



LICENSING ACT SUB-COMMITTEE

Tuesday 11th July 2017

6.00 p.m.

**Conference Room 1
Town Hall, Blackburn**

Membership

Councillors: Wright (Chair), Humphrys and Davies

LICENSING ACT SUB COMMITTEE

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AGENDA

PART I – ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION IN PUBLIC

1. **Welcome and Apologies**

2. **Declarations of interest in items on this agenda**

A form is attached for completion by Members declaring an interest in items on the agenda

3. **APPLICATION FOR A VARIATION TO A PREMISES LICENCE-
Savoy Service Station, 80 Blackburn Road Darwen Lancashire
BB3 1QJ**

For members to consider an application for a variation to a premises licence in respect of Savoy Service Station, 80 Blackburn Road Darwen Lancashire BB3 1QJ.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND LEISURE

ORIGINATING SECTION: PUBLIC PROTECTION SERVICE

REPORT TO: LICENSING ACT 2003 PANEL Date: 11:07:17

**TITLE : APPLICATION FOR A VARIATION TO A PREMISES LICENCE-
Savoy Service Station, 80 Blackburn Road Darwen Lancashire BB3 1QJ**

1.	<u>PURPOSE OF REPORT</u>
1.1	For members to consider an application for a variation to a premises licence in respect of Savoy Service Station, 80 Blackburn Road Darwen Lancashire BB3 1QJ.
2.	<u>BACKGROUND</u>
2.1	The Licensing Act 2003 provides that the functions of the licensing authority (including its determinations) are to be taken or carried out by the Licensing Committee. The Licensing Committee may delegate these functions to sub-committees. The Council's constitution has been amended to incorporate this.
2.2	The Statement of Licensing Policy indicates how the licensing authority approaches its various functions.
2.3	Where under the provisions of the 2003 Act, there are no relevant representations on an application for the grant of a premises licence or club premises certificate or police objection to an application for a personal licence or to an activity taking place under the authority of a temporary event notice, these matters will be dealt with by officers.
2.4	The Licensing Committee will receive regular reports on decisions made by officers so that they maintain an overview of the general situation.
2.5	Each application that comes before this committee will be treated on its own merits, and this licensing authority will take its decision based upon: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● The merits of the application● The promotion of the four licensing objectives● The policy of the licensing authority, a copy of which can be obtained from the Public Protection Service, 3RD Floor, Old Town Hall, Blackburn, BB1 7DY.● The guidance issued by the Secretary of State on March 2015 under section 182 of the Licensing act 2003

<p>3</p> <p>3.1</p> <p>3.2</p> <p>3.3</p>	<p><u>DETAIL</u></p> <p>Application made by Motor Fuel Ltd in respect of the Savoy Service Station, 80 Blackburn Road, Darwen, Lancashire BB3 1QJ for a variation to a premises licence under the Licensing Act 2003. (see appendix 1)</p> <p>The variation sought is to permit the sale of alcohol for 24 hours a day 7 days a week.</p> <p>The current licence permits the sale of alcohol each day between 06.00 hrs and 23.00 hrs The premises remain open for 24 hours.</p>
<p>4</p> <p>4.1</p> <p>4.2</p> <p>4.3</p> <p>4.4</p> <p>4.5</p> <p>4.6</p>	<p><u>CONSULTATION</u></p> <p>All responsible authorities have been consulted, advertisements have been displayed in accordance with the Act,</p> <p>There has been 1 objection and a petition received under the public nuisance and crime and disorder objectives.(see appendix 2 – objections and petition).</p> <p>No objections have been received from any of the other relevant authorities.</p> <p>It has been determined that the objection from the public comply with Section 35(6) Licensing Act 2003</p> <p>The applicant was given notice under Regulation 7(1)(d) Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings Regulations) 2005.</p> <p>The required documents in accordance with Column 3, Schedule 3 have accompanied the Notice of Hearing in accordance with Regulation 7 Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings Regulations) 2005.</p>
<p>5</p> <p>5.1</p>	<p><u>POLICY CONSIDERATIONS</u></p> <p><u>Premises Licence</u></p> <p>An application can be made to the Council for any place within its area to be used for any licensable activity or qualifying club activity. The application must be accompanied by: a) The required fee; b) The appropriate application form (including an Operating Schedule); c) A plan of the premises; and d) If it is intended to sell alcohol, a form of consent given by the person whom the applicant wishes to have specified in the Premises Licence as the Designated Premises Supervisor. Incomplete applications will be returned to the applicant.</p> <p>The Act requires applicants to notify the ‘responsible authorities’ for the Blackburn with Darwen’s Licensing Authority area. A copy of the application must be sent to each of the responsible authorities. (listed in Appendix 2 the Councils’ Statement of Licensing Policy)</p> <p>The Application must include details of:</p> <p>a) The relevant licensable activities which are to be conducted on the premises;</p> <p>b) The times during which the applicant proposes that the relevant licensable activities are to take place (including the times during each day of the week, during particular holiday periods and during particular seasons if applicable); Any other times that the premises are to be open to the public</p> <p>c) Where the applicant wishes the licence to have effect for a limited period, that period;</p>

