

**REVIEW OF THE PREMISES LICENCE FOR
EURO OFF-LICENCE, 142 WELLINGBOROUGH ROAD, RUSHDEN
LICENSING PANEL HEARING 1 JULY 2019**

The Licensing Panel has considered this application for a Review of the Premises Licence for Euro Off-Licence, 142 Wellingborough Road, Rushden that was requested by Northamptonshire Police. The Panel took into account the report of the Health Protection Manager and the Licensing Compliance Officer of East Northamptonshire Council. The Panel also heard from the Premises Licence Holder's representative on behalf of the Premises Licence Holder Mr K Suthitharan.

The Panel carefully deliberated and had regard to:-

- The Licensing Act 2003
- The Statement of Licensing Policy (Section 2.10 and 2.13)
- S182 Guidance –(Section 11.16 to 11.23 and 11.29)
- All relevant representations received

The main reason for the review is in relation to the prevention of crime and disorder and the protection of children from harm.

The Licensing Panel have considered all the above and were pleased to hear that the Premises Licence Holder, since the failed test purchase on 15 April 2019, has taken positive steps to ensure that the Licensing Objectives are being met. Furthermore, the Panel were advised that a recent test purchase was passed on the 17 June 2019.

The Panel also noted that the Premises Licence Holder had accepted the conditions put forward by Northamptonshire Police and therefore the Panel have decided that the following conditions be added to the Premises Licence:-

- 1) A CCTV system is installed and maintained within the premises, the CCTV will cover all licensable areas including the till and serving counter. The CCTV will record images and these will be retained for a minimum of 31 days. A member of staff trained in the operation of the CCTV equipment will be available on the premises at all times the premises is open to the public. A copy of the recordings will be provided to the Police or an Authorised Officer of a

Responsible Authority upon reasonable request but no later than 48 hours, the request will be made within the provisions of current Data Protection legislation.

- 2) A proof of age scheme, Challenge 25 shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are recognised photographic cards, such as a driving licence, passports, holographic marked PASS scheme cards, or HM Forces identification cards.
- 3) Training records shall be kept and maintained in respect of the prevention of underage sales of alcohol and refresher training shall be done every six months, the records shall be signed for by all staff employed in the sale by retail of alcohol.
4. Signage shall be displayed within the premises relating to the Challenge 25 scheme.

The Decision Notice will be sent out in writing. If any Party, who has made a representation, is aggrieved with the Panel's decision, they have the Right to Appeal to the Magistrates Court. That must be done within 21 days of the date given on the Decision Notice, and the modification of the licence conditions do not take affect until expiry of the 21 day period

Chairman - Councillor B Jenney

1 July 2019