



Report of: **Service Director, Public Protection**

Meeting of	Date	Agenda Item	Ward(s)
Licensing Sub-Committee	3 November 2011	B1	Bunhill

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Subject: PREMISES LICENCE NEW APPLICATION
RE: CITY SUPERMARKET, 190-194 GOSWELL ROAD, LONDON EC1V 7DT

1. Synopsis

- 1.1 This is an application for a new premise licence under the Licensing Act 2003
- 1.2 The application is to permit
 - i) sale of alcohol, for consumption on the premises, from 08:00 until 01:00 Monday to Saturday and from 08:00 until 00:00 on Sunday.

2. Recommendations

- 2.1 To determine the application for a new premises licence under Section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003.
- 2.2 If the Committee grants the application it should be subject to:
 - i. conditions of the premises licence granted;
 - ii. conditions prepared by the Licensing Officer which are consistent with the Operating Schedule (See appendix 3);
 - iii. conditions recommended by responsible Authorities (see appendix 3);
 - iv. any conditions deemed necessary by the Committee to promote the four licensing objectives.

3. Background

- 3.1 Papers are attached as follows:-

- Appendix 1: application form and additional submission;
Appendix 2: representations;
Appendix 3: suggested conditions and map of premise location.

- 3.2 The Licensing Authority has received representation from the Police and Trading Standards.
3.3 The premises currently benefits from a license to sell alcohol for consumption off of the premises Monday to Sunday from 00:00 to 24:00;
3.4 The licence was the subject of a review application by Trading Standards and on 22 August 2011 the licence was revoked. The decision to revoke the premises licence has been appealed in the Magistrates.

4. Conclusion and reasons for recommendations

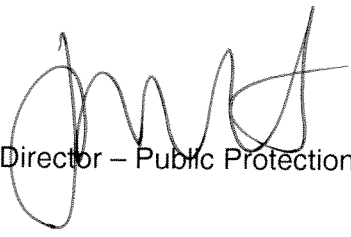
- 4.1 The Council is required to consider this application in the light of all relevant information, and if approval is given, it may attach such conditions necessary to promote the licensing objectives.

Background papers:

The Council's Statement of Licensing Policy
Licensing Act 2003
Secretary of States Guidance

Final Report Clearance

Signed by


Service Director – Public Protection

24-10-11
Date

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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.

I/We Salman Capti (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

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description
City Supermarket
190-194 Goswell Road
Post town London Post code EC1V 7DT

Telephone number at premises (if any)
Non-domestic rateable value of premises £44500

Part 2 - Applicant Details

Please state whether you are applying for a premises licence as Please tick yes

- a) an individual or individuals * [X] please complete section (A)
b) a person other than an individual *
i. as a limited company [] please complete section (B)
ii. as a partnership [] please complete section (B)
iii. as an unincorporated association or [] please complete section (B)
iv. other (for example a statutory corporation) [] please complete section (B)
c) a recognised club [] please complete section (B)
d) a charity [] please complete section (B)

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- e) the proprietor of an educational establishment please complete section (B)
- f) a health service body please complete section (B)
- g) a person who is registered under Part 2 of the Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respect of an independent hospital please complete section (B)
- h) the chief officer of police of a police force in England and Wales please complete section (B)

* If you are applying as a person described in (a) or (b) please confirm:

Please tick yes

- I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves the use of the premises for licensable activities; or
- I am making the application pursuant to a
 - statutory function or
 - a function discharged by virtue of Her Majesty's prerogative

(A) INDIVIDUAL APPLICANTS (fill in as applicable)

Mr <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mrs <input type="checkbox"/>	Miss <input type="checkbox"/>	Ms <input type="checkbox"/>	Other Title (for example, Rev)	
Surname Capti			First names Salman		
I am 18 years old or over				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please tick yes	
Current postal address if different from premises address		Flat 45 Mary MacArthur House Warley Street			
Post Town	London		Postcode	E2 0DQ	
Daytime contact telephone number					
E-mail address (optional)					

SECOND INDIVIDUAL APPLICANT (if applicable)

Mr <input type="checkbox"/>	Mrs <input type="checkbox"/>	Miss <input type="checkbox"/>	Ms <input type="checkbox"/>	Other Title (for example, Rev)	
Surname			First names		
I am 18 years old or over				<input type="checkbox"/> Please tick yes	

Current postal address if different from premises address			
Post Town		Postcode	
Daytime contact telephone number			
E-mail address (optional)			

(B) OTHER APPLICANTS

Please provide name and registered address of applicant in full. Where appropriate please give any registered number. In the case of a partnership or other joint venture (other than a body corporate), please give the name and address of each party concerned.

Name
Address
Registered number (where applicable)
Description of applicant (for example, partnership, company, unincorporated association etc.)
Telephone number (if any)
E-mail address (optional)

Part 3 Operating Schedule

When do you want the premises licence to start?

Day	Month	Year
0	9	10
2	0	11

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

Day	Month	Year

Please give a general description of the premises (please read guidance note 1)
Please refer to the enclosed plan.

If 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend.

What licensable activities do you intend to carry on from the premises?