d) Where the relevant licensable activities include the sale by retail of alcohol, the name and address of the individual whom the applicant wishes to have specified as the Designated Premises Supervisor and a copy of his or her Personal Licence;

e) Where the relevant licensable activities include the sale by retail of alcohol, whether such sales are proposed to be for consumption on the premises or off the premises, or both;

f) An Operating Schedule giving details of the steps which the applicant proposes to take to promote the licensing objectives. In considering the steps to be taken to promote the licensing objectives the applicant should give consideration to the 'Pool of Model Conditions' given at Appendix 3 of the Statement of Policy.

When preparing their applications applicants will be expected to undertake a thorough risk assessment for each of the four licensing objectives. Applicants should be aware that applications which do not show that all relevant points have been addressed may result in a representation from the appropriate responsible authority.

Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005 – The Licensing Authority will not impose any licence condition where the order applies.

The Act prohibits the sale of alcohol from premises used primarily as a garage, however in certain circumstances licences to sell alcohol at petrol stations can be considered provided the licensing authority considers that the premises are not used primarily as a garage. Premises are 'used as a garage' if they are used for one or more of the following: • the retailing of petrol; • the retailing of derv; • the sale of motor vehicles; and • the maintenance of motor vehicles. (section 176 of the Act)

Where there is insufficient evidence to determine the primary use of the premises, the Licensing Authority will take steps (through enforcement activity or otherwise) to collect the evidence and may defer a decision until such evidence has been obtained.

Relevant Representations

Where representations are made about an application the Council will hold a hearing to consider them unless the Council, the applicant and everyone who has made representations agree that the hearing is not necessary. Representation must be 'relevant' to be considered. To be 'relevant', representations must be:

- a) About the likely effect of the granting of a Premises Licence or Club Premises Certificate on the promotion of at least one of the licensing objectives; and
- b) Made by 'other persons' or a 'responsible authority', have not been withdrawn and, in the case of representations made by 'other persons', are not, in the Council's opinion, frivolous or vexatious.

'Other persons' includes any of the following: Residents, businesses or associations that represent residents or businesses.

The Council will accept 'representations' which are in favour of an application and these will be included in the documentation submitted when there is a hearing, however, where only positive representations are received, no hearing will be held. Where there are concerns about the intimidation of residents who may have genuine concerns about an application, the Council will follow the published guidance of the Secretary of State. (the Guidance Para 9.14 – 9.18)

