# **AGENDA ITEM 4**

### REPORT NO LB 39/17

### ANGUS LICENSING BOARD - 14 SEPTEMBER 2017

### **PROVISIONAL PREMISES LICENCE - APPLICATION**

### UNDER THE LICENSING (S) ACT 2005

### REPORT BY SHEONA C HUNTER CLERK TO THE BOARD

## ABSTRACT

The purpose of this Report is to present an application for a new provisional premises licence under the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 which requires to be determined by the Board.

### 1. **RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Board consider and determine the application for a new licence as detailed in the attached Appendix, in terms of one of the following options:-

- (i) to grant the application, subject to Statutory Conditions and any other discretionary local conditions, which the Board may wish to impose;
- (ii) to propose a modification to the operating plan or layout plan (or both) and if the applicant accepts the proposed modification, request that the applicant amend the application and thereafter, grant the modified application with the proposed amendment, subject to the Statutory Conditions and any other discretionary or local conditions which the Board may wish to impose;
- (iii) to defer the application to the next Licensing Board; or
- (iv) to refuse the application on one or more of the grounds referred to in Paragraph 4.

# 2. BACKGROUND

The Board has received an application for a new provisional premises licence under the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 which requires to be determined by the Board because the matters are not subject to delegation and shall only be discharged by the Licensing Board.

### 3. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications arising from this Report.

### 4. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

Legal

The Board must, in considering and determining the application, consider whether any of the grounds for refusal applies and:-

- (a) if none of them applies, the Board must grant the application, or
- (b) if any of them applies, the Board must refuse the application.

The grounds for refusal are:-

- (a) that the subject premises are excluded premises;
- (b) that the application must be refused under Section 25(2) (the Board had previously refused a premises licence within the preceding one year), Section 64(2) (alcohol would be sold for a continuous period of 24 hours from the premises, unless there are exceptional circumstances which justify allowing the sale of alcohol on the premises during such a period), or Section 65(3) (if alcohol is to be sold for off sales purposes before 10am or after 10pm, or both);
- (ba) that the Licensing Board consider, having regard to the licensing objectives, that the applicant is not a fit and proper person to be the holder of a premises licence;
- (c) that the Licensing Board considers that the granting of the application would otherwise be inconsistent with one or more of the licensing objectives;
- (d) that, having regard to:
  - (i) the nature of the activities proposed to be carried on in the subject premises;
  - (ii) the location, character and condition of the premises, and
  - (iii) the persons likely to frequent the premises

the Board considers that the premises are unsuitable for use for the sale of alcohol;

(e) the Board considers that, if the application were to be granted, there would, as a result, be overprovision of licensed premises, or licensed premises of the same or similar description as the subject premises, in the locality.

In considering whether either of the grounds for refusal specified in subsection (5)(ba) and (c) applies, the Licensing Board must, in particular, take account of:

- (a) any conviction, notice of which is given by the Chief Constable under subsection
  (4)(b) of section 21 and
- (b) any report given by the Chief Constable under under section 24A(2)

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# APPENDIX TO REPORT LB 39/17

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# (a) CARNOUSTIE GOLF CENTRE, LINKS PARADE, CARNOUSTIE, DD7 7JE

### Names and Address of Applicant

CGLMC, Registered Office Address – Thorntons Law LLP, Whitehall House, Yeaman Shore, Dundee

#### Type of Licence: Provisional Premises Licence – On Sales

**1. Description of Premises –** The premises comprise a restaurant and bar with adjoining atrium facility and outside terrace overlooking Carnoustie Golf Links all located on the first floor of a purpose built Golf Centre.

2. Core times when alcohol will be sold for consumption on the premises:-

Sunday to Thursday	11.00 to 24.00
Friday and Saturday	11.00 to 01.00

The Board is asked to note that the hours requested are within Board's policy.

3. Seasonal Variation extension of hours permitted by Angus Licensing Board Policy.

#### 4. Activities to be provided -

- (a) Within core hours restaurant facilities, bar meals, receptions, club or other group meetings and recorded music.
- (b) Within and outwith core hours conference facilities and televised sport.
- (c) Breakfasts, teas, coffees, soft drinks and light snacks from 8am to 11am daily. Televised sport may be shown within these times. Conferences may be open from 9am. No alcohol is to be provided outwith core licensing hours.
- (d) Outdoor drinking facilities to be provided within core hours.

5. Capacity – Bar Restaurant / Atrium 345. Outside Terrace 65.

6. Children and Young Persons - aged 0 to 17 years to be permitted entry/access to:-.

- (a) all public parts including the restaurant area and toilet facilities
- (b) from opening time until 1 hour after the cessation of serving food in the group consuming the meal of which the child or young person forms part and during core hours when the child or young persons is attending a private function.
- (c) in accordance with the Model Local Conditions pertaining to children.

#### **Comments Received**

**PLANNING AND PLACE** advised on 9 August 2017 that a building warrant has been applied for in respect of the fit-out of the new golf centre, this has not been issued as yet with the agent for the project still having technical comments to answer

**COMMUNITIES, ENVIRONMENTAL & CONSUMER PROTECTION** advised on 21 August 2017 that the standard conditions should be applied in respect of external drinking areas.

Patrons shall not be permitted to use the external drinking area beyond 21.00.

No music shall be provided in the external drinking area.

No music or amplified sound should be provided anywhere within the licensed premises with the intention of being heard within the external drinking area.





