Licensing Act 2003

Notification of determination

Hearing under Sections 17 and 18 of the Act and The Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005 In respect of an application made to the Oxford City Council for a Premises Licence



Date of hearing: 26th May 2015

Place: Town Hall, Oxford

Case No: **15/01192/PREM**

Applicant: Hollybush Property Ltd

Premises: Holly Bush Inn

Premises address: 106 Bridge Street, Oxford, OX2 0BD

Licensing Sub-committee Councillors: Clarkson (Chair), Coulter and Henwood

Legal Advisor: Daniel Smith

Licensing Officer: Allan Hibberd

Clerk: Richard Masters

Decision and Reasons of the Sub Committee

- 1. The Sub-committee considered all submissions, both written and oral. It also had regard to the relevant Home Office Guidance and the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy.
- 2. The Sub-committee felt that the Responsible Authorities, with the co-operation of the Applicant, had developed a robust operating schedule and reduced operating hours that was fit for purpose and promoted the licensing objectives. The Sub-Committee were satisfied that, with adherence to the agreed conditions and operating policies, the application could be granted without causing nuisance, crime or disorder.
- The Sub-Committee wished to make clear that if problems do occur or conditions are not complied with, enforcement action may follow including the possibility of a review of the licence.
- 4. The Sub-committee recognised the concerns of the interested parties but had to acknowledge that a number of these concerns fell outside the remit of the

Licensing Act 2003. In relation to those concerns which could be considered, primarily the risk of nuisance, crime and disorder, the Sub-Committee felt these were addressed by the amended application and conditions, but re-iterated that the licence could be reviewed if problems developed.

The Application, as amended, was therefore **GRANTED**

Signed:

Mary Clarkson

Chair of Licensing Sub-committee

Notes:

A. The applicant, and any responsible authority or interested party that has made representations upon the application has a right of appeal to the Magistrates' Court against this decision. If you wish to appeal you must do so within 21 days of being notified of the decision.