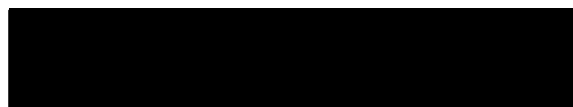


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RE: **LONDON COCKTAIL CLUB, 8, SOUTH PARADE, LEEDS, LS1 5BY**
APPLICATION FOR NEW PREMISES LICENCE – LICENSING ACT 2003:
POLICE – LETTER OF REPRESENTATION – ‘QUALIFIED’ OBJECTION:

Thank you for submitting your application for a new premises licence at the above address.

The premises are situated in an area of Leeds City Centre, which is currently subject to a policy of Cumulative Impact, as identified in the current 2019-2024 Statement of Licensing Policy of Leeds City Council. The area is not one of the areas of special concern, designated red, but it is an area where there are concerns about street drinking and associated anti-social behaviour and crime.

In accordance with the licensing authority's document quoted above, on receipt of relevant representations to promote the licensing objectives, it is the council's policy to seek additional measures to address the problems associated within that area.

West Yorkshire Police are of the opinion that your application contains insufficient information about how you intend to meet the licensing objectives.

We therefore confirm that we are submitting a formal representation against your application on the grounds of:-

1. the prevention of crime & disorder
2. public safety

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However, West Yorkshire Police are also of the opinion that the said objectives could be met should you be prepared to incorporate certain identified measures within your operating schedule, **in addition to** what you may have offered in your application.

Please find enclosed a document which at **Part 1** contains the suggested measures which this authority considers are proportionate and appropriate to the nature of your application.

Should you be in agreement with the suggested measures then please signify this by completing and signing **Part 2** of the enclosed form and return the complete document to this office as soon as possible.

Upon receipt of your consent at **Part 2**, it will be taken that you signify your wishes for the licensing authority to amend your operating schedule to incorporate the proposed measures.

Alternatively should you disagree with the proposed measures, then please complete **Part 3** and again return the complete document to this office as soon as possible.

PART 1 - to be completed by the Responsible Authority:

West Yorkshire Police propose the following control measures under the Licensing Act 2003 (**in addition to** those that you may have already offered), for the premises:-

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8, SOUTH PARADE
LEEDS
LS1 5BY**

Having considered the application under the Licensing Act 2003 for the above premises, West Yorkshire Police considers that the following measures are relevant, proportionate and necessary in order to promote the following licensing objectives:-

- the prevention of crime & disorder
- public safety

Measures / Additional measures proposed:

- There will be a communication link via radio to other venues in the city centre. This will be the system recognised by the current Business Crime Reduction Partnership for the city, Leeds City Council and West Yorkshire Police. Such communication link will be kept in working order at all times when licensable activities are taking place and shall be available to the Designated Premises Supervisor or other nominated supervisor and be monitored by that person at all times that licensed activities are being carried out.
- A minimum of 1 door supervisor will be deployed at the venue from 23:00hrs until close of business every Friday and Saturday, and also from 23:00 on any Sunday of a Bank Holiday weekend. At all other times the requirement for door staff will be risk assessed on a day to day basis by management (**in lieu of offered condition**)

West Yorkshire Police are satisfied that the proposed measures are not adequately dealt with by other legislation.

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By signing the declaration enclosed overleaf at **Part 2**, the applicant agrees to incorporate the proposed measures within the Operating Schedule for the said premises.

Upon the satisfactory completion of the declaration, West Yorkshire Police will provide notice to the Licensing Authority that our representation is withdrawn in accordance with schedule 10(a) of the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005.

PC [REDACTED] Cath Arkle
Leeds District Licensing Officer
West Yorkshire Police

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PART 2 – to be completed by the applicant or applicant's representative:

Consent for all proposed control measures under the Licensing Act 2003.

Name & Address of Premises:

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LEEDS
LS1 5BY**

We, Woods Whur Solicitors

confirm that we are the applicant's representative for the premises as stated above.

In signing this document:-

- I / we agree with the measures proposed by West Yorkshire Police,
- I / we provide our consent for the Licensing Authority to incorporate the said measures into the operating schedule for the stated premises, and furthermore,
- I / we confirm the premises will then operate in accordance with those measures agreed to.

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Signed:

Dated: 12.4.22

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