(Please see sections 1 and 14 of the Licensing Act 2003 and Schedules 1 and 2 to the Licensing Act 2003)

Provision of regulated entertainment

Please tick yes

- a) plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)
- b) films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)
- 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)
- f) recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)
- g) performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)
- h) anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H)

Provision 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)

Provision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box L)

Supply of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box M)

In all cases complete boxes N, O and P

A

Plays Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the performance of a play take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)		
Mon					
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for performing plays (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur					
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of plays at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat					
Sun					

B

Films Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the exhibition of films take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)		
Mon					
Tue			State any seasonal variations for the exhibition of films (please read guidance note 4)		
Wed					
Thur			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the exhibition of films at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		
Fri					
Sat					
Sun					

C

Indoor sporting events Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Please give further details</u> (please read guidance note 3)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon			
Tue			<u>State any seasonal variations for indoor sporting events</u> (please read guidance note 4)
Wed			
Thur			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for indoor sporting events at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)
Fri			
Sat			
Sun			

D

Boxing or wrestling entertainments Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the boxing or wrestling entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)		
Mon					
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for boxing or wrestling entertainment (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur					
Fri					
Sat			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for boxing or wrestling entertainment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		
Sun					

E

Live music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the performance of live music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)		
Mon					
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for the performance of live music (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur					
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of live music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat					
Sun					

F

Recorded music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish			
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)		
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for the playing of recorded music (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur					
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the playing of recorded music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat					
Sun					

G

Performances of dance Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the performance of dance take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)	Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue					
Wed					
Thur			State any seasonal variations for the performance of dance (please read guidance note 4)		
Fri					
Sat			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of dance at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		
Sun					

H

Anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Please give a description of the type of entertainment you will be providing</u>		
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Will this entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Both	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Tue			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)		
Wed					
Thur			<u>State any seasonal variations for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g)</u> (please read guidance note 4)		
Fri					
Sat			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Sun					

I

Provision of facilities for making music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Please give a description of the facilities for making music you will be providing</u>			
			<u>Will the facilities for making music be indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 2)			Indoors
			Outdoors			<input type="checkbox"/>
			Both			<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)			
Mon						
Tue						
Wed			<u>State any seasonal variations for the provision of facilities for making music</u> (please read guidance note 4)			
Thur						
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for provision of facilities for making music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)			
Sat						
Sun						

J

Provision of facilities for dancing Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the facilities for dancing be indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (see guidance note 2)	Indoors <input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors <input type="checkbox"/>
				Both <input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give a description of the facilities for dancing you will be providing</u>	
Mon			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)	
Tue				
Wed			<u>State any seasonal variations for providing dancing facilities</u> (please read guidance note 4)	
Thur				
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of facilities for dancing entertainment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)	
Sat				
Sun				

K

Provision of facilities for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within i or j Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Please give a description of the type of entertainment facility you will be providing</u>		
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Will the entertainment facility be indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)		
Wed					
Thur					
Fri			<u>State any seasonal variations for the provision of facilities for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within i or j</u> (please read guidance note 4)		
Sat					
Sun			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of facilities for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within i or j at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)		

L

Late night refreshment Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the provision of late night refreshment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish			
Mon			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)		
Tue					
Wed			<u>State any seasonal variations for the provision of late night refreshment</u> (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur					
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of late night refreshment at different times, to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat					
Sun					

M

Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption (Please tick box) (please read guidance note 7)	On the premises	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Off the premises	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	State any seasonal variations for the supply of alcohol (please read guidance note 4) N/A		
Mon	08:00	01:00			
Tue	08:00	01:00			
Wed	08:00	01:00			
Thur	08:00	01:00			
Fri	08:00	01:00			
Sat	08:00	01:00			
Sun	08:00	00:00	Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the supply of alcohol at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5) N/A		

State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as premises supervisor

Name Salman Capti	
Address Flat 45 Mary MacArthur House Warley Street London	
Postcode	E2 0DQ
Personal Licence number (if known) 11511	
Issuing licensing authority (if known) London Borough of Tower Hamlets	

N

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)
 N/A

O

Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 4) N/A
Day	Start	Finish	Non standard timings. Where you intend the premises to be open to the public at different times from those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5) N/A
Mon	08:00	01:00	
Tue	08:00	01:00	
Wed	08:00	01:00	
Thur	08:00	01:00	
Fri	08:00	01:00	
Sat	08:00	01:00	
Sun	08:00	00:00	

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)

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

CCTV shall be installed, operated and maintained in agreement with the Police. The system will enable frontal identification of every person entering the premises. The system shall record in real time and operate whilst the premises are open for licensable activities. The recordings shall be kept available for a minimum of 31 days. Recordings shall be made available to an Authorised Officer or a Police Officer (subject to the Data Protection Act 1998) within 24 hours of any request.

All instances of crime and disorder shall be reported to the police.

An incident book shall be used to record all instances of public disorder.

c) Public safety

All exit routes shall be kept unobstructed, with non-slippery and even surfaces, free of trip hazards and clearly identified.

d) The prevention of public nuisance

Prominent, clear and legible notices must be displayed at all exits requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to leave the premises and the area quietly.

e) The protection of children from harm

To adopt Challenge 21 Policy.

