police's expectations regarding preventing anti social behaviour, etc. PC Maddox stated that News N Booze's licence was already in review and they had asked for it's licence to be curtailed until 11pm.

Mr Bakir stated that he would not curtail the hours applied for. Darren indicated that due to no compromise agreement being met the application would now be determined by the Licensing Act 2003 Sub – Committee.

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