

Licensing Sub-Committee

Minutes of meeting held in Ditchling and Telscombe Rooms - Southover House, Southover Road, Lewes, BN7 1AB on 7 March 2022 at 1.30 pm.

Present:

Councillor Liz Boorman (Chair).

Councillors Liz Boorman, Isabelle Linington and Christine Robinson.

Officers in attendance:

Michele Wilkinson (Lawyer (Housing & Regulatory)), Michael Davis (Specialist Advisor, Licensing) and Nick Peeters (Committee Officer).

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7 Apologies for absence/declaration of substitute members

There were none.

8 Declarations of interest

There were none.

9 Application for a Premises Licence at The Paddock, The Old Motor Road, The Old Racecourse, Lewes

Those attending were introduced, and the Chair of the Licensing Sub Committee welcomed all parties to the Hearing. The procedure for the hearing was explained.

The Licensing Officer presented the Report to the Sub Committee, summarised the details and answered questions from Members.

Mr Thornton, the Consultant for the applicant, Claire Beard, addressed the Sub-Committee and responded to questions.

The representor, a nearby resident and representing the Old Racecourse Residents' Association, addressed set out his concerns about the application

and responded to questions.

Mr Thornton summed up the application and both he and Claire Beard responded to points raised.

The Sub Committee adjourned at 15:05 to consider the application. All attendees were advised that they would receive the decision of the Licensing Sub Committee as soon as possible and within five working days.

The meeting ended at 3.05 pm

Councillor Boorman