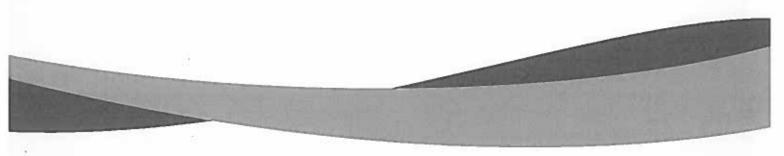


# Environment & Regeneration Municipal Office, 222 Upper Street, London, N1 1XR

# Report of: Service Director, Public Protection

Meeting of	Date	Agenda Item	Ward(s)
•	22 May 2017		Bunhill
Licensing Sub-Committee			

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Subject:

PREMISES LICENCE NEW APPLICATION
LOST RIVERS CAFE, GROUND FLOOR, 122 OLD STREET, LONDON EC1M 9RD

# 1. Synopsis

- 1.1 This is an application for a new premise licence under the Licensing Act 2003.
- 1.2 The new application is to:
  - I. Supply alcohol for consumption both on and off the premises from 11:00 until Midnight Sunday to Thursday and from 11:00 to 01:00 Friday and Saturday;
  - II. The provision of recorded music and live music from 23:00 until Midnight Monday to Thursday and from 23:00 to 01:00 Friday and Saturday;
  - III. Provision of late night refreshment 23:00 until Midnight Monday to Thursday and from 23:00 to 01:00 Friday and Saturday;
  - IV. Opening hours of the premises from 08:00 to 00:30 Sunday to Thursday and from 08:00 to 01:30 Friday and Saturday.

# 2. Relevant Representations

Licensing Authority	Yes
Metropolitan Police	No

Noise	No - Conditions agreed
Health and Safety	No
Trading Standards	No
Public Health	No
Safeguarding Children	No
London Fire Brigade	No
Local residents	Yes – 2 Local Resident
Other bodies	Yes - TMO with petition signed by 31 residents

# 3. Background

3.1 Papers are attached as follows:-

Appendix 1:

application form;

Appendix 2:

representations;

Appendix 3:

suggested conditions and map of premises location.

3.2 The premises is currently unlicensed.

# 4. Planning Implications

4.1 No adverse observations have been received from Planning regarding this new application.

# 5 Recommendations

- 5.1 To determine the application for a new premises licence under Section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003.
- 5.2 To consider that this address is in the Bunhill Saturation or "Cumulative Impact Policy" of Islington. This special policy creates a rebuttable presumption that applications for new premises licences, club premises certificates, or variation applications that are likely to add to the existing cumulative impact will normally be refused, unless the applicant can demonstrate why the operation of the premises involved will not add to the cumulative impact or otherwise impact adversely on the promotion of the licensing objectives.
- 5.3 If the Committee grants the application it should be subject to:
  - conditions prepared by the Licensing Officer which are consistent with the Operating Schedule (see appendix 4)
  - ii. any conditions deemed appropriate by the Committee to promote the four licensing objectives.(see appendix 4)

#### 6 Conclusion and reasons for recommendations

6.1 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 as appropriate 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

Date 1//5//7

Received by

Head of Scrutiny and Democratic Services

Date

Report author: Licensing Service

Tel: 020 75027 3031

E-mail: licensing@islington.gov.uk



please complete section (B)

# 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 LRB Old Street Ltd (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 Lost Rivers Café, Canto Court, 122 Old Street. London Postcode EC1M 9BD Post town Telephone number at premises (if any) None yet Non-domestic rateable value of premises Part 2 - Applicant Details Please state whether you are applying for a premises licence as Please tick as appropriate an individual or individuals \* please complete section (A) a) a person other than an individual \* b) X please complete section (B) i. as a limited company as a partnership П ii. please complete section (B) as an unincorporated association or please complete section (B) other (for example a statutory corporation) please complete section (B) c) a recognised club please complete section (B)

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Address 26 Herons Gate Trading Esta	te. Paycocke Road, B	Basildon, Esse	x. SS14 3EU	
Registered number (where ap 10072866	plicable)			
Description of applicant (for Private Ltd Company	example, partnership	, company, ui	incorporated associa	ation etc.)
Telephone number (if any) 07753 689 132 – Nick Bolan	d			
E-mail address (optional) nick.boland@lostriversbrewe	ery.com	<del></del>		_

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Please give a general description of the premises (please read guidance note 1)

The Lost Rivers Brewing Co. is extremely excited at the opportunity to open at this site. Our experience and knowledge fits perfectly with what should be achieved to compliment the continuing re-generation of the Bunhill Cumulative Impact Area providing a hub for the local workers and residents alike. Lost Rivers aim to deliver a high end seven days per week operation. Offering quality café style food during the day and more substantial seasonal dishes in the evenings. We will serve a good range of drinks, with a focus being on our own Lost Rivers Craft Brews. On occasion offering entertainment in the form of small live bands or DJ's varying from 'vinyl only' through to 'Disco Funk' and some more modern music offerings. We champion local talent and will consider any sensible proposal from budding locals. Our quality, pricing and entertainment policies attract a more mature or affluent socialiser especially in the real beer enthusiast sector of the market.

