

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE  
LICENSING COMMITTEE  
HELD AT NELSON TOWN HALL  
ON 17<sup>th</sup> JULY, 2018**

*PRESENT –*

*Councillor K. Turner (Chairman – in the Chair)*

**Councillors**

*M. Adams  
Nadeem Ahmed  
L. M. Crossley  
P. A. McCormick  
J. Purcell  
K. E. Shore  
G. Waugh  
D. Whalley  
S. Wicks*

**Officers in attendance**

*D. Talbot Solicitor, Burnley Borough Council  
M. Armfield Licensing Enforcement Officer  
A. Smith Licensing Administration Officer  
J. Watson Head of Democratic Services*



**1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Members were reminded of the requirements of the Member Code of Conduct concerning the declaration of interests.

**2. MINUTES**

**RESOLVED**

That the Minutes of the meeting held on 24<sup>th</sup> April, 2018 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

**3. APPLICATION TO VARY A PREMISES LICENCE  
AT THE LOUNGE, 79-81 GISBURN ROAD, BARROWFORD**

The Planning, Building Control and Licensing Services Manager submitted a report which asked members to consider an application to vary the premises licence at The Lounge in Barrowford following representations received from persons residing in the vicinity of the premises and the Council's Environmental Health service.

It was reported that it was a valid application and it had been established that all notices had been properly served, displayed and advertised. Following consultation with the Police the applicant had agreed to the inclusion of additional conditions.

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Members and all relevant parties had received a copy of the report which included a copy of the application and the representations received.

The applicant, objectors and the Client Team Manager from Environmental Health attended the hearing.

The Committee considered all of the evidence produced in relation to issues of public nuisance and the impact on the licensing objectives of increasing the licensing hours for various licensable activities.

In light of the evidence produced, the Committee were not satisfied that those issues would be sufficiently alleviated by the imposition of conditions and that the impact on the licensing objectives by the increased hours applied for would therefore be unsatisfactory.

**RESOLVED**

That the application to vary the Premises Licence be refused.

***REASON***

***In compliance with the licensing objectives especially with regard to the prevention of public nuisance.***

Chairman \_\_\_\_\_