

<b>Report to:</b>	<b>Licensing Panel</b>
<b>Decision or Item number</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Relevant Officer:</b>	Sharon Davies, Principal Solicitor Licensing
<b>Date of Meeting :</b>	18 <sup>th</sup> September 2014

## **APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE- 82 BOND STREET**

### **1.0 Purpose of the report:**

1.1 To consider an application for a new premises licence for 82 Bond Street and the relevant representations submitted by Members of the Public.

### **2.0 Recommendation(s):**

2.1 Members will be requested to determine the application.

### **3.0 Reasons for recommendation(s):**

3.1 Once an application with representations has been received the application and any relevant representation must be considered by the Licensing Panel.

3.2a Is the recommendation contrary to a plan or strategy adopted or approved by the Council? No

3.2b Is the recommendation in accordance with the Council's approved budget? Yes

3.3 Other alternative options to be considered:

None, the application and the representations must be considered.

#### **4.0 Background Information**

##### **4.1 Application**

On 29th July 2014 the licensing service received an application for a premises licence at 82 Bond Street Blackpool. A copy of the application is attached.

Permission is sought to sell alcohol for consumption off the premises 09.00 - 23.00 hours daily.

The application has been submitted by Thanuja Peethamparam

##### **4.2 Local policy considerations**

None .

##### **4.3 National policy considerations**

The following paragraphs of the guidance are relevant

9.12 - the police are an essential source of advice and information on the impact and potential impact of licensable activities, particularly on the crime and disorder objective. The police should be the licensing authority's main source of advice on matters relating to the promotion of the crime and disorder objective.

9.34 - in determining the application with a view to promoting the licensing objectives in the overall interests of the local community, the licensing authority must give appropriate weight to:

- a. the steps that are appropriate to promote the licensing objectives
- b. the representations (including supporting information) presented by all the parties
- c. the section 182 guidance
- d. the council's statement of licensing policy

9.39 the authority's determination should be evidence based, justified as being appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives and proportionate to what it is intended to achieve,

##### **4.4 Observations**

The representations refer to other licensed premises in the area.

Kavir Store, 89 Bond Street is licensed for the sale of alcohol from 07.00 - 23.30. Today's applicant is the Designated Premises Supervisor at this premises.

Westgarth News, 147 Bond Street is licensed for the sale of alcohol 09.00 - 23.00

4.5 Does the information submitted include any exempt information? No

4.6 **List of Appendices:**

Appendix 4a Application form

Appendix 4b Representations the Public

**6.0 Legal considerations:**

6.1 Please see local and national policy in the background information.

**7.0 Human Resources considerations:**

7.1 None

**8.0 Equalities considerations:**

8.1 None

**9.0 Financial considerations:**

9.1 None