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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 hox E)		

f)	recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)	Y
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 late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box I)

 $\underline{\textbf{Supply of alcohol}} \text{ (if ticking yes, fill in box J)}$ 

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In all cases complete boxes K, L and M

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

Name Nicholas Jame	es Boland	(G)		
Address				
Postcode			 	
Personal licen	ce number (if known)	·		
Issuing licensi Lambeth	ng 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).

None

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

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

The licensing objectives will be met through, training the managers, leading to the understanding of the regulations and the processes needed to be followed to uphold them.

A tailored site operational pack will set out the processes to be adhered to which will contain the licence granted and best practice for compliance

Any staff who do not hold a Personal License will sign a document that proves that they have read and understood the licensing objectives fully. This record will part of the induction for the staff member and records available for examination upon request.

# b) The prevention of crime and disorder

The engagement of SIA door staff on Friday and Saturday, when the venue is open after midnight with one doorperson per 100 guests, as recommended by Islington Police.

CCTV system that is capable of gaining clear head shots at the entry/exit points. 31 days of records and a capable operator in site when open

## c) Public safety

The capacity is set to 150 guests, there are three points of exit of suitable size. Details of all sensors etc are on the fire strategy plan. Full Fire Risk Assessment due at the end of the build Information has been requested to prove that the back exit of the venue can be used as a fire exit as guests can exit to the street from this point

The procedure to be followed in the event of fire is clearly stated in our internal policy document

The indented front part of the site is ideal for any emergency vehicle access

The General Manager of the site to join the local pub watch scheme

We will send the appropriate amount of people on Fire Marshal and First Aid courses

The site will have a unique Guest Dispersal Plan for effective disbanding of the guests with minimal nuisance caused to the local vicinity

Files of routine checks on equipment will be available for viewing

For food H&S we will employ Food Alert to ensure standards are upheld

# d) The prevention of public nuisance

The adherence to all the recommendations from the Public Protection Division document – can I put this as whole or do I need to cherry pick some points for this section Training the management to be aware and sympathetic to the residential neighbours Beverages for offsite consumption shall only be in suitable sealed receptacles

e) The protection o	of children from harm	
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Capacity				::
Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 13) Bermondsey Yard Café 40 Bermondsey Street				
Post town	London	Pos	stcode	SE1 3UD
Telephone number (if any)				
If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail, your e-mail address (optional)				

# **Notes for Guidance**

- 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 offsupplies, 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 the premises'. If you wish people to be able to purchase alcohol to consume away from the premises, please tick 'off the premises'. 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 seminudity, films for restricted age groups or 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, each of the applicant or their respective agent must sign the application form.
- 13. This is the address which we shall use to correspond with you about this application.



# **Operational and Security Plan**

**Venue: LOST RIVERS OLD STREET** 

LRB OLD STREET LTD T/A LOST RIVERS CAFE. CANTO COURT.

122 OLD STREET, EC1M 9BD

Introduction

HISTORY | BEER | CULTURE

The Lost Rivers Brewing Co. is shaking up the brewing world as it enters the mainstream. Already leaving our mark in some of London's best loved establishments, we are now creating our own quality ales such as the Walbrook, Neckinger and Silk Stream, named after London's 'lost rivers' hence the name 'The Lost Rivers Brewing Co'. As well as focusing on the brewing world and quality retail outlets we aim to align the company as whole with some of the most influential performing artists, creatives, urban athletes and musicians via festivals, exhibitions and major cultural events. The Lost Rivers Brewing Co. is the brainchild of three friends who wanted to revolt against the bigger beer 'factories' and create a whole new drinking culture. In a light-bulb moment they united their own individual companies (Convive and London Cellar) plus over 50 years' experience in the brewing world to form The Lost Rivers Brewing Co. and offer a complete brewing, distribution and retail solution. We are proud to be different. Our philosophy is that drinking should not solely be about the ales but also about the experience. We want the Lost Rivers Brewing Co. to be a cultural experience, a brand which is the coolest on the market and relevant to everyone...historians, beer lovers and culture vultures alike. Everything we do, say, report, print, type should reflect this vision it's our identity. Our DNA that can be applied to all developments - if it does not fit our DNA we don't do it!



#### The Venue

The Lost Rivers Brewing Co. is extremely excited at the opportunity to open at this site. Our experience and knowledge fits perfectly with what should be achieved to compliment the continuing re-generation of the Bunhill Cumulative Impact Area providing a hub for the locals. Lost Rivers aim to deliver a high end seven days per week operation. Offering quality cafe style food during the day and more substantial seasonal dishes in the evenings, a good range of drinks but with the focus being on our own Lost Rivers Craft Brews and offering entertainment in the form of small live bands, DJ's varying from 'vinyl only' through to Disco Funk and some more modern music offerings. We champion local talent and will consider any sensible proposal from budding locals.

