



Title of Report:	Entertainments Licensing Report
Committee Report Submitted To:	Environmental Services Committee
Date of Meeting:	8th November 2022
For Decision or For Information	For Decision

Linkage to Council Strategy (2021-25)	
Strategic Theme	Local Economy
Outcome	Implementation of statutory requirements
Lead Officer	Head of Health & Built Environment

Budgetary Considerations	
Cost of Proposal	Licensing Fee Applies
Included in Current Year Estimates	NO
Capital/Revenue	N/A
Code	N/A
Staffing Costs	N/A

Screening Requirements	Required for new or revised Policies, Plans, Strategies or Service Delivery Proposals.		
Section 75 Screening	Screening Completed:	N/A	Date:
	EQIA Required and Completed:	N/A	Date:
Rural Needs Assessment (RNA)	Screening Completed	N/A	Date:
	RNA Required and Completed:	N/A	Date:
Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA)	Screening Completed:	N/A	Date:
	DPIA Required and Completed:	N/A	Date:

1.0 ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

1.1 GRANT OF INDOOR ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

Licence No: EL001

Premises: 55 Degrees North, 1 Causeway Street, Portrush

Application: Grant of an Annual Indoor Entertainments Licence

Days and times on which it is applied to provide entertainment:
Monday to Sunday 17:00hrs to 01:00hrs

Representations: Closing date 17th November 2022
PSNI: No objections
NIFRS: Closing date 10th November 2022

Recommendation

It is recommended to grant an Annual Entertainments Licence subject to compliance with any recommendations of the Council's Licensing Department, no representations being received and no objections from NIFRS.

1.2 GRANT OF INDOOR ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

Licence No: EL220

Premises: Ballybogey Community Hall, 8A Wheatfield Park, Ballybogey

Application: Grant of Occupational Indoor Entertainments Licence

Days and times on which it is applied to provide entertainment:
Monday to Sunday 10:00 hrs to 00:00hrs

Representations: No objections
PSNI: No objections
NIFRS: Closing date 7th November 2022

Recommendation

It is recommended to grant an Occasional Entertainments Licence subject to compliance with any recommendations of the Council's Licensing Department, and no objection from NIFRS.

1.3 GRANT OF INDOOR ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

Licence No: EL116

Premises: Errigal Hall, 79 Ballerin Road, Garvagh

Application: Grant of an Occasional Entertainments Licence

Days and times on which it is applied to provide entertainment:

Monday to Sunday 08:00hrs – 00:00hrs

PSNI: No objections

NIFRS: Closing date 31st October 2022

Recommendation

It is recommended to grant an Annual Entertainments Licence subject to compliance with any recommendations of the Council's Licensing Department and no objections from NIFRS

1.4 GRANT OF INDOOR ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

Licence No: EL156

Premises: Ballycastle High School, 33 Rathlin Rd, Ballycastle

Application: Grant of an Occasional Indoor Entertainments Licence

Days and times on which it is applied to provide entertainment:

Monday - Saturday 18:00hrs to 00:00hrs

PSNI & NIFRS: Closing date 22nd November 2022

Recommendation

It is recommended to grant an Occasional Indoor Entertainments Licence subject to compliance with any recommendations of the Council's Licensing Department and no objections being received from PSNI or NIFRS.

1.5 VARIATION OF ANNUAL INDOOR ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE

Licence No: EL184

Premises: The Glenshesk Bar, 76 Castle St, Ballycastle

Application: Variation of Annual Indoor Entertainments Licence to include:

An extension of hours Monday to Sunday 11:30hrs to 01:30hrs

An extension of hours on the following dates:

Every Saturday night from 17th December 2022 until 31st July 2023 11:30am to 02:00hrs

Saturday 24th December 2022 11:30hrs to 02:00hrs

Monday 26th December 2022 11:30hrs to 02:00hrs

Saturday 31st December 2022 11:30hrs to 02:00hrs

Sunday 1st January 2023 11:30hrs to 02:00hrs

Thursday 16th March 2022 11:30hrs to 02:00hrs

Friday 17th March 2022 11:30hrs to 02:00hrs

Monday 10th April 2022 11:30hrs to 02:00hrs

Tuesday 11th April 2022 11:30hrs to 02:00hrs

No more than 15 Charity/private party events

Representations: Closing date 17th November 2022

PSNI& NIFRS: Closing date 22nd November 2022

The Licensing and Registration of Clubs (Amendment) Act (NI) 2021 became law on 26th August 2021. The Act amends both the Licensing (NI) Order 1996 (the Licensing Order) and the Registration of Clubs (NI) Order 1996 (the Clubs Order). Section 3 of the Act allows pubs and hotels (which already have an Article 44 order) to apply to the courts for later opening for an additional hour, up to 104 nights in any year. Food and/or entertainment must continue to be provided during late opening.

As a result of the changes to the above legislation, this premises has applied to vary the entertainment licence hours to coincide with the hours permitted in the above Act.

Recommendation

It is recommended that Council consider the grant of the variation to the entertainments licence for the premise subject to compliance with any recommendations of the Council's Licensing Department and no objections from representations, PSNI or NIFRS.