

LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE

Date of Meeting	Monday 4 th September 11:30 am
Report Subject	Application to Vary a Premises Licence
Report Author	Chief Officer (Planning and Environment)

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

For Members to consider and determine an application under the Licensing Act 2003 to vary a Premises Licence held by Punch Taverns Plc.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1 That Members consider and determine the application to vary a Premises Licence by Punch Taverns Plc.

REPORT DETAILS

1.00	EXPLAINING THE APPLICATION
1.01	The premises concerned is the Nant Inn, Padeswood Road, Buckley, CH7 2JN. Its location can be seen in Appendix A.
1.02	The applicant is Punch Taverns Plc.
1.03	The application is to vary an existing Premises Licence which has been held by Punch Taverns Plc for over ten years.
1.04	The applicant has applied to vary the licence to include an external bar which can be seen in Appendix B.
1.05	All licensable activities will cease outdoors at 23:00h.
1.06	North Wales Fire and Rescue Service have confirmed in writing that they will not be making any representations to the Licensing Authority regarding the application.
1.07	A representation was received from a local resident which was later withdrawn after they were notified that their representation could not be made anonymously.
1.08	North Wales Police have confirmed in writing that the application has been discussed with Acting Inspector Geraint Richards, the officer responsible for the area, and that they wish to make representations as shown in Appendix C.
1.09	Flintshire County Council's Pollution Control Section have made representations as shown in Appendix D.
1.10	The steps that the applicant intends to take to promote the four licensing objectives are set out in Appendix E
1.11	The application was advertised in the correct manner.

2.00	RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS
2.01	None in respect of this report.

3.00	CONSULTATIONS REQUIRED / CARRIED OUT
3.01	None required.

4.00	RISK MANAGEMENT
4.01	All risks are addressed in the steps taken to promote the four licensing objectives shown in the Operating Schedule.

5.00	APPENDICES
5.01	Appendix A: Location plans Appendix B: Plan showing external bar Appendix C: Representation made by North Wales Police Appendix D: Representations made by Flintshire County Council Pollution Control. Appendix E: Steps taken to promote the licensing objectives.

6.00	LIST OF ACCESSIBLE BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS
6.01	Licensing Act 2003 Section 182 Guidance for Licensing Authorities Flintshire County Council's Statement of Licensing Policy Contact Officer: James Lowe, Licensing Officer Telephone: 01352 703376 E-mail: james.lowe@flintshire.gov.uk

7.00	GLOSSARY OF TERMS
7.01	Licensing Act 2003 – referred to as the Act.
	Premises Licence – means a licence granted under the Act, in respect of any premises, which authorises the premises to be used for one or more licensable activities.
	Time limited – its duration is limited to a set date(s) and time(s).
	Licensable activities – these are the sale by retail of alcohol, the supply of alcohol by or on behalf of a club to, or o the order of, a member of the club, the provision of regulated entertainment, and the provision of late night refreshment.
	Regulated entertainment - is defined as a performance of a play, an exhibition of a film, an indoor sporting event, a boxing or wrestling entertainment (both indoors and outdoors), a performance of live music, any playing of recorded music, or a performance of dance
	Late night refreshment – a person provides late night refreshment if at any time between the hours of 11.00pm and 5.00am., he supplies hot food or hot drink to members of the public, or a section of the public, on or from any premises, whether for consumption on or off the premises.

Supply of alcohol – means the sale by retail of alcohol, or the supply of alcohol by or on behalf of a club to, or to the order of, a member of the club.

Licensing Objectives - the Act sets out four licensing objectives. These are the prevention of crime and disorder, public safety, prevention of public nuisance, and the protection of children from harm.