#### **DESCRIPTION OF VENUE**

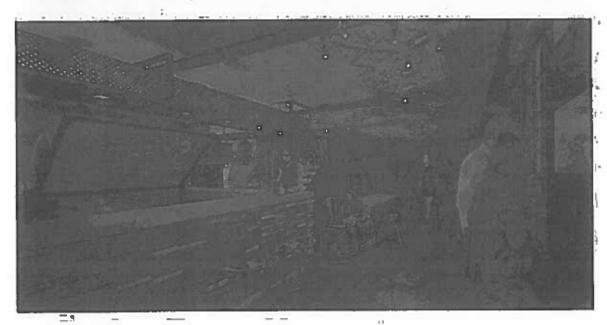
We plan to mimic the successful and trouble free ethos of The Bermondsey Yard Café (BYC), one of our sites near to London Bridge. We are fully aware that each site is different. The operation and processes skeleton remains the same throughout all our venues, but they have to be completely sympathetic to the local environment. The demographic that enjoys the food, drink and music mix offered at BYC is unusually tight and results in a great crowd which may be deemed as respectable socialisers.

Contributing factors to this desirable clientele profile include:

- Suitably priced beverages using quality brands with no offers nor discounts applied
- Carefully picked and trained staff that set a high standard for the general ambiance and are trained to watch for any potential undesirable situations
- Suitable music choice for a slightly more mature crowd
- High quality and suitably priced food offerings
- Internal event concepts based our craft beer brews, typically drawing a calmer crowd
- Smart, clean, well run and high quality venue







Please refer to site plans Appendix 1 and 1A for the layout of the venue

Lost Rivers intend to accommodate seasonal, corporate and private party packages, comedy nights, poetry and spoken word, musicians and networking events in addition to our day to day service.



#### **Opening Dates & Times**

We would like to start trading mid March 2017.

The venue will operate seven days a week in accordance with the following opening hours:

Monday

Thursday

08.00hrs - 00.00hrs

Friday

08.00hrs - 01.00hrs

Saturday

10.00hrs - 01.00hrs

Sunday

10.00hrs - 23:00hrs

Any special event hours will be covered by TEN's

#### Capacity

We see the maximum capacity of the venue being 350. This would be for a private standing event. In usual operation with the high level of tables and food service we would estimate that 200 pax would be likely. This will be confirmed further into the build and the external Fire Risk Assessment is completed. This would include the occupancy of the small outside area between the venue and the concierge office of the residential part of Canto Court.

**Daily Venue Operation** 

**Patron Access** 

On Arrival

The general public will enter from the front doors on Old Street. In the Summer months, it is likely that the door that opens onto the small front court yard will be in use too.

**Ordering** 

Patrons can order both their drinks and food from the bar staff directly and we will provide table service too depending on the section.



# Delivery of Food / Clearing of Tables

The guests will have their food delivered to their table. We employ a 'Seven Steps' steps service which ensures that the guest receives a fantastic service whilst allowing the server to use their individual personality to enhance the experience

#### Local Unemployed Involvement

We would like to hold at least one Front of House and one Back of House (and more in the future) apprentice schemes for local unemployed people. Following the ethos of, the now sadly gone, Training for Life / Hoxton Apprentice. The scheme will involve a set term of paid training and support so the apprentice can leave Lost Rivers with a full hospitality skill set to find future full time employment.

#### Management Operational Checklist

- Alcohol may be purchased from the bar for consumption within the venue but will only be permitted to be removed from the site if in a suitable and securely sealed container
- The duty manager will manage the ingress and egress point to ensure that alcohol is neither brought onto site, nor removed from the premises unless in appropriate packaging. For off sales, we envisage patrons removing our Lost Rivers brews for enjoyment at home
- Patrons wishing to purchase alcohol will be subject to UK licensing laws and the restrictions of the license from Islington Council. The bar staff will be briefed to properly scrutinise patrons who do not look to be over the age of 25 years. If required, patrons will need to show proper 'Proof of Age' identification to satisfy the bar staff before being permitted to purchase alcohol.
- This also falls into our Mystery Shopper programme, highlighting age aware procedures
- Patrons who do not have acceptable proof-of-age will be refused service, and their details logged in the refusal log. This will be kept behind the bar for any inspections
- There will always be a Duty or General Manger on duty during any opening times
- > We display Challenge 25 Posters on the bar
- All beverages will be opened for onsite consumption
- Offsite consumption shall only be in receptacles that require a tool such as bottle opener or corkscrew to open



- Low alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages will be available
- If any patron is identified by the bar staff as exhibiting signs of intoxication, staff will firstly refuse service of alcohol and will then refer the person to the Duty Manager. Any person deemed by staff or security to be intoxicated or affected by other substances will, subject to Duty of Care responsibilities, be removed from the licensed premises
- If a patron is removed from the premises, the Duty Manger will confirm if the patron is with friends / family accompanying them. If so the Duty Manager will confirm if they have safe transport (taxi / public transport / private car with non-drinking driver) organised to their home
- > The house rules will be posted at the entrance to the venue, back of house areas and behind the bar
- All liquor serving staff and other key employees will have signed the appropriate paperwork which proves their understanding of challenge 25, the licencing objectives and if not a license holder themselves then will have signed the DPS permission form. All available behind the bar for inspections
- Patrons will be encouraged to match food with their alcohol purchase via the wait staff, venue host, bar staff, bar manager and the Site Manager
- Patrons will be encouraged to drink water free of charge
- Non alcoholic items will be displayed on menus, menu boards and on any table signage
- Lost Rivers has a zero tolerance policy on drugs. Any person suspected to be under the influence of drugs, distributing or taking drugs will be ejected from the venue and reported to police. The bathrooms are to be well lit and staff will perform regular bathroom sweeps, with hourly sign sheets
- If a person is under the influence of drugs and requires assistance, the Duty Manager will call for medical assistance. They will also advise and assist in directing patrons under the influence of drugs to a safe passage home
- Details of taxi ranks and all public transport options will be provided and the post code clearly displayed for Uber users
- All incidents will be recorded and kept on file in the venue office