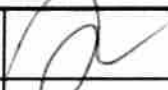
Please tick yes

- I have made or enclosed payment of the fee
- I have enclosed the plan of the premises
- I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable
- I have enclosed the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be premises supervisor, if applicable
- I understand that I must now advertise my application
- I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected

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 – Signatures (please read guidance note 10)

Signature of applicant or applicant’s solicitor or other duly authorised agent (See guidance note 11). **If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.**

Signature	
Date	8 September 2011
Capacity	Authorised Agent

For joint applications signature of 2nd applicant or 2nd 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	
Date	
Capacity	

Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 13)			
Licensing Department NARTS 55 Stoke Newington High Street			
Post town	London	Post code	N16 7XB
Telephone number (if any)	020 8090 0376		
If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail your e-mail address (optional)			
info@act2003.com			

Notes for Guidance

1. Describe the premises. For example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.
2. Where taking place in a building or other structure please tick as appropriate. Indoors may include a tent.
3. For example the type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.
4. For example (but not exclusively), where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.
5. For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.
6. Please give timings in 24 hour clock (e.g. 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.
7. If you wish people to be able to consume alcohol on the premises please tick on, if you wish people to be able to purchase alcohol to consume away from the premises please tick off. If you wish people to be able to do both please tick both.
8. Please give information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises which may give rise to concern in respect of children, regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises, for example (but not exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups, the presence of gaming machines.
9. Please list here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.
10. The application form must be signed.
11. An applicant's agent (for example solicitor) may sign the form on their behalf provided that they have actual authority to do so.
12. Where there is more than one applicant, both applicants or their respective agents must sign the application form.
13. This is the address which we shall use to correspond with you about this application.

Nash, Rosemary

From: Don.Stewart@met.pnn.police.uk
Sent: 13 September 2011 11:43
To: info@narts.org.uk
Cc: Tomashevski, Katie; Nash, Rosemary
Subject: City Supermarket - Police Objection.

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RE: City Supermarket, 190-194 Goswell Road, EC1V 7DT

Islington Police are objecting to the grant of a new premise licence application for City Supermarket, 190-194 Goswell Road, EC1V 7DT

On 22nd August 2011 the premise licence was revoked following a review conducted by Trading Standards. The review was called for following a large seizure of smuggled and counterfeit goods found at the premise on 27th January 2011.

Salaman Capti the proposed DPS and Premise Licence Holder has been involved in the management of the premise since 2008.

The operating schedule offered by the applicant is very poor and fails to address how the management will prevent any future purchases of smuggled or counterfeit occurring.

It is police opinion that this is a blatant attempt by the management/owners of City Supermarket to subvert the review process and we respectfully ask that this application is refused.

Don Stewart PC115NI
Licensing Officer Islington Police

c.c. Islington Council Licensing Team



Bunhill Ward - Alcohol Related Crime: July 2010-June 2011

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It is my belief that this licence application should be refused. If granted it will increase the levels of violence present on the streets of Islington and increase the risk of harm to the community. This area already has a number of licensed premises already in existence. The cumulative effect of these premises is a heavy footfall of persons who are not resident in Islington Borough but who are present between the hours of 8pm and 6am to take advantage of the extremely vibrant night-time economy. There is a direct link between the number of persons in public places who have consumed alcohol and the number of violent assaults that take place in that public place. The number of Police personnel available both in terms of uniform deterrence and investigative capacity is at its lowest between the hours of 11pm and 8am. At a time when both Police resources are being severely squeezed long with the resources available to NHS I would strongly resist increasing the number of persons who have consumed alcohol onto the streets of Islington. I have dwindling resources to deal with the consequences. The average investigation into an allegation of Grievous Bodily Harm costs Islington Police £2000 to investigate. Last year Islington investigated over 350 such crimes. This takes no account of the costs to the NHS. It also takes no account of the thousands of alcohol-related Actual Bodily Harm and Common Assault investigations that are taken on by Islington Police every year. In an area that is already saturated with Licensed Premises it is just not sustainable to keep increasing the number of people on those streets after midnight. No matter how well any establishment is run internally their very business case is based on growing the number of people who end up on the streets of Islington having been drinking. As local public services are already stretched then the inevitable consequence of granting more post-midnight licences is an increase in the number of victims of serious violence. I would ask that the licence application be rejected.

