

Report of the Head of Elections, Licensing and Registration

Report to the Licensing Sub Committee

Date: 23rd January 2018

Subject: Application for the grant of a personal licence for Syed Jaber Ahmed

Are specific electoral wards affected?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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Appendix number: A and B only		

Summary of main issues

This report informs members of an application for the grant of a personal licence under the Licensing Act 2003 ("The Act") in respect of Syed Jaber Ahmed. The application has attracted a representation from West Yorkshire Police and so is brought to a hearing of the Licensing Subcommittee for determination.

1 Purpose of this report

- 1.1 To advise Members of an application made under section 117(1)(a) of the Licensing Act 2003 ("the Act") for a Personal Licence in respect of Syed Jaber Ahmed.
- 1.2 Members are required to consider this application due to the receipt to representations.

2 The application

- 2.1 An application has been made by Syed Jaber Ahmed for a personal licence under the Licensing Act 2003. The application was received by the licensing authority on 11th December 2017 and West Yorkshire Police was consulted on 11th December 2017.
- 2.2 A copy of the application is attached at Appendix A.

3 Relevant Representations

- 3.1 This application attracted a representation from West Yorkshire Police which is attached at Appendix B.

4 Access to Information

- 4.1 Appendices A and B contain confidential information and are exempt from publication under the council's Access to Information Procedure Rules. In addition the information is exempt from publication under the Licensing Act 2003.

5 Equality and diversity implications

- 5.1 At the time of writing this report there were no implications for equality and diversity. Any decision taken by the Licensing Sub-Committee will be in accordance with the crime and disorder licensing objective as prescribed by the Licensing Act 2003.

6 Options available to members

- 6.1 The licensing sub-committee must take either of the following steps as it considers appropriate for the prevention of crime and disorder:
- Grant as requested
 - Reject the application
- 6.2 Members of the Licensing sub committee are asked to note that they may not reject this application merely because it considers it desirable to do so. It must be appropriate for the prevention of crime and disorder.

7 Background Papers

- Guidance issued under s182 Licensing Act 2003.
- Leeds City Council Statement of Licensing Policy.