# Security

as per the pending licence requirements

**Security Guards** 

During the evenings of Friday, Saturday and during events increased security will be employed in direct correlation with the number of guests – please refer to Appendix 3

Whilst we are in the application part of the license – we anticipate the need for security guards on Friday and Saturday nights if we serve past midnight

Respect, courtesy and dignity are the standards by which patrons will be dealt with whilst on our premises. Whilst keeping this in mind, all staff including security will be mindful of refusing service and/or entry to any patron who displays any signs of intoxication, cannot prove their age or is generally unruly

All liquor serving staff employed at the site will be a licence holder or have signed the previously mentioned paperwork. That all staff involved in the sale of alcohol are trained in their responsibilities under the licensing act 2003 and training records to be kept and updated every six months and shall, upon request, be made immediately available to Officers of the Police and the Council.

#### CCTV

We will have a fully functional multi camera system to satisfy the section of the licence require that: (Please refer to Appendix 3 and 3a for full details)

- > That a CCTV system be installed at the premises and be maintained in good working order and be continually recording at all times the premises are in use under the licence
- > The CCTV System must be capable of capturing a clear facial image of every person who enters the licenced area and all areas used for licensable activities.
- All CCTV footage be kept for a period of 31 days and shall on request be made immediately available to officers of the police and the council. There will be at least one person on duty at all times that is familiar with the operation of the CCTV and able to download the footage upon request



We are undertaking several measures to ensure the safety of patrons, security of the site and surrounding environment:

- Clicker for venue capacity count during the busier times
- Camera surveillance within the venue
- Adhering to house policy always for all patrons & staff
- Queue policy, limiting the number of patrons and providing venue host assistance to keep patrons informed of wait times
- Venue entrance / exit brightly lit

#### **House Rules**

The Management of Lost Rivers Canto Court promote the enjoyment of patrons and our community by enforcing the following House Rules:

- Management reserves the right to cease the sale of any product at any time
- Anyone deemed to be intoxicated will not be admitted to the venue, or provided service
- Management reserves the right to limit alcohol purchase to one drink per person on any occasion
- Persons caught vandalising or causing damage to the venue or surrounding areas will be referred to the Police
- Any persons found stealing will be referred to the police and barred from the venue
- > Soliciting or campaigning for political purposes shall not be permitted within the venue
- Persons who in the opinion of staff and security are found to be harassing other patrons will be asked to leave the venue
- Soliciting business, marketing or campaigning, is not permitted within the venue unless a pre-organised trade event
- The venue has a zero tolerance policy on drugs anyone suspected to be in the possession, under the influence or distributing drugs will be asked to leave immediately and maybe referred to police

# **Staff Training**

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# Licencing Objectives and Expectations to be Upheld

- The prevention of crime and disorder
- > Public safety
- > The prevention of public nuisance
- The protection of children from harm

At no time will any person exhibiting any of the following, be admitted into, or served in the venue:

- > is intoxicated
- is aggressive, quarrelsome or disorderly
- > is, or is suspected of being, under the influence of any illicit substance
- is, or is suspected of being, in possession of any illicit substance
- > Sound pollution training and instruction of every internal employee and external contractor, to be signed off and available for examination

## **Consider Our Neighbours**

Lost Rivers Canto Court will ask that patrons please leave the venue and surrounding area clean and with minimal noise. Patrons who make excessive noise, loiter or otherwise disrupt the good order of the neighbourhood will be referred to police. Signs will be posted upon points of exit.

Management and staff will regularly monitor inside and outside the premises (particularly the immediate surrounds) with an aim to prevent patrons loitering in the area as well as taking action to minimise noise and anti-social behaviour.

Please refer to the Dispersal Plan - To follow

Additional general security procedures are as follows:

- > Management will not permit any over intoxicated person to enter the premises and will bring to the notice of the Manager or Licensee any persons on the premises who might be considered to be intoxicated.
- > Staff will collect any rubbish on the footpath immediately outside the premises that may be associated with the premises during all opening hours and at the close of the trading period.



