

BEFORE THE LICENSING AUTHORITY AT OLDHAM COUNCIL
IN THE MATTER OF
THE LOUNGE, 171 UNION STREET, OLDHAM
LICENCE REVIEW BROUGHT BY THE LOCAL WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
AUTHORITY IN OLDHAM UNDER S.51 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003

AGREEMENT TO LICENCE CONDITIONS

Licensing Authority
Oldham Council
North House
130 Rochdale Road
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In the matter of the review of the licence held by Ajay Javer for the The Lounge, 171 Union Street, Oldham, the premises licence holder requests the Licensing Authority to take note of the agreement reached with the applicant for review, the local weights and measures authority and the party making representations in the review, Greater Manchester Police, as follows:

1. That the applicant would voluntarily accept the following conditions be placed upon the licence for this premises:

It shall be a condition of the licence that during any regulated drinks promotion under this condition, the following conditions shall apply to the operators licence.

- *Consumption of alcohol must not be permitted within one metre of the bar;*
- *One queue per bar should be formed of customers awaiting drinks.*
- *The start of the queue must be at least one metre from the bar and must be marshalled by barriers and signage;*
- *Consumption of alcohol must not be permitted whilst waiting in the queue;*
- *In general, if a person leaves the queue, they must return to the rear, but operators may make provision for customers leaving the queue to go to the toilet;*

- *At least one SIA licensed member of door staff should be assigned to each queue;*
- *Alcohol can only be supplied over the bar (ie not table or waiter/ress service);*
- *A person can queue to obtain drinks for themselves and one other person – no more than two drinks can be taken from the bar by each person in the queue;*

It shall be a condition of the licence that any regulated drinks promotion is brought to the attention of the Licensing Authority and Greater Manchester Police at least seven days in advance. In addition, for the duration of the regulated drinks promotion, the licence holder must commission Greater Manchester Police to provide two additional police officers for the purpose of patrolling the premises and its surrounding environs. A fee is payable for this to GMP at standard advertised rates.

For the purposes of these conditions a regulated drinks promotion is any promotion, marketing, sale or supply of alcohol between 2100hrs and 0500hrs hours that:

- *Offers to supply alcohol for less than 75p per unit of alcohol; or*
- *Offers to supply alcohol for the payment of a fixed fee (such as payment on the door); or*
- *Offers to supply alcohol where the purchase of one drink results in the supply of a free drink or drinks; or*
- *Offers to supply alcohol in return for tickets or vouchers purchased on the premises; or*
- *Offers a discount to purchasers of alcohol exceeding 20% (either through promotion voucher published in advance or ticket/voucher purchased on the premises).*

A unit of alcohol is defined as the amount in millilitres multiplied by the amount of alcohol by volume (ABV) divided by 1000.

It shall be a condition of this licence that during opening hours at least two SIA licensed door supervisors are employed at the premises.

- That, if accepted by the Licensing Authority, the local weights and measures authority would withdraw its proposed conditions contained within its application.

- That, if accepted by the Licensing Authority, the Greater Manchester Police would withdraw its representations in relation to the review.
- That, the parties to the proposed hearing in this matter having signed this agreement, requests the Licensing Authority to determine the application accordingly in accordance with Paragraph 7, Schedule 4 of the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005.
- That, as agreement has been reached, the parties consider that a hearing is unnecessary and ask the Licensing Authority to proceed to determination in accordance with Regulation 9 of the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005.

The premises licence holder and the responsible bodies that are party to this review would like to take this opportunity to thank the Licensing Authority for their determination in this matter.

Signed Name
For Ajay Javer

Signed Name
For the Local Weights and Measures Authority of Oldham

Signed Name
For Greater Manchester Police