6	<u>THE THE LICENSING ACT 2003</u>
6.1	The Licensing Act 2003 requires you to have regard to the representations, and take such of the steps as you consider necessary for the promotion of the licensing objectives.
6.2	The steps you take are (a) to modify the conditions of the licence and/or to reject the whole or part of the application to vary the licence.
6.3	The conditions of the licence are modified if any of them are altered or omitted or any new condition is added.
6.4	You cannot however restrict the hours of the sale of alcohol to less than those authorised under the current Justice's Licence by virtue of Paragraph 11 Schedule 8 Licensing Act 2003.
7	<u>LEGAL IMPLICATIONS ARISING FROM THE REPORT</u>
7.1	Members are reminded that they must follow the rules of natural justice and they are bound by the code of conduct for elected members in licensing applications.
7.2	Members are reminded that they should have read or should hear all the facts prior to making a determination
7.3	Members are reminded of the consideration they should give to the Human Rights Act 1998, in particular Article 1 – the right to peaceful enjoyment of possessions, Article 6 – the right to a fair hearing, Article 8 – respect for private and family life and Article 10 – the right to freedom of expression.
8	<u>BACKGROUND PAPERS</u>
8.1	Appendices
8.2	Statement of Licensing Policy
8.3	The guidance issued by the Secretary of State on March 2015 under section 182 of the Licensing act 2003
8.4	The Licensing Act 2003.
9	<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>
9.1	That members consider the application for the variation of the Premises Licence.
10	<u>WARDS AFFECTED</u>
10.1	The premises are situated in the Sunnyhurst Ward. None of the ward councillors are members of this sub committee.
11	<u>CONTACT OFFICER</u>
11.1	Penni McGinty Customer Support Officer Ext.5073

12	<u>DATE PREPARED</u>
12.1	28 June 2017



Blackburn with Darwen
Application to vary a premises licence
Licensing Act 2003

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For help contact
publicprotection@blackburn.gov.uk
 Telephone: 01254 267666

* required information

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You can save the form at any time and resume it later. You do not need to be logged in when you resume.

System reference This is the unique reference for this application generated by the system.

Your reference You can put what you want here to help you track applications if you make lots of them. It is passed to the authority.

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant? Put "no" if you are applying on your own behalf or on behalf of a business you own or work for.

Yes No

Applicant Details

* First name

* Family name

* E-mail

Main telephone number Include country code.

Other telephone number

Indicate here if the applicant would prefer not to be contacted by telephone

Is the applicant:

Applying as a business or organisation, including as a sole trader

Applying as an individual

A sole trader is a business owned by one person without any special legal structure. Applying as an individual means the applicant is applying so the applicant can be employed, or for some other personal reason, such as following a hobby.

Applicant Business

Is the applicant's business registered in the UK with Companies House? Yes No

Note: completing the Applicant Business section is optional in this form.

Registration number

Business name If the applicant's business is registered, use its registered name.

VAT number Put "none" if the applicant is not registered for VAT.

Legal status



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Applicant's position in the business

Home country

The country where the applicant's headquarters are.

Registered Address

Address registered with Companies House.

Building number or name

Street

District

City or town

County or administrative area

Postcode

Country

Agent Details

* First name

* Family name

* E-mail

Main telephone number

Include country code.

Other telephone number

Indicate here if you would prefer not to be contacted by telephone

Are you:

An agent that is a business or organisation, including a sole trader

A sole trader is a business owned by one person without any special legal structure.

A private individual acting as an agent

Agent Business

Is your business registered in the UK with Companies House? Yes No

Note: completing the Applicant Business section is optional in this form.

Is your business registered outside the UK? Yes No

Business name

If your business is registered, use its registered name.

VAT number

Put "none" if you are not registered for VAT.

Legal status

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Your position in the business	<input type="text" value="OWNER"/>	
Home country	<input type="text" value="United Kingdom"/>	The country where the headquarters of your business is located.
Agent Business Address		If you have one, this should be your official address - that is an address required of you by law for receiving communications.
Building number or name	<input type="text" value="32"/>	
Street	<input type="text" value="CHURCH ROAD"/>	
District	<input type="text" value="LOCKS HEATH"/>	
City or town	<input type="text" value="SOUTHAMPTON"/>	
County or administrative area	<input type="text" value="HAMPSHIRE"/>	
Postcode	<input type="text" value="SO31 6LU"/>	
Country	<input type="text" value="United Kingdom"/>	

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APPLICATION DETAILS

This application cannot be used to vary the licence so as to extend the period for which the licence has effect or to vary substantially the premises to which it relates. If you wish to make that type of change to the premises licence, you should make a new premises licence application under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003.

I/we, as named in section 1, being the premises licence holder, apply to vary a premises licence under section 34 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in section 2 below.