Detective Superintendent Adrian Usher
Islington Police

Reclaim The Night

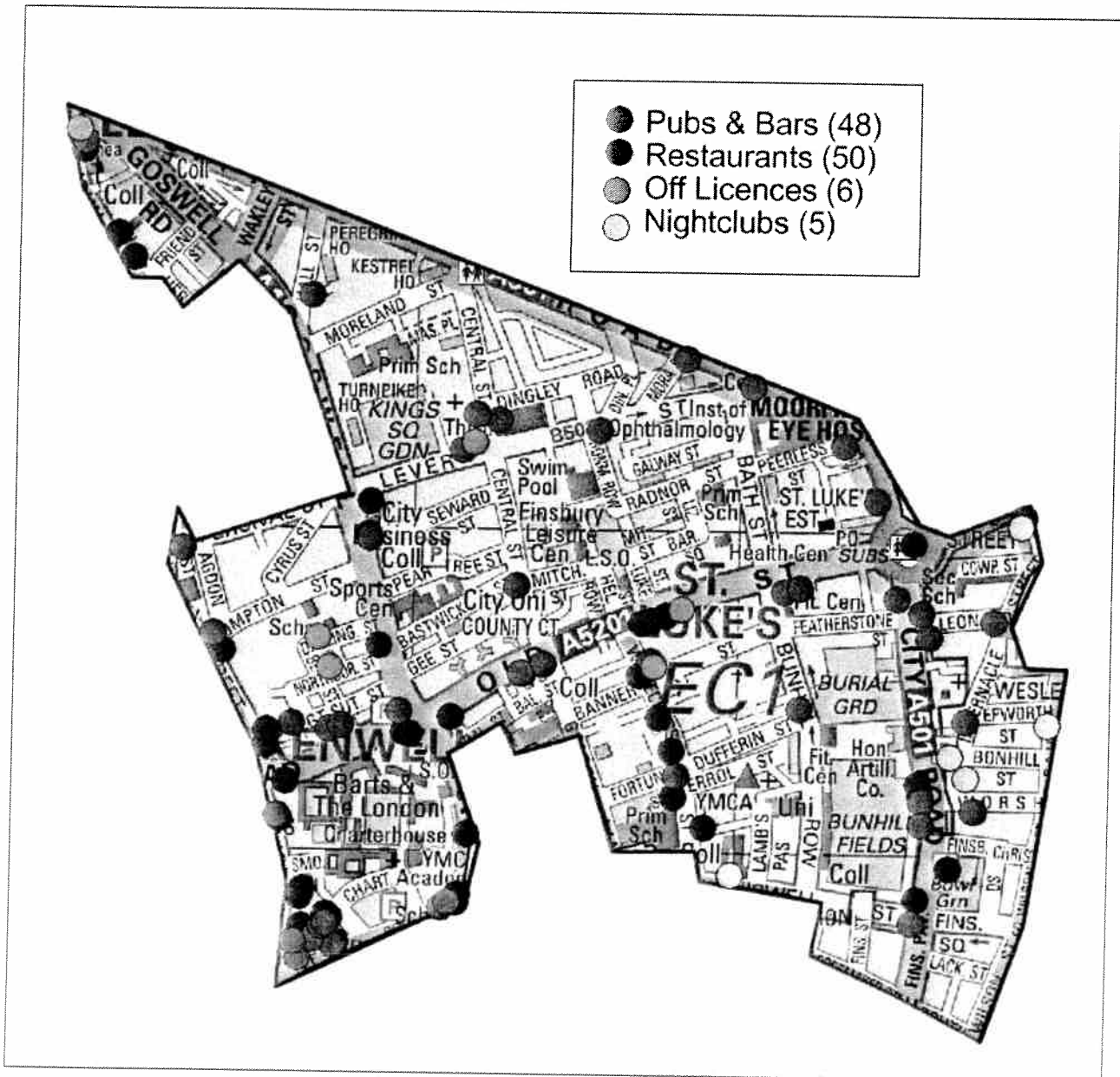
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Licensed Premises in Bunhill

The map below shows locations of licensed premises in Bunhill ward:

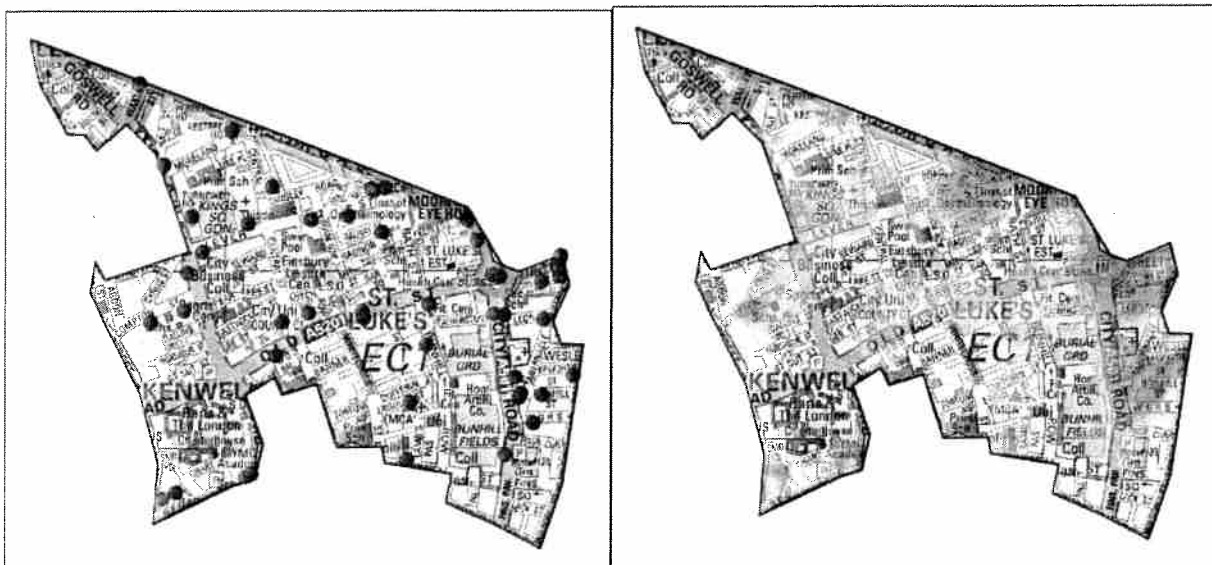


The majority of venues are located in the southern half of the ward. There is a particularly dense cluster in the south-west corner of the ward.



Alcohol Related Violence

The maps and tables below show locations and hotspot areas for alcohol related violent crime offences, and a breakdown of crime types and peak days/times:



The largest hotspot areas can be seen in the eastern part of the ward, especially around parts of City Road and Old Street roundabout. The south-west corner also has two small, but bright hotspots.

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Grand Total
0800-1159				1				1
1200-1559		1						1
1600-1959	2	1		1	2	1		7
2000-2359	3			1	2	4	2	12
0000-0359	3	2	1	1	3	8	10	28
0400-0759	1				1	3	2	7
Grand Total	9	4	1	4	8	16	14	56

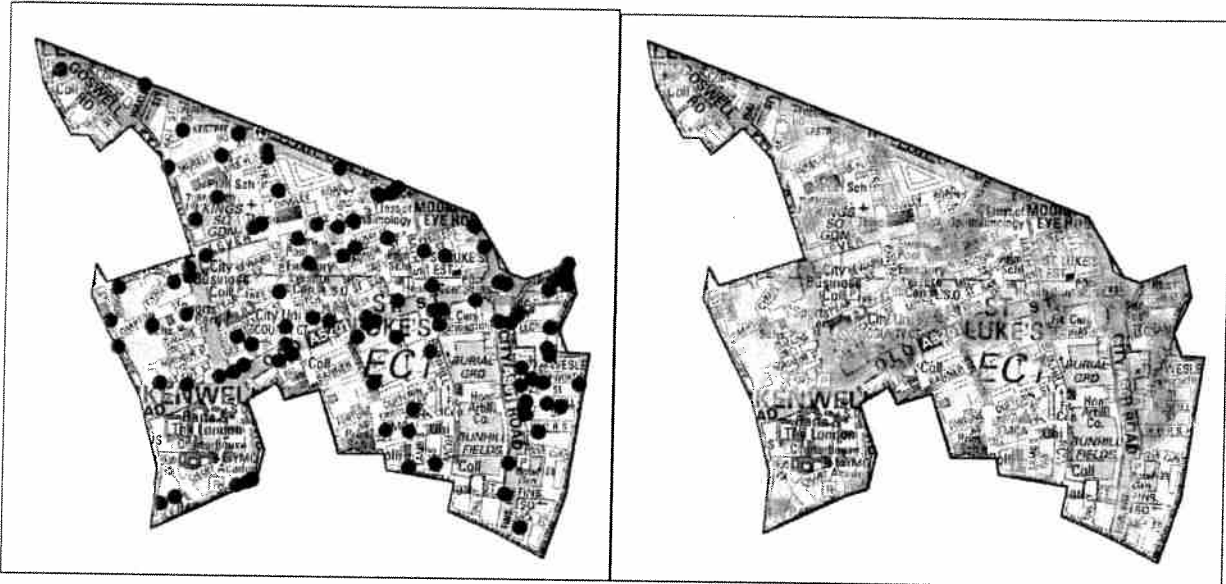
Offence	Total
ABH & M/Wound	23
Common Assault	13
GBH/Wound	6
GBH W/I	5
Race Dis	3
Pub Order S 4	2
Harassment	1
Pub Order S 4a	1
Race Threat	1
Spec Investing	1
Grand Total	56

Saturday-Sunday are the peak days overall, with peak times being between 2000-0400 hours. ABH and common assault are the most frequent types of alcohol violence. Alcohol related violence in Bunhill made up 9.4% of the borough total.



Alcohol Related Crime

The maps and tables below show locations and hotspot areas for all alcohol related crime offences, and a breakdown of crime types and peak days/times:



Most hotspot areas occur along Old Street and to the east of City Road.

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Grand Total
0800-1159				2		3		5
1200-1559	1	4		1	1	2		9
1600-1959	2	3		1	6	3	1	16
2000-2359	4	2	4	4	6	4	4	28
0000-0359	7	4	6	5	8	26	26	85
0400-0759	1			1	1	5	8	16
Grand Total	15	13	10	14	22	43	42	159

Offence	Total
ABH & M/Wound	81
Spec Investing	28
Common Assault	16
GBH/Wound	10
Other theft	9
Rob pers	8
Crim Dam <£500	6
GBH W/I	5
Pos Cocaine	4
Poss Cannabis	4
Pub Order S 4	4
Sex Ass F	4
Burglary Non D	3
Race Dis	3
Shoplift <£200	3
Other offence	21
Grand Total	159

Saturday and Sunday are the busiest days overall, with peak times being between 0000-0400 hours. ABH and spec investing are the most frequent offences. Alcohol related crime in this area made up 9.5% of the borough total.