- Digital recordings from CCTV cameras shall be kept for 31 days and a copy shall be made available to the Police or special inspector within 24 hours after receipt of a written request for access to them. Access shall be immediately granted to police to view CCTV.
- Signage will be installed to remind customers to minimise their noise as they leave the premises with respect to nearby residents, and if required management will ask people to leave the premises in a quiet and orderly manner.
- If required management and staff will contact and cooperate with the Police and Islington Council
- Small clusters of guests might typically be experienced outside as people leave the premises and congregate in groups. The control of small crowds will require management and staff to regularly monitor the situation and act as necessary e.g. requesting customers to keep the noise at an appropriate level and if necessary asking people to move along. Staff will also ensure that the pavements are kept free of people.
- Groups of people might typically be experienced at peak periods such as lunchtime trade or dinner service particularly when leaving the premises. The supervision of these groups will require management and staff to regularly monitor the situation and act as necessary e.g. requesting customers to keep the noise at an appropriate level and if necessary asking people to move along. Staff will also ensure that circulation paths are kept free of people.

#### Transport

A variety of public transport is available to patrons in the immediate vicinity. Old Street and Barbican underground stations are within just a few minutes' walk and many bus routes run along Old Street.

The signs on the exits will display the venue post code for Uber users.

# Noise Management Plan and Procedures

These measures will be taken to manage the noise:

- Lost Rivers Canto Court will comply with the noise conditions applied by Council please refer to Anne Bothers' representation – Appendix 2/2a.
- An appropriate sound limiting device shall be installed, set and maintained, to ensure the maximum levels of volume and bass of music, song or speech from live music or licensed



entertainment permitted by the amplification system, does not cause a public nuisance near the premises or intrude inside the nearest or most exposed noise sensitive premises

- > Special attention will be applied to ensure no distress is caused to those who reside on the opposite side of Old Street
- The limiter will be tamperproof from the front and locked in secure cabinet
- Any change to the equipment involved in the amplification, broadcast or limiting of sound from licensed entertainment shall be notified in advance to the Environmental Health Responsible Authority. Following any such change, the sound limiter/s shall be re-set, in conjunction with a qualified sound engineer, to ensure that any music, speech or song from live music or licensed entertainment does not cause a public nuisance in the vicinity of the premises or intrude inside the nearest or most exposed noise sensitive premises
- > That the sound limiting device shall be maintained at the set level there-after
- All amplified audio and musical equipment used in the premises, permitted under the Licensing Act 2003 or the Live Music Act 2012, shall be played through the installed sound limiting device
- Suitably qualified or experienced persons shall be available whilst the live entertainment is being provided, and shall take all reasonable steps to ensure that patrons do not cause a nuisance near the premises
- > Lost Rivers is very aware that the area is densely populated with business and residential properties. Part of our company ethos is to be considerate to our neighbours
- When live music or licensed entertainment is being provided the premises' management shall carry out regular checks to monitor the sound level at the closest noise sensitive location(s) to the premises and shall ensure that the sound level of the entertainment does not cause a public nuisance in the vicinity of the premises at the/those location(s)
- Any background music played shall remain at a volume that permits normal conversation and that the volume control of any music is behind the bar/counter and is in the full control of staff at all times
- Patrons will be directed away from the local residential buildings to transport points and asked to respect surrounding businesses when leaving by venue staff and security. See Dispersion Plan
- > The premises we do not anticipate the venue to generate any offensive noise
- > Loitering and antisocial behaviour will be discouraged and monitored by management and staff which will assist in mitigating any potential internal and external noise impacts on surrounding properties. At close of business, at least one staff member will actively monitor



the exit points and adjoining area to encourage patrons to disperse from the immediate area as swiftly as possible

#### Waste

We intend to use a zero land fill company who recycle the maximum amount of waste

Recycling, low carbon foot prints and respect for the environment is paramount to Lost Rivers

The waste generated from Canto Court will be placed directly in our bin, in the secure bin store for collection by the allocated waste company. The collections will not occur between midnight and 07.00hrs as stipulated in Appendix 3a

#### Cleaning

Cleaning of the premises will be undertaken daily by our normal cleaning company who service over 180 leisure outlets every day and will involve removal of litter, breakages, stains and clean the bathrooms

#### **Emergency & Evacuation Procedures**

All Emergency and evacuations will be managed by the Lost Rivers staff. These staff will direct all patrons and to the clearly marked fire exits.

The following plans will be put in place in case of any emergency of evacuation required at Lost Rivers Canto Court:

#### Evacuation

In case of an evacuation:

- Music will be turned off
- The lighting will be turned up.
- The bar and kitchen will cease trade
- All kitchen and bar equipment will be turned off
- The Duty Manager will announce "Ladies & Gentleman can you please move to the door immediately in a calm manner, we have been asked to evacuate the building"
- The Duty Manager will call emergency services if required



- > The Duty Manager and staff will point patrons to the evacuation point
- The most senior chef will check the office, kitchen and floor to make sure everyone has left the venue
- The most senior chef will check the bathrooms to make sure they are clear.
- > The Duty Manager will direct emergency services when on site.