* Premises Licence Number

Are you able to provide a postal address, OS map reference or description of the premises?

Address OS map reference Description

Postal Address Of Premises

Building number or name	<input type="text" value="SAVOY SERVICE STATION"/>
Street	<input type="text" value="80 BLACKBURN ROAD"/>
District	<input type="text"/>
City or town	<input type="text" value="DARWEN"/>
County or administrative area	<input type="text"/>
Postcode	<input type="text" value="BB3 1QJ"/>
Country	<input type="text" value="United Kingdom"/>

Premises Contact Details

Telephone number

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Non-domestic rateable value of premises (£)

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VARIATION

Do you want the proposed variation to have effect as soon as possible? Yes No

Do you want the proposed variation to have effect in relation to the introduction of the late night levy? Yes No

You do not have to pay a fee if the only purpose of the variation for which you are applying is to avoid becoming liable to the late night levy.

If your proposed variation would mean that 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, state the number expected to attend

Describe Briefly The Nature Of The Proposed Variation

Describe the premises. For example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies, you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.

CONVENIENCE STORE LOCATED ON A FORECOURT - EXTEND THE HOURS FOR THE SALE OF ALCOHOL AND DEPOSIT A MODIFIED PLAN

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PROVISION OF PLAYS

Will the schedule to provide plays be subject to change if this application to vary is successful? Yes No

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PROVISION OF FILMS

Will the schedule to provide films be subject to change if this application to vary is successful? Yes No

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PROVISION OF INDOOR SPORTING EVENTS

Will the schedule to provide indoor sporting events be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?

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PROVISION OF BOXING OR WRESTLING ENTERTAINMENTS

Will the schedule to provide boxing or wrestling entertainments be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?
 Yes No

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PROVISION OF LIVE MUSIC

Will the schedule to provide live music be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?
 Yes No

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PROVISION OF RECORDED MUSIC

Will the schedule to provide recorded music be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?
 Yes No

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PROVISION OF PERFORMANCES OF DANCE

Will the schedule to provide performances of dance be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?
 Yes No

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PROVISION OF ANYTHING OF A SIMILAR DESCRIPTION TO LIVE MUSIC, RECORDED MUSIC OR PERFORMANCES OF DANCE

Will the schedule to provide anything similar to live music, recorded music or performances of dance be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?
 Yes No

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PROVISION OF LATE NIGHT REFRESHMENT

Will the schedule to provide late night refreshment be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?
 Yes No

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SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL

Will the schedule to supply alcohol be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?
 Yes No

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Standard Days And Timings

MONDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

Provide timings in 24 hour clock (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.

TUESDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

WEDNESDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

THURSDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

FRIDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

SATURDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

SUNDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

Will the sale of alcohol be for consumption?

- On the premises
- Off the premises
- Both

If the sale of alcohol is for consumption on the premises select on, if the sale of alcohol is for consumption away from the premises select off. If the sale of alcohol is for consumption on the premises and away from the premises select both.

State any seasonal variations.

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

[Empty box for seasonal variations]

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Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the supply of alcohol at different times from those listed above, list below.

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

[Empty box for non-standard timings]

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ADULT ENTERTAINMENT

Highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, or other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children.

Provide information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises which may give rise to concern in respect of children, regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises, for example (but not exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups etc gambling machines etc.

NONE

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HOURS PREMISES ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Standard Days And Timings

MONDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

Provide timings in 24 hour clock (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.

TUESDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

WEDNESDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

THURSDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

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FRIDAY

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End

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SATURDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

SUNDAY

Start 00:00

End 24:00

Start

End

State any seasonal variations.

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

[Empty box for seasonal variations]

Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises to be open to the members and guests at different times from those listed above, list below.

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

[Empty box for non standard timings]

Identify those conditions currently imposed on the licence which you believe could be removed as a consequence of the proposed variation you are seeking.

[Empty box for conditions to be removed]

I have enclosed the premises licence

I have enclosed the relevant part of the premises licence

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LICENSING OBJECTIVES

Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e)

List here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.

