

MINUTE of MEETING of the WEST LOTHIAN LICENSING BOARD held within MS TEAMS VIRTUAL MEETING ROOM, on 14 JANUARY 2022.

Present – Councillors Dom McGuire (Chair), Alison Adamson, David Dodds, Damian Doran-Timson, Peter Heggie and George Paul

Apologies – Councillor Bruce Fairbairn

In Attendance

Gary McMullan, Depute Clerk, West Lothian Licensing Board
Douglas Frood, Licensing Standards Officer, West Lothian Council
Inspector Brendan McMahon, Police Scotland
PC Barry Collett, Police Scotland

1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest made.

2. MINUTE

The Board confirmed the draft Minute of its Meeting held on 10 December 2021 as a correct record. The Minute was thereafter signed by the chair.

3. APPLICATION FOR A PROVISIONAL PREMISES LICENCE - AMMAN STORE, LIVINGSTON

The applicant and the legal agent for Amman Store, Livingston, took part in the MS Teams virtual meeting. Introductions were made and procedures explained.

The Board considered a report (copies of which had been circulated) by the Clerk with regard to the application for a provisional premises licence.

The report recommended that the Board consider and determine the application for the premises licence having regard to the content of the report and any submissions made by or on behalf of the applicant. The Board heard submissions from the legal agent and his client in relation to the application.

Decision

To grant the application for a provisional premises licence to Amman Store, Livingston.

4. APPLICATION FOR A PROVISIONAL PREMISES LICENCE – S AND A NEWSAGENTS, BROXBURN

The applicant and the legal agent for S and A Newsagents, Broxburn,

took part in the MS Teams virtual meeting. Introductions were made and procedures explained.

The Board considered a report (copies of which had been circulated) by the Clerk with regard to the application for provisional premises licence.

The report recommended that the Board consider and determine the application for the premises licence having regard to the content of the report and any submissions made by or on behalf of the applicant. The Board heard submissions from the legal agent and his client in relation to the application.

Decision

To grant the application for a provisional premises licence to S and A Newsagents, Broxburn.

5. APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE – DRAMFOOL LTD., LINLITHGOW

The applicant for Dramfool Ltd. took part in the MS Teams virtual meeting. Introductions were made and procedures explained.

The Board considered a report (copies of which had been circulated) by the Clerk with regard to the application for premises licence. An objection to the application was received, the full terms of which were set out in the report and relevant appendix.

The report recommended that the Board consider and determine the application for the premises licence having regard to the content of the report and any submissions made by or on behalf of the applicant and the objector. The Board heard submissions from the applicant in relation to his application and considered the objection and written submission lodged by the objector.

Decision

To grant the application for a premises licence to Dramfool Ltd., Linlithgow.