

Report of the Head of Licensing and Registration

Report to the Licensing Sub Committee

Date: 14th January 2013

Subject: Application for the grant of a premises licence for Laghetto Restaurant 97 Mabgate, Sheepscar, Leeds, LS9 7DR

| Are specific electoral Wards affected? | 🛛 Yes | 🗌 No |
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| If relevant, name(s) of Ward(s): City & Hunslet | | |
| Are there implications for equality and diversity and cohesion and integration? | Yes | 🛛 No |
| Is the decision eligible for Call-In? | Yes | 🛛 No |
| Does the report contain confidential or exempt information? If relevant, Access to Information Procedure Rule number: | 🗌 Yes | 🛛 No |
| Appendix number: | | |

Summary of main issues

This is an application for the grant of a premises licence for Laghetto Restaurant 97 Mabgate, Sheepscar, Leeds, LS9 7DR.

The premises are a restaurant at ground floor level and seats around 40 covers. The application is for Recorded music, Late night refreshment, Retail by sale of alcohol as noted in 3.3.

Responsible authorities and Ward Members have been notified of this application.

The application has attracted representations from responsible authorities.

1.0 Purpose of this Report

- 1.1 To advise Members of an application made under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 ("the Act") for a premises licence in respect of the above mentioned premises.
- 1.2 Members are required to consider this application due to the receipt of representations.

2.0 History of Premises

2.1 This is the first application for a premises licence.

3.0 The Application

- 3.1 The applicant is Girmay Belay,
- 3.2 The application form may be found at Appendix A to this report.
- 3.3 In summary the application is for

Sale by retail of alcohol (Both on and off the premises), Recorded Music

| Monday to Thursday | 11:00 – 23:00 |
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Friday to Sunday 11:00 – 02:00

Late night refreshment

Friday – Sunday 23:00 – 02:00

Non Standard Timings

An additional hour after standard hours on each Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve. Where Christmas Eve and/or New Year's Eve fall on a day on which the Premises may not normally offer Late Night Refreshment, Late Night Refreshment may take place between 23:00 and the terminal hour for Alcohol Sales.

4.0 Other matters relevant to the application

4.1 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 four licensing objectives as prescribed by the Licensing Act 2003.

5.0 Steps to promote the Licensing Objectives

5.1 The applicant proposes to take specific steps to promote the licensing objectives identified in section "P" of the application form.

6.0 Proposed Designated Premises Supervisor

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7.0 Location

7.1 A map which identifies the location of this premise is attached at Appendix B.

8.0 Representations

8.1 Under the Act representations can be received from responsible authorities or other persons. Representations must be relevant and, in the case of another person, must not be frivolous or vexatious.

8.2 <u>Representations from Responsible Authorities</u>

- 8.2.1 Representations have been received from Health and Safety, Environmental protection team and Planning services
- 8.2.2 The representation submitted by Health and safety service remains as a matter for Members consideration. A copy of the same may be found at Appendix C
- 8.2.3 The representation submitted by Environmental protection team remains as a matter for Members consideration. A copy of the same may be found at Appendix D
- 8.2.4 The representation submitted by Planning services remains as a matter for Members consideration. A copy of the same may be found at Appendix E

8.3 <u>Other representations</u>

- 8.3.1 There are no other representations.
- 8.3.2 Copies of the representations will be available at the hearing for Members consideration.

9.0 Options Available to Members

- 9.1 The Licensing sub-committee must take such of the following steps as it considers appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives:
 - Grant the application as requested.
 - Grant the application whilst imposing additional conditions and/or altering in any way the proposed operating schedule.
 - Exclude any licensable activities to which the application relates.
 - Refuse to specify the said person as the designated premises supervisor.
 - Reject the whole or part of the application.
- 9.2 Members of the licensing sub committee are asked to note that they may not modify the conditions or reject the whole or part of the application merely because it considers it desirable to do so. It must actually be appropriate in order to promote the licensing objectives.

10.0 Background Papers

- Guidance issued under s182 Licensing Act 2003
- Leeds City Council Licensing Policy
- Representations received from other persons