EXISTING MANDATORY AND ANNEX 2 AND 3 CONDITIONS TO REMAIN PLUS ACCESS TO THE SHOP AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CASHIER 23.00 TO 05.30 DAILY

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

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c) Public safety

d) The prevention of public nuisance

e) The protection of children from harm

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PAYMENT DETAILS

This fee must be paid to the authority. If you complete the application online, you must pay it by debit or credit card.

Variation Fees are determined by the non-domestic rateable value of the premises.

To find out a premises non domestic rateable value go to the Valuation Office Agency site at http://www.voa.gov.uk/business_rates/index.htm

Band A - No RV to £4300 £100.00

Band B - £4301 to £33000 £190.00

Band C - £33001 to £87000 £315.00

Band D - £87001 to £125000 £450.00*

Band E - £125001 and over £635.00*

*If the premises rateable value is in Bands D or E and the premises is primarily used for the consumption of alcohol on the premises then your are required to pay a higher fee. If you are unsure whether the higher fee is applicable please contact the licensing team on 01254 222516.

Band D - £87001 to £125000 £900.00

Band E - £125001 and over £1,905.00

If you own a large premise you are subject to additional fees based upon the number in attendance at any one time. If you require further clarification with regard to the additional fees please contact the licensing team 01254 222516.

Capacity 5000-9999 £1,000.00

Capacity 10000 -14999 £2,000.00

Capacity 15000-19999 £4,000.00

Capacity 20000-29999 £8,000.00

Capacity 30000-39999 £16,000.00

Capacity 40000-49999 £24,000.00

Capacity 50000-59999 £32,000.00

Capacity 60000-69999 £40,000.00

Capacity 70000-79999 £48,000.00

Capacity 80000-89999 £56,000.00

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Capacity 90000 and over £64,000.00

* Fee amount (£) 315.00

ATTACHMENTS

AUTHORITY POSTAL ADDRESS

Address

Building number or name

Street

District

City or town

County or administrative area

Postcode

Country

DECLARATION

* I/we understand it is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to level 5 on the standard scale, under section 158 of the licensing act 2003, to make a false statement in or in connection with this application.

Ticking this box indicates you have read and understood the above declaration

This section should be completed by the applicant, unless you answered "Yes" to the question "Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?"

