SOUTHEND-ON-SEA BOROUGH COUNCIL

Meeting of Licensing Sub-Committee A

Date: Monday, 6th February, 2017
Place: Committee Room 1 - Civic Suite

Present: Councillor D McGlone (Chairman)

Councillors S Buckley and D Kenyon

In Attendance: P Tremayne, T Row, M Newton and A Penn

Start/End Time: 10.00 am - 12.25 pm

741 Apologies for Absence

There were no apologies for absence.

742 Declarations of Interest

No interests were declared at the meeting.

743 Application for Grant of Premises Licence - The Crafty Half, 1376 London Road, Leigh on Sea, Essex SS9 2UH

The Sub Committee received a report of the Deputy Chief Executive (Place) concerning an application made by Mr Stephen Warner for the grant of a Premises Licence in respect of The Crafty Half, 1376 London Road, Leigh on Sea, Essex SS9 1UH.

The Application was presented by the applicant, Mr Warner. Karen Russ, the applicant's partner, also attended the hearing and gave evidence. At the hearing the applicant agreed for the application to be amended so that licensing hours would commence at 10.00 a.m., daily.

The Sub Committee noted that no objections had been received from any of the Responsible Authorities, although one objection had been received from a local resident, Geethu Sanesh. Mrs Sanesh attended the hearing and gave evidence. The objections related to three of the licensing objectives, namely the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance and the protection of children from harm.

The Sub Committee listened to all the evidence and submissions, and read all the documents. It had regard to the Statutory Guidance Notes and Southend-on-Sea Borough Council's Statement of Licensing Policy. The Sub Committee further considered the four licensing objectives namely the prevention of crime and disorder, public safety, the prevention of public nuisance and the protection of children from harm.

On the basis of the evidence presented to it, the Sub Committee considered that the licensing objectives and the objector's concerns would be adequately addressed by the proposed conditions to be imposed on the licence. The Sub Committee therefore:

Resolved:

That the amended application, for the supply of alcohol for consumption off the premises on Mondays to Saturdays from 10.00 a.m. to 10.00 p.m. and on Sundays from 10.00 a.m. until 4.00 p.m., be granted subject to:

- (i) The Mandatory Conditions set out in Appendix 1 to the report of the Deputy Chief Executive (Place); and
- (ii) The Conditions set out in Appendix 2 to the report of the Deputy Chief Executive (Place).