#### **Evacuation Point**

# For an evacuation, patrons will be asked to proceed to the great immediately TBC. NBTO FIND OUT WHERE THE GURRENT MUSTER POINT IS

## First Aid Kits

Located behind the bar, in the office and one including a burns pack in the kitchen

#### **Staff Training**

Staff will be taken through an induction with a geography of the building including fire extinguishers, escape routes, fire evacuation and medical emergency drill prior to their employment

Our standard employment contracts include a check list of the basic training points

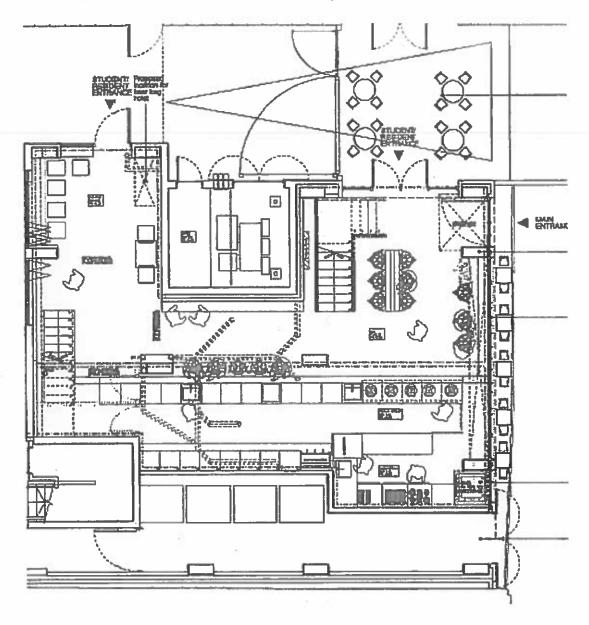
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The construction of the apprentice modules will commence soon, after talks with the Job Centre on how we can best benefit the applicants



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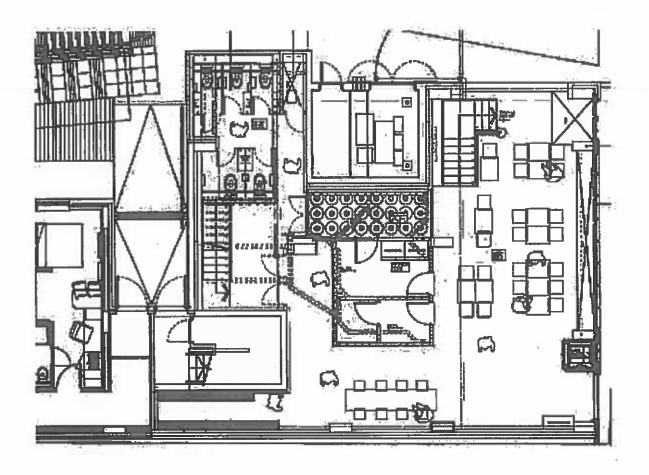
# **Ground Floor Layout**





Appendix 1a

First Floor Layout





#### Appendix 2



# Islington Licensing Authority Licensing Act 2003

#### REPRESENTATION FORM FROM RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES

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Job Title	Notes	Listeon Officer
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Please ratum this form along with any additional sheets to: Licensing Support Team, Public Protection, 222 Upper Street, London N1 1XR or email to feensing @islandon.gov.uk

This form must be returned within the Statutory Period. For more details please check with the Licensing Support Team on 020 7527 3031

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#### Appendix 3a

CCTV shall be installed, operated and maintained, at all times that the premises is open for licensable activities, so as to comply with the following criteria:

The licensee will ensure that the system is checked every two weeks to ensure that the system is working properly and that the date and time are correct. A record of these checks, showing the date and name of the person checking, shall be kept and made available to Police or authorised Council officers on request;

The Police must be informed if the system will not be operating for longer than one day of business for any reason;

One camera will show a close-up of the entrance to the premises, to capture a clear, full length image of anyone entering;

The system will provide coverage of any exterior part of the premises accessible to the public;

The system shall record in real time and recordings will be date and time stamped;

Recordings will be kept for a minimum of 31 days and downloaded footage will be provided free of charge to Police or authorised Council officers on request (subject to the Data Protection Act 1998) within 24 hours of any request; &

At all times, there will be a person on the premises who can operate the system sufficiently to allow Police or authorised Council officers to view footage on request.



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In the event that a serious assault is committed on the premises (or appears to have been committed) the management will immediately ensure that:

- (a) The police (and, where appropriate, the London Ambulance Service) are called without delay;
- (b) All measures that are reasonably practicable are taken to apprehend any suspects pending the arrival of the police;
- (c) The crime scene is preserved so as to enable a full forensic investigation to be carried out by the police: and
- (d) Such other measures are taken (as appropriate) to fully protect the safety of all persons present on the premises.

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#### Licensing Act 2003 representation pro-forma

Should you wish to comment on the licence application please use this form to help you. Please feel free to attach additional sheets.

You do not have to make any comment, and comments may be made in support of as well as against the application, providing they refer to one or more of the licensing objectives (please see the guidance notes for further advice).