999 Calls - Alcohol Qualifiers

The tables below show areas of high 999 call activity within Bunhill that include an alcohol qualifier in the report, along with main call types and peak days/times:

CAD Call Type	Total
Rowdy behaviour	23
Violent offence	17
Illness/injury	11
Road related offence	10
Assistance required	9
Concern for safety	5
Suspicious circs	5
Domestic incident	3
Police genrated activity	3
Rowdy neighbours	2
Licensing	2
Civil dispute	2
Robbery	1
Other theft	1
Shoplifting	1
Highway disruption	1
Noise	1
Begging	1
Abandoned call	1
Contact	1
Grand Total	100

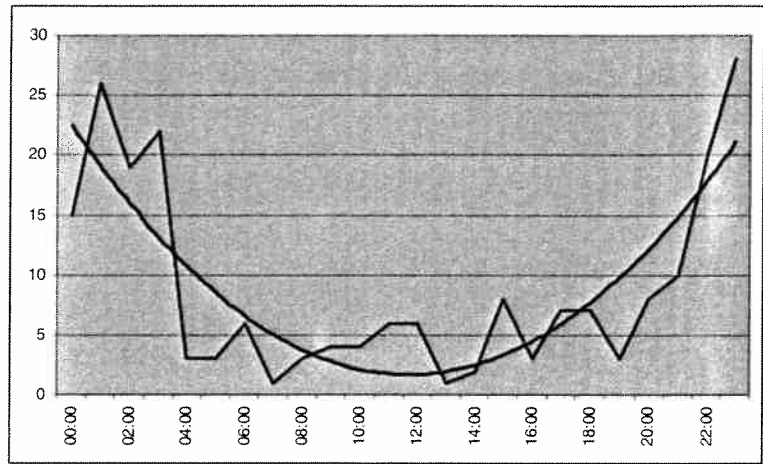
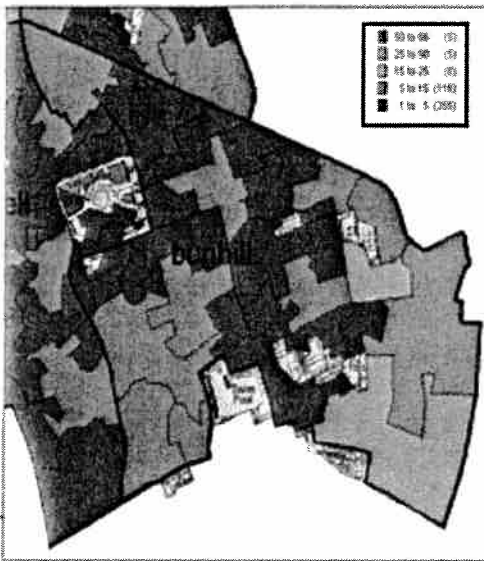
	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Grand Total
0800-1159					3	1	2	6
1200-1559	1	1	1		4	2	1	10
1600-1959		1	1		2	2		6
2000-2359	3	3	2	3	8	5	2	26
0000-0359	4	4	1	3	6	13	10	41
0400-0759		1		1		2	7	11
Grand Total	8	10	5	7	23	25	22	100

Most calls are for rowdy behaviour and violence. Friday-Sunday are the peak days, with peak times between 0000-0400 and 2000 hours. Alcohol related calls in this area made up 8.9% of the borough total overall.



Bunhill Alcohol Issues

London Ambulance data indicates that between July 2010 and June 2010 ambulances were called to 215 incidents in Bunhill Ward where alcohol was noted as a feature. Data mapped according to Super Output Area highlights the vicinity around Old Street Station as a prominent location in the ward for alcohol related attendances.



Temporal data for the ward indicates that alcohol related attendances peaked at 23:00 over the period. The general trend data indicates that call out levels are higher in the evenings.

Outreach

Between July 2010 and June 2011 outreach teams recorded a total of 5 contacts with street drinkers in Bunhill Ward, all of which were concentrated in the vicinity of Old Street.

Bunhill Key Issues

The figures for below highlight some of the key issues linked to alcohol and the night time economy in Bunhill. Offences lists have occurred during the hours of 8pm to 6am between Jul 2010 and June 2011