* Full name

* Capacity

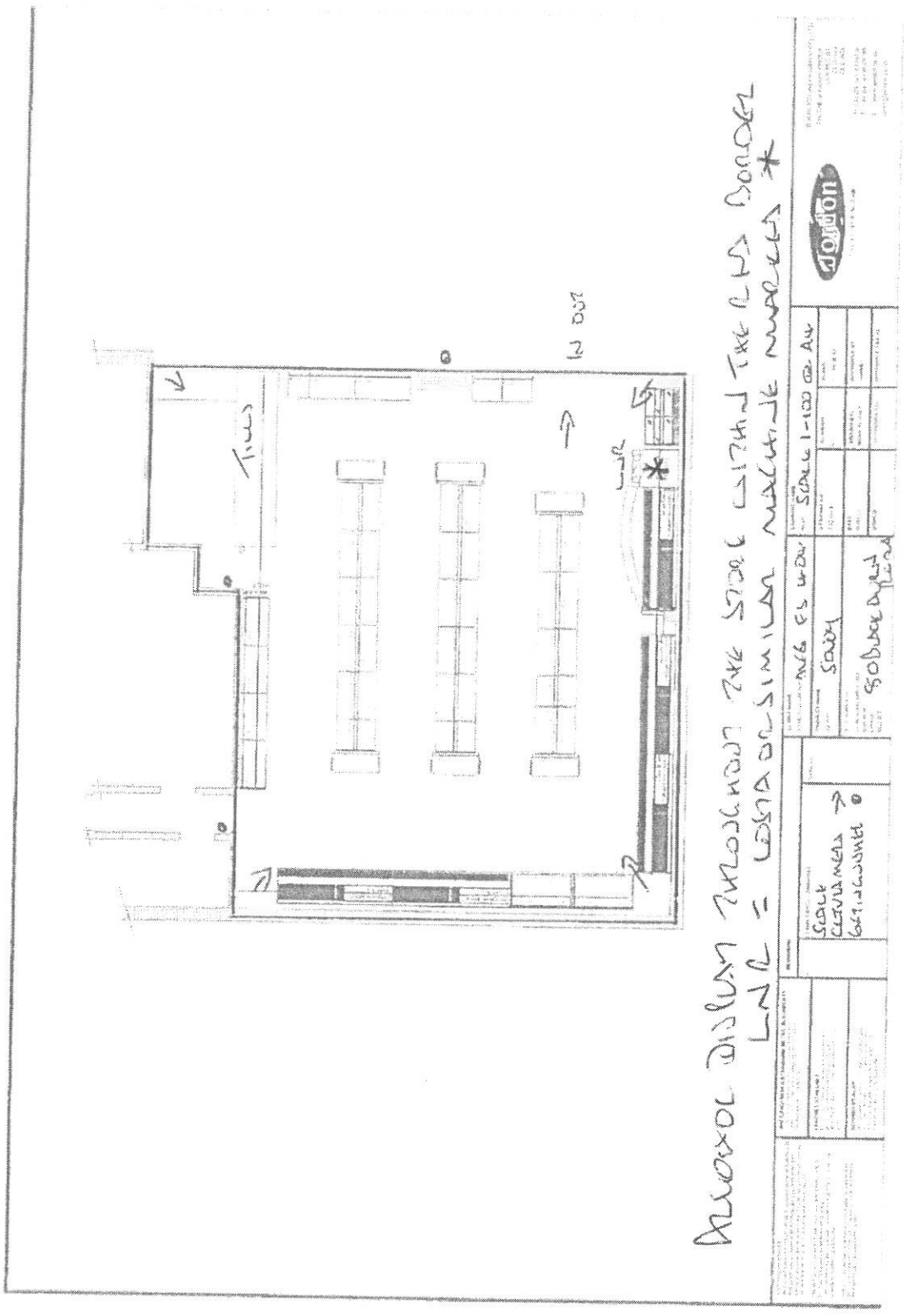
Date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Once you're finished you need to do the following:

1. Save this form to your computer by clicking file/save as...
2. Go back to <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-a-licence/premises-licence/blackburn-with-darwen/change-1> to upload this file and continue with your application.

Don't forget to make sure you have all your supporting documentation to hand.

IT IS AN OFFENCE, LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING LEVEL 5 ON THE STANDARD SCALE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION



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PUBLIC NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION TO VARY A PREMISES LICENCE UNDER SECTION 34 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003

Notice is hereby given that an application was made to **BLACKBURN WITH DARWEN BOROUGH COUNCIL** to vary a premises licence under the above Act on the **23rd MAY 2017**

Applicant: **MOTOR FUEL LIMITED**
Address of premises: **CONVENIENCE STORE
SAVOY FILLING STATION
80 BLACKBURN ROAD
DARWEN
BB3 1QJ**

Proposed variations to the licensable activities:

EXTEND THE HOURS FOR THE SALE OF ALCOHOL

Proposed days and hours of licensable activity:

EVERY DAY
ALCOHOL SALES 00.00 - 24.00

The postal address of the Licensing Authority where the register is kept and the application may be inspected is:

*** BLACKBURN WITH DARWEN COUNCIL, LICENSING UNIT,
OLD TOWN HALL, BLACKBURN BB1 7DY**

Any person wishing to make representations on this matter shall give notice, in writing, stating the nature and grounds for making such representations to The Licensing Officer at the above address* within 28 days of the date of this notice – by the

20TH JUNE 2017.

Further information is available on the web site www.blackburn.gov.uk following the links.

It is an offence, under section 158 of the Licensing Act 2003, to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in or in connection with an application and the maximum fine on summary conviction of such an offence is not limited.

