

TITLE OF REPORT: **Application for a Premises Licence:**
311-313 High Street NE8 1EQ

REPORT OF: **Strategic Director; Economy Innovation and Growth:**
Licensing Officer

1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

The Sub-Committee is asked to consider the application Sajaad Ali for a new premises licence for 311-313 High Street NE8 1EQ following receipt of representations from Northumbria Police, Public Health Gateshead Council and Licensing Authority Gateshead Council.

2. THE APPLICATION

This report relates to an application by Sajaad Ali (The Applicant) for a new premises licence. The application is attached at Appendix 1.

The application for a new premises licence under s17 of the Licensing Act 2003 is for the supply of alcohol (off the premises only) at the following times:

Monday – Sunday 09:00 – 03:00

The application was advertised at the premises and in the local press.

Conditions

The Licensing Authority may attach conditions to any licence which are appropriate for the promotion of the Licensing Objectives. A copy of the Model Pool of Conditions from Gateshead Council's Statement of Licensing Policy is attached as Appendix 1.1 that relate to the application.

3. REPRESENTATIONS

The following representation was received:

- Northumbria Police (Appendix 2)
- Public Health Gateshead Council – Alice Wiseman (Appendix 2.1)
- Licensing Authority (Appendix 2.2)

An additional community impact statement has been provided by Northumbria Police which is attached at Appendix 2.3

4. PARTIES

The Parties to the hearing will be:

- a) Sajaad Ali
- b) Gill Sherratt – Licensing Matters representing Sajaad Ali
- c) Northumbria Police - Daniel Whyte
- d) Public Health – Alice Wiseman
- e) Licensing Authority – Tracey Johnson

5. FOR CONSIDERATION

The areas for consideration by the Sub-Committee are:

- The application for a premises licence;
- The representations;
- Whether or not the application should be granted; and
- The conditions to be attached to the premises licence (if granted).

7. THE POLICY & GUIDANCE

When carrying out its functions the Sub-Committee must have regard to:

- (a) the Statement of Gateshead Council's Licensing Policy, and
- (b) the Licensing Act 2003
- (c) the Amended Guidance (April 2018) issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003 by the Secretary of State.

Some relevant parts of the Policy and Amended Guidance are reproduced in Appendices 3 and 4. The parties may refer to any part of the Policy and Guidance during the hearing.

An area plan is attached at Appendix 5.

7. FOR DECISION

The Sub-Committee is asked to consider the application, decide whether or not it should be granted, and if relevant, attach such conditions as it deems appropriate for the promotion of the Licensing Objectives.

APPENDICES

Appendix	1	New premises licence application
	1.1	Pool of Model Conditions from Gateshead Council's Licensing Policy
Appendix	2	Representation from Northumbria Police
	2.1	Representation from Public Health
	2.2	Representation from Licensing Authority
	2.3	Additional information from Northumbria Police
Appendix	3	Relevant Extracts from Gateshead Council's Licensing Policy
Appendix	4	Relevant Extracts from the Guidance issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003.
Appendix	5	Area Plan