Premises Name and address	Lost Rivers Cafe, 122 Old Street, London, EC1M 9RD	
Your Name:		
Interest: Residents and business		
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Your Address:		
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Please comment on the licensing objectives below relevant to your concerns or observations, you may also wish to include suggestions how your concerns could be addressed:

#### **Public Nuisance**

The Islington Cumulative Impact Area exists as a result of the increase of noise and disturbance from premises such as the one proposed here. The supply of alcohol on and off the premises and playing of recorded music until midnight Sun – Thurs and 0100 on Fri –Sat is not in line with other local café/restaurants, posing a definite risk of late night noise interrupting local residents. The property is adjacent to Royley House, opposite Old Street Redbrick estate and it backs onto Coltash Court and Gillette Court, all residential, together with other individual flats and accommodation above commercial premises around this point. There is also a tendency for the customers to congregate noisily in the street especially after closing, effectively stretching the time frame proposed. Other establishments in the area have effective outdoor 'curfews' at 10.00 pm which curb outdoor, off premises use fairly effectively and do help to keep the peace.

The application for the one and two hour provision of late night "refreshment" does not sound like a café/restaurant operation but a straightforward drinking establishment with all the attendant trouble.

#### Crime and Disorder

As this appears to be a late drinking establishment, the customary problems of loud and inconsiderate behaviour, aggression, broken glass, urination in nearby doorways etc., will be the usual outcome we have come to dread and object strongly to.

Previously Islington Police have reported the area as having the second highest alcohol related crime in London, view it as a 'saturation zone and purport to resist the expansion of licenced trade in the neighbourhood.'



# Protection of Children from Harm

#### **Public Safety**

If the proposed off-premises application is granted, we are concerned that tables and chairs, cordoned barriers etc or groups of standing drinkers and/or smokers, will crowd the busy pavement access in Old Street to the detriment of ordinary pedestrians, the elderly, wheelchair users and blind people negotiating these hazards. Any accidental step off the pavement onto the road with its heavy traffic flow and current multitude of cyclists moving close by the kerb could easily result in fatality.

1 wish my identity to be kept anonymous XXX/No -

We will treat representations as anonymous where there is a genuine reason to do so; if you wish your name and address details to be withheld then please explain the reason:

Copies of this representation will be sent to the applicant, or their agent/solicitor, including name and address details (but other personal contact information such as telephone numbers and email addresses will be removed) unless you have specifically requested anonymity. Copies of this representation will be included in a report that will be available to the public and will be published on the internet; however the published on-line version of the report will have name and address details removed.

Signature

Date 20 Malula 2013

Please ensure name and address details completed above

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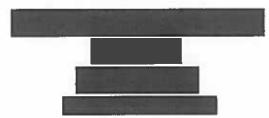
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Licensing Support Team Public Protection 222 Upper Street London N1 1XR

20th March 2017

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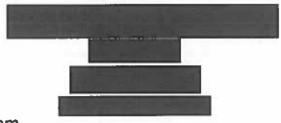
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Yours faithfully



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#### Licensing Act 2003

#### **Licensing Authority Representation**

#### New Premises Licence Application:

#### Lost Rivers café 122 Old Street EC1M 9BD.

I am submitting a representation on behalf of the Licensing Authority with respect to a new premises licence application. The application is seeking activities and hours for

- The sale of alcohol, for on and off supplies from 11.00 to Midnight Sunday to Thursday and to 01.00 Friday and Saturday;
- The provision of regulated entertainment for the playing of recorded music from 23:00 until 00:00 Monday to Thursday and until 01:00 Friday & Saturday.
- The provision of late night refreshment from 23:00 until 00:00 Monday to Thursday and until 01:00 Friday & Saturday
- The opening hours of the premises to be 08.00 to 00.30 Monday to Thursday, to 01.30 Friday and Saturday and from 09.00 to 00.30 on Sundays.

#### The grounds for the representation are:

Public nuisance

#### **Licensing Policy Considerations**

Licensing Policies 1 & 2 Loc

Location, cumulative impact and saturation

Licensing Policies 7 & 8

Licensing Hours

#### Issues of Concerns

The premises is situated within the Bunhill Cumulative Impact area, therefore the onus is on the applicant to demonstrate that the application will not add to the cumulative impact. The applicant has acknowledged that the premises is situated within a Cumulative Impact area and has included measures in the Operational Plan to minimise customer noise and anti social behaviour, but our Licensing Policy specifically states that high standards of management are not considered to be exceptional circumstances when looking to extend licensing hours within the cumulative impact area.

The licensing hours (LP 7 and 8) proposed by this application are in excess of the guide hours for a bar as laid out within the in Council's Licensing Policy. The probability of local residents being affected by nuisance and alcohol related crime generally increases in line with later licensing hours. The application does not specify any additional measures within the operating schedule (LP 9) to mitigate against possible crime, disorder and/or public nuisance that could occur, if the later hours were to be approved.

#### Summarv

The applicant has described the premises as being a bar with food and live and recorded music and is open to the general public, with a maximum capacity of 350. The proposed hours are in excess of the suggested framework hours for this type of premises.

Therefore the licensing authority suggests that should the application be granted, the Licensing Sub Committee consider reducing the operating hours to 23.00 Sunday to Thursday and Midnight Fridays and Saturdays and the imposition of the conditions suggested by the Noise Liaison Officer.

