

# Decision Schedule



## Licensing Sub-Committee

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TO ALL MEMBERS OF NEWPORT CITY COUNCIL

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The Licensing Sub-Committee took the following decisions on 4 December 2018, which became effective immediately.

Councillors D Davies (in the Chair), H Thomas and M Rahman

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**LICSUB 09/18**

### **Decision**

#### **Mr J Islam seeking the grant of a Personal Licence under section 117 Licensing Act 2003**

The Sub-Committee carefully considered the application for a personal licence and listened to the evidence given by the Police and the applicant.

The Sub-Committee had decided to refuse the application because the applicant had been convicted of a relevant offence that was unspent which the police considered would undermine the crime prevention objective. The applicant's reason for wanting a license before the conviction became spent on 30 April 2019 was in case he opened his own restaurant and needed to have a license before that date. The Sub-Committee did not consider this to be an exceptional circumstance that justified the grant of a personal license and therefore refused the application. The applicant was advised of his right to appeal, however he was made aware that he could re-apply for a personal licence after 30 April 2019 when his conviction became spent and would no longer be considered a relevant conviction when applying for a personal license.

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### **Consultation**

**Implemented by:** 4 December 2018

**Implementation Timetable:** Immediate

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