

NOTICE OF DECISION

The Licensing Sub-Committee of West Berkshire Council met on 8 March 2011 and considered the application 11/00058/LQN for the review of the Premise License in respect of premises known as The Bunk Inn submitted by Rosemary Green (Senior Environmental Health Officer) on 13 January 2011.

In coming to their decision, the Committee had regard to the four licensing objectives, which are:

1. The prevention of crime and disorder;
2. Public safety;
3. The prevention of public nuisance; and
4. The protection of children from harm.

They also considered the Department of Culture, Media and Sport Guidance on the Licensing Act 2003 and West Berkshire Council's licensing policy.

The Committee heard representations made by:

1. The Applicant: Rosemary Green (Senior Environmental Health Officer).
2. The Premise License Holders represented by: Mrs Clark and Michelle Diogioa.
3. The supporters to the review of the application: Mr and Mrs Monger and Mr and Mrs Armstrong. The sub committee also had regard to the written representations of Tammy and Peter Willsher.

Having taken those representations into account, the Licensing Sub-Committee found that premises known as the Bunk Inn at Curridge was not being operated in accordance with the licensing objective for the prevention of public nuisance as the activities at the premises were causing an ongoing public nuisance to surrounding residents. The Sub Committee therefore RESOLVED that the premises licence number 013624 in respect of premises at The Bunk Inn, Curridge, Thatcham be amended with immediate effect in the terms below:

- (1) The Performance of Live Music, Recorded Music, Other Similar Entertainment, Provision of Music Facilities, Provision of Dancing Facilities, Late Night Refreshment and the Supply of Alcohol shall be permitted between the hours of 10:00 and 23:00 on Mondays to Sundays. Non Standard Timings: Extend finish time on notable days by one hour: Burns Night, Valentines day, St Patricks Day, Easter Saturday, Easter Monday, St George's Day, May Day Bank Holiday, Spring Bank Holiday, Summer Bank Holiday.

REASON: The limitation in hours was required to meet the licensing objective of the prevention of public nuisance.

- (2) The opening hours of the premises shall be permitted from 10:00 to 23:30 on Mondays to Sundays. Non Standard Timings: Extend finish time on notable days by one hour: Burns Night, Valentines day, St Patricks Day, Easter Saturday, Easter Monday, St George's Day, May Day Bank Holiday, Spring Bank Holiday, Summer Bank Holiday.

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