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- 1. Capacity of the premises shall be limited to 350 persons (including staff) subject to fire risk assessment.
- 2. CCTV shall be installed, operated and maintained, at all times that the premises is open for licensable activities, so as to comply with the following criteria:
  - a. The licensee will ensure that the system is checked every two weeks to ensure that the system is working properly and that the date and time are correct. A record of these checks, showing the date and name of the person checking, shall be kept and made available to Police or authorised Council officers on request;
  - b. The Police must be informed if the system will not be operating for longer than one day of business for any reason;
  - c. One camera will show a close-up of the entrance to the premises, to capture a clear, full length image of anyone entering;
  - d. The system will provide coverage of any exterior part of the premises accessible to the public;
  - e. The system shall record in real time and recordings will be date and time stamped;
  - f. Recordings will be kept for a minimum of 31 days and downloaded footage will be provided free of charge to Police or authorised Council officers on request (subject to the Data Protection Act 1998) within 24 hours of any request; &
  - g. At all times, there will be a person on the premises who can operate the system sufficiently to allow Police or authorised Council officers to view footage on request.
- 3. In the event that a serious assault is committed on the premises (or appears to have been committed) the management will immediately ensure that:
  - a. The police (and, where appropriate, the London Ambulance Service) are called without delay:
  - b. All measures that are reasonably practicable are taken to apprehend any suspects pending the arrival of the police;
  - c. The crime scene is preserved so as to enable a full forensic investigation to be carried out by the police; and
  - d. Such other measures are taken (as appropriate) to fully protect the safety of all persons present on the premises.
- 4. Consumption of alcohol on the Old Street frontage is prohibited at all times.
- 5. Customers who wish to smoke outside shall be supervised.
- 6. A dispersal plan shall be agreed with the Council's Pollution Team and shall be incorporated into the premises closing down procedure.
- 7. 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.
- 8. Noise or vibration must not emanate from the premises so as to cause a nuisance to nearby properties.
- 9. Doors and windows to the premises will be kept closed, so far as practicable, at all times when noise generating regulated entertainment is taking place i.e. live and recorded music.
- 10. There shall be no entertainments provided in any outside areas available
- 11. In the event of substantiated noise complaints in relation to amplified sound all licensable entertainments shall cease and the licensee shall appoint a suitably accredited acoustic consultant to survey in order to come to an agreement regarding maximum sound levels to be permitted at the premises.
- 12. In the event of the need for an agreement regarding maximum levels of amplified sound all amplified music played within the premises shall be subject to the control of an entertainment noise

control system. All pre-recorded music played through the in-house music system shall be controlled by an automatic electronic noise limiting device which restricts the sound system output to below pre-set threshold levels. All music from live bands, or DJs utilising their own amplification equipment, shall be controlled by a continual music noise level monitoring device which cuts the power supply to the sound system if a pre-set threshold is exceeded. The device shall be installed and calibrated to the Council's satisfaction and maximum sound levels shall be expressed on an amended premises licence prior to further regulated entertainments at the premises.

- 13. The licensee shall ensure that the limiters are tamper-proof and are maintained and calibrated as necessary, and the calibration certificates shall be submitted to the Council.
- 14. Any agreed sound levels shall not be altered without the consent of the Council's Pollution Team.
- 15. Refuse collections between the hours of midnight and 07:00 are prohibited
- 16. Refuse such as bottles must be placed into receptacles outside the premises at times that will minimise the disturbance to nearby properties.
- 17. Noise and/or Odour from any flue used for the dispersal of cooking smells serving the building shall not cause nuisance to the occupants of any properties in the vicinity
- 18. Alcohol may be purchased from the bar for consumption within the venue but will only be permitted to be removed from the site if in a suitable and securely sealed container.
- 19. The licensee shall ensure that ensure that alcohol is neither brought onto site, nor removed from the premises unless in appropriate packaging.
- 20. The licence holder shall adopt the Challenge 25 and BII National Standards Proof of Age Scheme
- 21. Challenge 25 posters shall be displayed on the bar.
- 22. The licensee shall put arrangements in place to ensure that before serving alcohol to young persons, staff ask to see accredited proof of age: that is 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.
- 23. The licensee shall require staff to note any refusals to sell alcohol in a refusals log. The refusals log shall be made available for inspection upon request by the licensing team, police or trading standards.
- 24. 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 training shall include promotion of the licensing objectives and compliance with the Licensing Act 2003, the assessment of age; making a challenge; acceptable proof of age; and recording refusals. The licensee shall keep records of training and instruction given to staff and make them available for inspection upon request by the licensing team, police or trading standards.
- 25. An incident book shall be kept and all incidents will be recorded and kept on file in the venue office and be made available for inspection upon request by authorised officer.
- 26. Lost Rivers has a zero tolerance policy on drugs. Any person suspected to be under the influence of drugs, distributing or taking drugs will be ejected from the venue and reported to police. The bathrooms are to be well lit and staff will perform regular bathroom sweeps, with hourly sign sheets.
- 27. Details of taxi ranks and all public transport options will be provided and the post code clearly displayed for Uber users.
- 28. First aid kits, including a buns pack in the kitchen shall be kept on the premises.

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