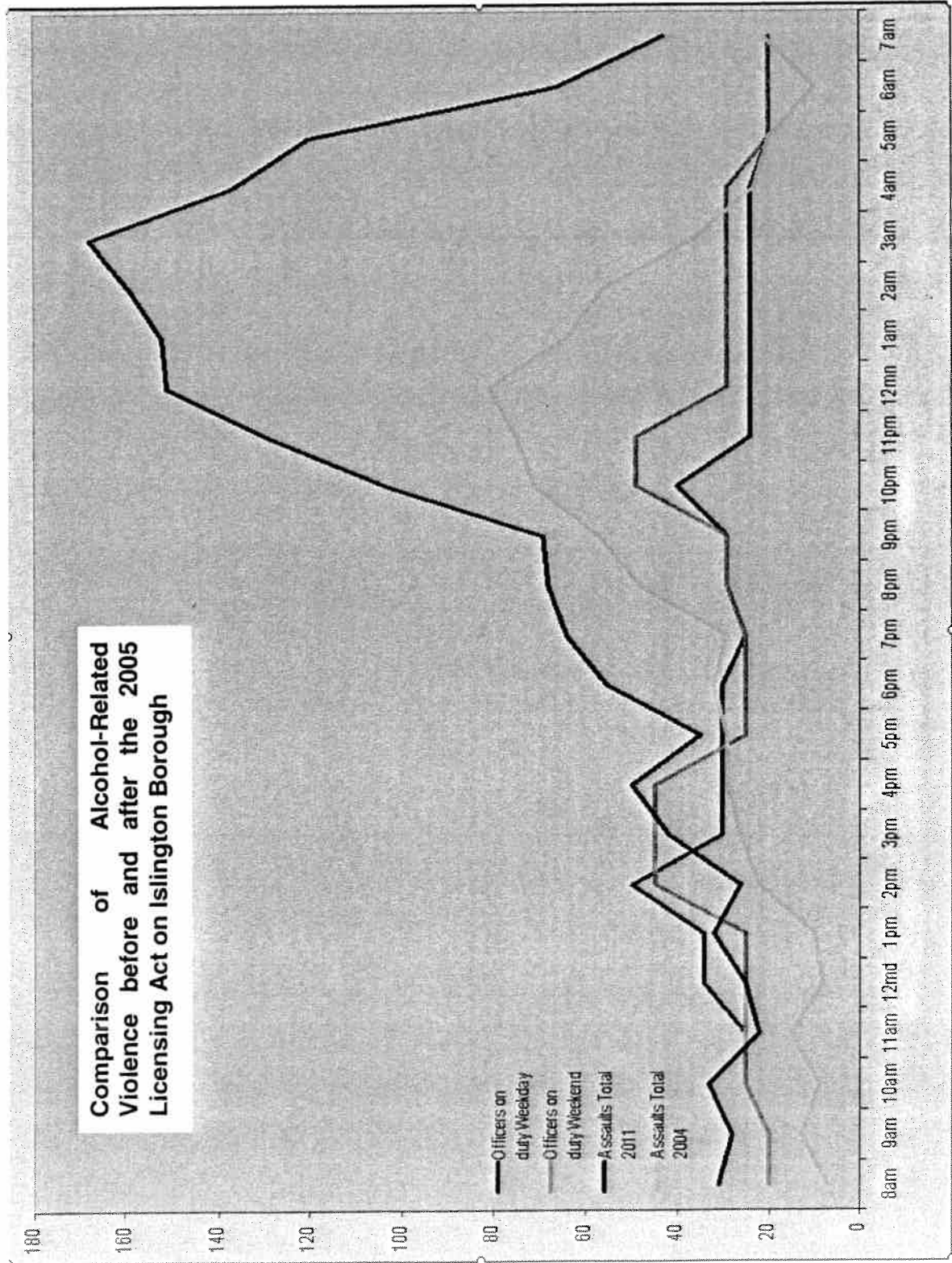
- There are 109 licensed premises already operating in the ward
- There were 178 violent offences, including:
 - 16 GBH
 - 2 Wounding
 - 2 Threats to Kill
- There were 854 property crimes, including 34 personal robberies

Borough Comparison Figures

The figures below show borough wide statistics for alcohol violence, alcohol related offences, and 999 calls with an **alcohol qualifier**. The time period in question is Jul 10 to Jun 11 unless stated:

- There were 602 violent offences involving alcohol
- The borough suffered 1675 crimes with alcohol as a contributing factor
- Police were called to 1119 emergency calls involving alcohol
- There were 2167 violence offences between the hours on 2000-0600
- There were 7240 property crime offences between the hours of 2000-0600
- The London Ambulance Service attended 2311 incidents in Islington between July 2010 and June 2011 where alcohol was recorded as a feature.
- Islington has a known cohort of street drinkers. These individuals often congregate in favoured places such as particular parks or areas of street pavement. Between July 2010 and June 2011 outreach teams recorded a total of 138 contacts with street drinkers across the borough.

Reclaim The Night



Nash, Rosemary

From: Love, Douglas
Sent: 27 September 2011 10:35
To: Licensing; 'info@narts.org.uk'
Subject: City Supermarket, 190-194 Goswell Road, EC1V 7DT - premises licence application

Attachments: Representations.doc



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Dear Sirs,

Please find representations from Trading Standards in respect of the above application.

Regards,

Doug Love
Islington Trading Standards

020 7527 3874



Please reply to: Doug Love

MEMO TO:

**LICENSING TEAM
222 UPPER STREET**

Our Ref:
Your Ref:
Date: 27/09/2011

LICENSING ACT 2003: REPRESENTATIONS BY RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY

City Supermarket, 190-4 Goswell Road, EC1V 7DT

The application for a licence for the above premises has been examined by the Trading Standards Section. I wish to make the following representations as I have concerns over the steps to prevent crime and disorder and to protect children from harm outlined in the application.

