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**Date:** 09 April 2015

**TO: Councillors G Coleman, Evans, and O'Hara**

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Dear Councillor

**Licensing Hearing – Foxhall News and Booze, 60 Foxhall Road**

Please find attached additional evidence submitted by the applicant.  
The information is formed of

1. Additional Information sheet
2. List of proposed conditions to attach to licence
3. Letter from previous employer
4. Photographs of premises

Please bring this information with you to the meeting on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2015.

Yours sincerely

On behalf of the Head of Democratic Governance

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FOXHALL NEWS

60 Foxhall Road Blackpool FY1 5BW

Application by Marwan Neif for a Premises Licence

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF THE APPLICATION**

- 1 The Applicant obtained a personal licence in January 2015 but prior to that he had at least 3 years experience as a Manager of The Coliseum 53 Tyldesley Road Blackpool. During that time he was engaged in the sale and supply of all age related products. Attached to this document is a letter from the Proprietor/ Premises Licence Holder/DPS of those premises confirming his training and compliance with all requirements to meet the licensing objectives.
- 2 Prior to the employment referred to in (1) above the Applicant held a Late Night Refreshment Licence for 4 years during which time there were no issues or problems whatsoever.
- 3 The Applicant will agree to alter the proposed name of the premises from "Foxhall News & Booze" to "Foxhall News." This is to follow the recommendations from Public Health that excessive use of the word "Booze" may be an influencing factor in children being attracted to alcohol sales.
- 4 Attached to this document is a list of proposed conditions which would enable the premises to operate by fully supporting all the licensing objectives and would demonstrate that the granting of this licence would not add to any public order or health related issues thereby offending the principles of the Cumulative Impact Policy.
- 5 Photographs of the premises are attached to this document

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## **Foxhall News - 60 Foxhall Road Blackpool FY1 5BW – Bloomfield Ward**

### Additional conditions

- 1 The Licence holder shall train all staff to support the Challenge 25 proof of age policy. Any person who looks or appears to be under the age of 25 shall be asked to provide identification that they are over the age of 18. The following are examples of acceptable proof:

UK photo driving licence;  
Passport;  
Proof of Age Standards Scheme Card.

Records to evidence this will be made available to an authorised officer upon request. Refresher training shall be conducted every 6 months as a minimum.

The Challenge 25 policy is brought to customers' attention through point of sale material within the store. The store will display signage around the premises informing both staff and customers of the "Think 25" policy on alcohol.

A suitable size notice will appear at the initial point of sale of alcohol to remind the seller of their responsibilities including not to sell alcohol to anyone under the age of 18.

- 2 A Personal Licence Holder will be on duty at all times while the sale and supply of alcohol takes place and all staff will be aware of the identity of that person

- 3 CCTV will be installed internally at the premises and will comply with the following:

The CCTV system shall be installed, maintained and operated to the reasonable satisfaction of Lancashire Constabulary. The system will incorporate a camera covering each of the entrance door, main alcohol display area and checkout.

The CCTV system will be capable of providing an image which is regarded as identification standard.

The system will display on any recording the correct time and date of the recording.

The system will make recordings during all hours the premises are open to the public.

VCR tapes or digital recording shall be held for a minimum of 21 days after the recording is made and will be made available to the Police or any authorised persons acting for a Responsible Authority for inspection upon request.

The system will, as a minimum, record images of the head and shoulders of all persons entering the premises.

A staff member who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system will be on the premises at all times the premises are open to the public. This staff member will be able to show recent data or footage with the absolute minimum of delay when requested to a Police Officer or to a Local Authority Enforcement Officer.

The Licence Holder or Designated Premises Supervisor shall take immediate steps to rectify any fault if the CCTV is to be inoperative. A log of the action taken to rectify the fault shall be maintained and provided to Police or Licensing Authority on request.

Appropriate signage alerting customers to CCTV recording shall be displayed in conspicuous positions on the premises.

- 4 An authorisation of sales, signed and dated by the DPS, shall be kept at the premises showing all persons authorised by them to make sales of alcohol at the premises.
- 5 The premises will not stock/sell any beer, cider and lager with an ABV above 5.5%, except for premium imported beers which shall not exceed 6.5% ABV
- 6 The premises will not sell any single cans of beer, lager, cider with a unit size of 440ml or less, unless permission is provided by the Police, except for occasional sale items where packaging has been accidentally damaged
- 7 An incident book will be maintained, in which shall be recorded:  
  
All incidents of crime and disorder;  
Refused sales to suspected under age / drunken persons;  
A record of any person refused admission or asked to leave the premises;  
Details of occasions upon which the Police are called to the premises;  
The use or discovery of drugs.  
  
That book shall be available for inspection by a Police Officer or authorised person.
8. All staff to undertake brief intervention training offered by the Public Health Team within 6 months of the grant of a licence. All new staff to undergo such training, if available, within 6 months of appointment.
9. Alcohol shall not form more than 15% of the total shop display area at any one time.

**The Coliseum**

**53 tyldesley road**

**Blackpool**

**Fy1 5dh**

**T.01253622186**

**I Sraj Alosch confirm that Mr Marwan Neif has been employed by me for for a period of 3 years in my store The Coliseum on 53 tyldesley road Blackpool, finishing in September 2014. The store has a premises licence for the supply of alcohol.**

**I am the premises licence holder and DPS.i confirm that Mr Neif has during his employment been engaged in serving the public with all types of age related products, and has done so under the supervision of a personal licence holder.**

**During his considerable time working on the shops front line he has complied with all our requirements to meet the licencing objectives, and has successfully passed all our training requirements.**

**There have been no incidents whatsoever during his employment, and has always complied with the requirements of the licencing Act 2003 and the conditions attached to my license.**

**I would have no hesitation in recommending Mr Neif for the position of a shop manager or proprietor and consider him a suitable person to hold a premises licence for the supply of alcohol .**

**SRAJ ALOSH**

**09/03/15**

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