Licensing Solutions – duly authorised agents

Licensing Act 2003 representation**Representation by Kieran Richards concerning an application for (or a variation to) a Licence to sell alcohol.**

Name and address of premises applying:

Savoy Garage, 80 Blackburn Road, Darwen

Date of application: 20/06/17 Submission of Representation deadline: 20/07/17

Representation submitted by a Responsible Authority or a resident of Blackburn with Darwen (delete as appropriate)

(Legislation defines those who can generally lodge objections (representations) as: A 'Responsible Authority' and/or any other person)

Name: Kieran Richards

Your Address: 27 Gillibrand St, Darwen, BB3 1HA

Email: krrichards1991@gmail.com

Telephone: 07757380566

Please use the boxes below to comment on why the applicant may be unable to uphold any or all of the 4 Licence Conditions. Please use any examples that are known to you and include any other relevant supporting information. You may also wish to include suggestions how your concerns could be addressed (licence conditions for example):

Public Nuisance:

Increase of assault in the area.

Increase of crime surround the establishment has increased.

The three wards areas around the location have a total of $(34 + 24 + 24) = 82$ TIIG assault presentations at RBH since 2013 (3 years 3 months), equivalent to 2 assaults each month requiring emergency treatment at A&E.

Crime and Disorder:

Crime and disorder have seen an increase in the area. As shown by the above data.

Locals have suffered from alcohol related litter in their properties and alleyways, cans, bottles and broken glass.

There has also been three crime related instances shown on the crime map directly next to the establishment.

Protection of Children from Harm:

Children during the day visit the store.
In the evening it is regularly visited by young adults as young as age 11.

Public Safety:

There have been instances of theft that have caused distress as a result of the license.
With the point above regarding public safety, an increase to A&E.

In an attached document sourced information and further details regarding how these objectives will be provided, as well as a petition from a few concerned locals.

Copies of this representation will be sent to the applicant, or their agent/solicitor, including name and address details (but other personal contact information such as telephone numbers and email addresses will be removed) unless you have specifically requested anonymity. Copies of this representation will be included in a report that will be available to the public and will be published on the internet; however the published on-line version of the report will have name and address details removed.



Signature _____

Date 20/06/2017 _____

Please ensure name and address details completed above

Return to: Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council
Public Protection Service (Licensing)
Room 304, Floor 3, Old Town Hall,
Blackburn, BB1 7DY

or send by email to: publicprotection@blackburn.gov.uk

Dear Board members, as a resident of Gillibrand st I was asked to represent the objection to the alcohol license variation that was applied for by, the Savoy Garage, 80 Blackburn Rd.

The reasons for this objection is due to the lack of information by the establishment. The locals of the area have had to suffer, due to litter and broken glass sold since the license was approved. Although these are minor offenses, we have also seen increase of public nuisance and crime related to license when it was introduced last year 2016. This is highly distressing to see as many children live in the area, during the evenings young adults regularly visit the store.

Below are the licensing objectives with point based on how each objectives have been failed so far with the current license.

The Act sets out four licensing objectives which must be taken into account when a local authority carries out its functions. They are:

1. the prevention of crime and disorder,

Crime and disorder have seen an increase in the area. As shown by the above data. Locals have suffered from alcohol related litter in their properties and alleyways, cans, bottles and broken glass.

There has also been three crime related instances shown on the crime map directly next to the establishment.

2. public safety,

- The three wards areas around the location have a total of $(34 + 24 + 24) = 82$ TIIG assault presentations at RBH since 2013 (3 years 3 months), equivalent to 2 assaults each month requiring emergency treatment at A&E.
 - There have been a total of 73 attendances to A&E for assault from May 16 to April 17, directly from the surrounding wards of Sunnyhurst, Earcroft and Sudell.
- There have been instances of theft that have caused distress as a result of the license.

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3. prevention of public nuisance, and

Increase of assault in the area.

Increase of crime surround the establishment has increased.

The three wards areas around the location have a total of $(34 + 24 + 24) = 82$ TIIG assault presentations at RBH since 2013 (3 years 3 months), equivalent to 2 assaults each month requiring emergency treatment at A&E.