1. Enforcement action

1.1 In January 2011 Trading Standards and HMRC officers visited City Supermarket at 190-4 Goswell Road and seized a very large quantity of illicit alcohol (ie. non-duty paid or counterfeit alcohol). Trading Standards applied for a licence review and on 22 August 2011 a Licensing Sub-Committee revoked the premises licence that was in the name of Atay Kasopoglu.

1.2 In September 2006, the licence had been reviewed after the business made two sales of alcohol to underage children. The Sub-Committee hearing the matter added conditions to the licence.

2. Trading Standards' concerns

2.1. At the time of both reviews, we believe the owner of the business was City Supermarkets UK Ltd of which Salman Capti, the applicant, has been a director since 2001. It is our view that as a Director, Mr Capti has to bear some responsibility for the offences committed by the businesses.

2.2. Given the history of the premises and Mr Capti's involvement with the business, we are most concerned to see the lack of detail in the operating schedule. We do not believe that the application provides sufficient evidence of the ability and desire of the applicant to ensure similar offences do not occur in future. If the application is granted in its current format, we believe that the licence review procedure that ended in the revocation of the previous licence will be totally undermined.

2.3. We would expect to see the following added to the application before we could support it being granted:

- Confirmation that the applicant will comply with the conditions (or updated equivalents) added after the review in 2006;
- Confirmation that the applicant will comply with conditions similar to those Trading Standards proposed for adoption;
- A description of management changes in the business that are sufficient to give us confidence there will be legal compliance in future.

3. Proposed steps to prevent crime and disorder and to promote the protection of children from harm

3.1. Trading Standards believes the addition of the following conditions to the licence to reflect current best practice will ensure that the possibility of further sales to minors or supply of smuggled goods is minimised. If the applicant agrees to add these, we believe the first two conditions in 2.2 will be satisfied.

- No alcoholic goods will ever be purchased from sellers calling to the shop.
- The licensee will immediately report to Trading Standards any instance of a caller to the shop attempting to sell alcohol.
- No spirits in re-sealed cases will be purchased.
- Invoices (or copies) for all alcoholic goods on the premises will be kept at the shop and made available to officers from the council, police or HMRC upon request.
- A stock control system will be introduced, so that the licensee can quickly identify where and when alcoholic goods have been purchased.
- An ultra-violet light will be available at the premises for the purpose of checking the UK Duty Stamp on spirits as soon as practical after they have been purchased.
- If any spirits bought by the company have UK Duty Stamps that do not fluoresce under ultra-violet light, or are otherwise suspicious, the licensee shall identify the supplier to Islington Trading Standards and HMRC as soon as possible.
- The licensee shall adopt the Challenge 25, the Retail of Alcohol Standards Group's advice for off-licences.
- The licensee shall ensure that staff are trained about age restricted products and ensure that they sign to confirm that they have understood the training. The licensee shall keep records of training and instruction given to staff.
- The licensee shall put arrangements in place to ensure that before serving alcohol to young persons, staff ask to see accredited proof of age cards for example proof of age cards carrying the 'PASS' logo (and no others), a Passport, or UK Driving Licence bearing the photograph and date of birth of the bearer.
- The licensee shall require staff to note any refusals to sell to young people in a refusals log. The refusals log shall be checked and signed monthly by the designated premises supervisor. The refusals log shall be made available for inspection by the licensing team, police or trading standards.

We believe these representations are specific and proportionate to the known trading characteristics of this retail sector and are consistent with the Islington Council Statement of Licensing Policies 32 and 39.

Doug Love
Principal Consumer Services Officer

Suggested conditions of approval consistent with the operating schedule

1. CCTV shall be installed, operated and maintained in agreement with the Police. The system will enable frontal identification of every person entering the premises. The system shall record in real time and operate whilst the premises are open for licensable activities. The recordings shall be kept available for a minimum of 31 days. Recordings shall be made available to an Authorised Officer or a Police Officer.
2. All instances of crime and disorder shall be reported to the police.
3. An incident book shall be used to record all instances of public disorder.
4. All exit routes shall be kept unobstructed, with non-slippery and even surfaces, free of trip hazards clearly identified.
5. The licensee shall adopt the Challenge 21 and the BII National Standards Proof of Age Scheme

Conditions of approval recommended by Noise Team (accepted)

6. No deliveries will take place on Sunday or Bank Holidays and between the hours of 22:00 and 07:00 other days of the week.
7. No rubbish including bottles will be moved, removed or placed in outside areas on Sundays or Bank Holidays and between the hours of 22:00 and 07:00 other days of the week.
8. Prominent, clear and legible notices shall be displayed at all exits requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to leave the premises and the area quietly.

Conditions of approval recommended by Health & Safety (accepted)

9. The premises shall not be used under the licence until the requirements specified in the schedule dated 4 October 2011 have been completed and approved in writing by the responsible authority for health and public safety.

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