

# 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 **31<sup>st</sup> May 2023**, which became effective immediately.

Councillors: Kate Thomas (Chair), Allan Morris and Janet Cleverly

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### **The Consideration and decision in respect of a variation application by Tiny Rebel Ltd under section 34 Licensing Act 2003**

The Licensing Sub Committee carefully considered the Licensing Manager's report, comments made by the Environmental Health Officers and the representations (both orally and in writing) made by local residents as well as the relevant provisions of the Licensing Act 2003, the statutory guidance thereto and the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy.

The Committee were sympathetic towards the local residents' position and very mindful of the potential impact upon them were they to grant the Application. The Committee also noted the Applicant's non-compliance with advice given by the Licensing Authority during a similar event held in July 2022, although it was acknowledged that 3 of the 4 licensing objectives were being sufficiently promoted by them at that time and the event appeared well managed, except for a lack of adequate noise control.

Notwithstanding the above, the Committee noted the considerable amount of work and planning that had been undertaken by the Applicant, in conjunction with Environmental Health officers, to mitigate any future problems likely to arise as a result of the planned event. The Committee noted the detailed proposed event notice conditions at Appendix A and accepted the views of the Environmental Health officers, that should the said conditions be complied with, the noise would be at an acceptable level. It was also clear that the Applicant was fully aware of the implications should the conditions not be adhered to. It was noted that all Responsible Authorities had withdrawn their objections to the application, as a result of the Applicant agreeing to revised times and conditions.

However, in all the circumstances, the Committee believed an amendment to the operating schedule was necessary to further promote the licensing objective of prevention of public nuisance, namely, that all live music to cease by 10pm and that all recorded music to cease by 10.30pm.

**DECISION:** Application allowed with amendment to the operating schedule so that all live music to cease by 10pm and all recorded music to cease by 10.30pm and conditions agreed by Responsible Authorities and applicant are attached to the premises license.