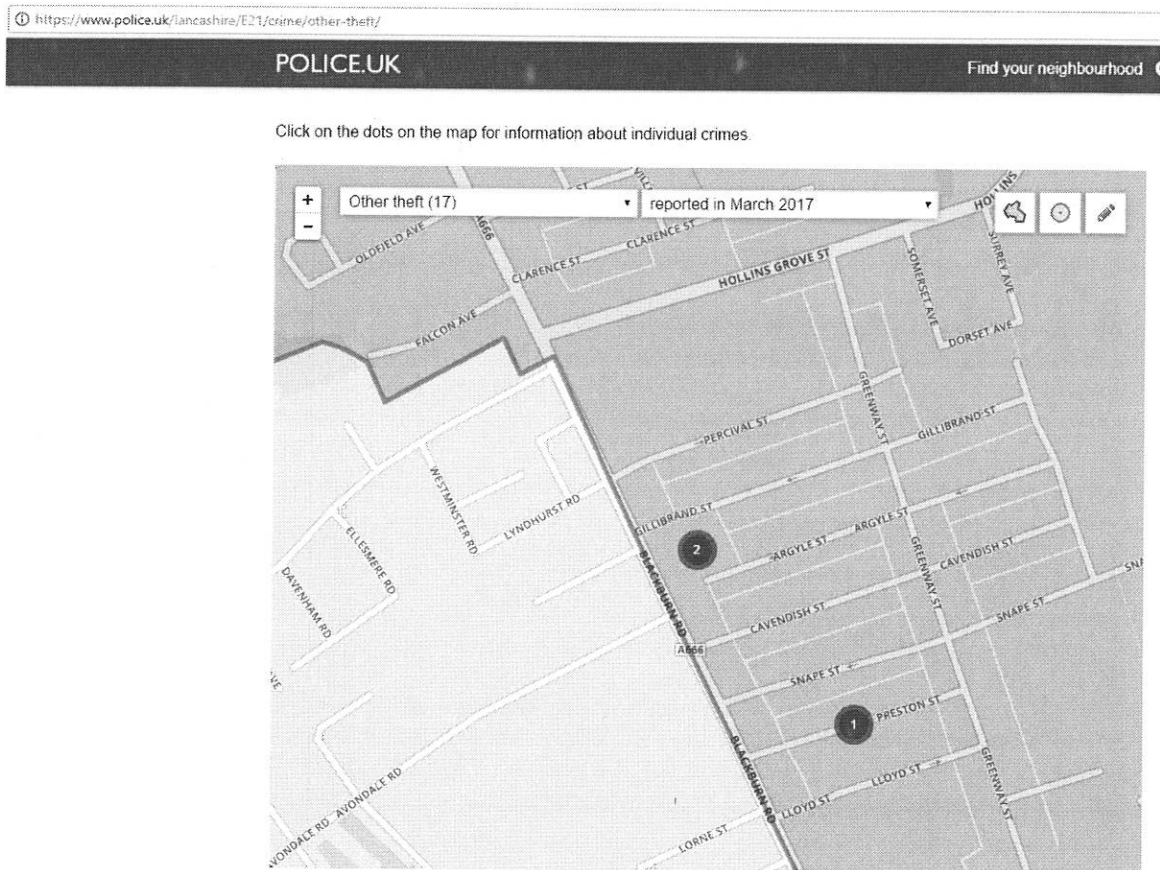
4. the protection of children from harm

Children during the day visit the store.

In the evening it is regularly visited by young adults as young as age 11.

Our point as residents is, we suffer greatly from societal issues already. In Earcroft alone we already have 23 license premises alone, only one of them is a Pub. We feel this variation only worsens the already alcohol and drug related issues the ward suffers. We must ask ourselves who is buying alcohol at 11pm onwards, are we doing a disservice to the public allowing our vulnerable access to dangerous substances so late in the night.

Below is an image regarding the map surround the establishment.



Petition
 Alcohol license
 80 Blackburn Rd.

NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE
S MURPHY	17 GILLIBRAND ST	S Murphy
D MURPHY	19 GILLIBRAND ST	D Murphy
IAN GILLIBRAND	99 BLACKBURN RD	I Gillibrand
R CALLINAN	88 BLACKBURN RD	R Callinan
G Oates	47 GILLIBRAND ST	G Oates
J Oates	2 Chapels Row	J Oates
K. Richards	27 Gillibrand st	K Richards
V. Mills V. Mills	27 Gillibrand street	V Mills