



## Licensing Sub-Committee 25 September 2024

<b>Report Title</b>	<b>Summary Review of the Premises Licence of Euro Market, 1 Church Street, Wellingborough, Northamptonshire NN8 4PA</b>
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#### **Appendix 1 - Northamptonshire Police Certificate and Application for Review**

#### **Appendix 2 – Current Premises Licence**

##### **1. Purpose of Report**

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- 1.1 To consider application for a summary review of the Premises Licence under section 53a of the Licensing Act 2003, in relation to the premises known as Euro Market, 1 Church Street, Wellingborough NN8 4PA.

##### **2. Executive Summary**

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- 2.1 A certificate and application to review the premises licence for the premises known as Euro Market, 1 Church Street, Wellingborough was received from Northamptonshire Police on 24 September 2024.
- 2.2 The application allows a process for considering whether it is necessary to take action by way of interim steps, if those premises are deemed to be a cause for serious crime or disorder.
- 2.3 Northamptonshire Police within their application and certificate consider that the premises concerned are associated with serious crime. The application relates to the prevention of crime and disorder under the licensing objectives as detailed in the Licensing Act 2003.

##### **3. Recommendations**

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- 3.1 The Sub-Committee is asked to consider whether interim steps are necessary with regards to the Premises Licence.

## 4. Report Background

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- 4.1 A blue notice will be placed at the premises on 25 September 2024.
- 4.2 All statutory consultees have been advised of the summary review giving them the opportunity to make representation ahead of the full hearing, which will take place on 22 October 2024.

## 5. Issues and Choices

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- 5.1 The Panel must carry out its functions to promote the licensing objectives having regard to:
- The North Northamptonshire Council Licensing Policy
  - S182 Guidance
  - S53a Licensing Act 2003 Summary Review Guidance
  - Section 53 Licensing Act 2003
- 5.2 The Act states that for a summary review, the licensing Sub Committee must consider whether interim steps are necessary / appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives, or whether to reject or modify the interim steps requested. If the Licensing Sub Committee decides to take steps at the Interim Stage, the decision takes effect immediately and there is no right of appeal to a magistrates' court at this stage.
- 5.3 When considering the case, the Licensing Sub Committee must take into account:
- The Senior Officer's Certificate that accompanied the application (**Appendix 1**)
  - The Chief Officer's Representations (**Appendix 1**)
  - Any representations made by the Premises Licence Holder
- 5.4 The options open to the Licensing Sub Committee at the interim steps stage include:
- Modification of the conditions of the premises licence
  - The exclusion of the sale of alcohol
  - Removal of the Designated Premises Supervisor from the licence
  - Suspension of the Licence
- 5.5 Following the full licence review, the Licensing Panel may do any of the above, or may revoke the Premises Licence.
- 5.6 A copy of the Premises Licence is attached within **Appendix 2**.

## 6. Next Steps

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- 6.1 Once the Sub Committee have determined whether to take any action regarding the Euro Market Premises Licence, a decision notice will be sent to the Premises Licence Holder confirming the decision.

## **7. Implications (including financial implications)**

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### **7.1 Resources and Financial**

7.1.1 There are no resource or financial implications arising from the proposals at this stage.

### **7.2 Legal and Governance**

7.2.1 The Licensing Act 2003 makes it a duty for the local authority to carry out its functions under the Act with a view to promoting the four licensing objectives:

- The prevention of crime and disorder
- Public safety
- The prevention of public nuisance, and
- The protection of children from harm

In carrying out its licensing functions, a licensing authority must also have regard to—

- (a) its licensing statement published under section 5, and
- (b) any guidance issued by the Secretary of State under section 182.

### **7.3 Relevant Policies and Plans**

7.3.1 The North Northamptonshire Council Licensing Act 2003 Statement of Licensing Policy for regulated entertainment, late night refreshment and the sale of alcohol 2022 – 2027, assists the council in meeting stated commitments within the Corporate Plan.

7.3.2 Relevant section of the Corporate Plan is:

- Creating safe and thriving places

### **7.4 Risk**

7.4.1 There are no significant risks arising from the proposed recommendations in this report.

### **7.5 Consultation**

7.5.1 The consultation process has been carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Licensing Act 2003 and associated guidance.

### **7.6 Consideration by Executive Advisory Panel**

7.6.1 This report has not been considered by the Executive Advisory Panel

### **7.7 Consideration by Scrutiny**

7.7.1 This is not a matter for the Scrutiny Committee.

## **7.8 Equality Implications**

7.8.1 There are no equality implications arising from the proposed recommendations in this report.

## **7.9 Climate Impact**

7.9.1 There are no climate / environmental impacts that may arise regarding this report.

## **7.10 Community Impact**

7.10.1 There are no community impact implications.

## **7.11 Crime and Disorder Impact**

7.11.1 This report is being considered by the Sub Committee in order to reduce Crime and Disorder within the Council district.

## **8 Background Papers**

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Licensing Act 2003

[Licensing Act 2003 \(legislation.gov.uk\)](https://legislation.gov.uk)

Revised Guidance under Section 182 of Licensing Act 2003

[Revised guidance issued under section 182 of Licensing Act 2003 - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](https://www.gov.uk)

Statement of Licensing Policy (2022 to 2027)

[Licensing policy | North Northamptonshire Council \(northnorthants.gov.uk\)](https://northnorthants.gov.uk)