



MERTHYR TYDFIL
County Borough Council
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MINUTES OF MEETING

LICENSING COMMITTEE MEETING

FRIDAY, 22ND MAY, 2015

PRESENT: Councillor C T Jones (In the Chair)

Councillors H Barrett and T Chaplin

Officers:

Simon Jones (Senior Solicitor), Paul Lewis (Trading Standards and Licensing Manager) and Joanne Baber (Licensing Officer)

Police Representative:

PC Kelvin Jones (Licensing Officer South Wales Police),
PC Andrew Jenkins (Licensing Officer South Wales Police) and
Inspector Tony Carpenter

Karen Vokes (Democratic Services Officer)

ITEM NO.	AGENDA MATTER	DECISION
10	Apologies for absence	No apologies for absence, as all members were present.
11	Declarations of Interest	No declarations of interest were made.
12	Application to review a Premises Licence - KK Stores, 4 Perrott Street, Treharris CF46 5ET	<u>In attendance:</u> Mark Perry, Hugh James Solicitors (Applicant's Solicitor) Mrs Tarjit Kaur, current DPS at KK Stores Mr Onkar Beghal, owner of KK Stores Mr Beghal's daughter Mr Perry, the Applicant's Solicitor, requested an adjournment to consider this application. He advised that he had only recently been instructed on this case and was

		<p>originally of the understanding that the application for review was to tighten up the conditions already in place. He had since discovered, after receiving the paperwork for this meeting, the seriousness of the application in that the Police are seeking to revoke the licence.</p> <p>Mr Perry advised that if the Committee were mindful to adjourn this case, he would have sufficient time to consult with his client and, in the interim, put immediate measures in place, e.g. the DPS being in attendance and dialogue with the Police.</p> <p>PC Andrew Jenkins outlined to the Committee in detail the issues which needed to be addressed, and felt that this review should be dealt with as a matter of urgency.</p> <p>Questions were raised by the Committee and were answered by the appropriate officer.</p> <p>The Chair then thanked all parties for their representation and they left the meeting.</p> <p>The Committee then considered the request for an adjournment, and it was:</p> <p>RESOLVED that:</p> <p>The application to review the Premises Licence at KK Stores be adjourned to Friday, 5th June 2015 at 9.30 am.</p> <p>Until such time as the application is reviewed by the Committee, it was agreed that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Beghal has no involvement in the management of the property. • The current DPS to be at the premises at all times when alcohol is sold. • Mrs Tarjit Kaur be reinstated as DPS.
13	Any other business as deemed Urgent by the Chair	The Chair advised that there was no business deemed urgent.