

WAVERLEY BOROUGH COUNCIL

Licensing Team, Chief Executive's Dept, Waverley Borough Council, The Burys, Godalming, Surrey GU7 1HR

Application for a premises licence to be granted under the Licensing Act 2003

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

I/We ST CATHERINE'S SCHOOL (insert	t name(s)	of app	llcant)
apply for a premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing	Act 20	03 fo	r the
premises described in Part 1 below (the premises) and I/we are making to you as the relevant licensing authority in accordance with s			
Licensing Act 2003			

Part 1 - Premises Details

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description ST CATHERINE'S SCHOOL						
STATION ROAD						
BRAMLEY						
Post town GUILDFORD	Post code GU5 0DF					
Telephone number at premises (if any)	01483 899701					
Non domestic rateable value of premises	£ 385,000					

Part 2 - Applicant Details

Please state whether you are applying for a Premises Licence as:

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			Please t	tick ✓
a)	an i	ndividual or individuals*		please complete section (A
b)	a pe	erson other than an individual*		
	i.	as a limited company		please complete section (B
	ii.	as a partnership		please complete section (B
	iii.	as an unincorporated association or		please complete section (B
	iv. :	other (for example a statutory corporation)		please complete section (B
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c)	a recognised club		please complete section (B)				
d)	a charity		please complete section (B)				
e)	The proprietor of an educational establishment		please complete section (B)				
f)	A health service body		please complete section (B)				
g)	A person who is registered under Part 2 of the Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respect of an independent hospital in wales						
ga)	A person who is registered under Chapter 2 or Part 1 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 in respect of the carrying on of a regulated activity (within the meaning of that Part) in an independent hospital in England		please complete section (B)				
h)	The chief officer of police of a police force in England and Wales		please complete section (B)				
*If vc	ou are applying as a person described in (a) or (b) please co	nfirm:	Please tick ✓				
• 1	I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which i for licensable activities; or						
• 1	I am making the application pursuant to a						
(Statutory function; or						
(o A function discharged by virtue of Her Majesty's prero	gative					
(A)	INDIVIDUAL APPLICANTS (fill in as applicable)						
Mr	Mrs Miss Ms		Other title (for example, Rev)				
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Posi	t Town Postcode						
Day	time contact telephone number						
Ema	ail address (optional)						

SECOND INL	DIVIDUAL APPLIC	ANT (if applica	ibie)	
Mr Surname	Mrs	Miss	Ms	Other title (for example, Rev)
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Email addres	s (optional)			
(B) OTHER	APPLICANTS			
give any regi	de name and regis stered number. In lease give the nam	case of a partr	nership or other joir	. Where appropriate please nt venture (other than a body erned.
Name S	T CATHERINE'	S SCHOOL		
Address	STATION RO BRAMLEY GUILDFORD SURREY, GU			
	SUNNET, GU	73 ODF		
Registered n	umber (where appl	,	ARITY NO: 107 MPANY NO: 35	
	of applicant (for exa			corporated association etc.) OL
Telephone nu	umber (if any) 0	1483 89970	1	
E-mail addre	ss (optional) bus	siness.mana	gerpa@stcathei	rines.info

Part 3 Operating Schedule

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When do you want the premises licence to start?	2	3	0	4	2	0	1	

	Day	 Mon	th	Yea	r	
If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, when do you want it to end?						

Please give a general description of the premises (please read guidance note 1) ST CATHERINE'S IS AN INDEPENDENT GIRLS DAY & BOARDING SCHOOL. WE WISH TO LICENCE THE DINING HALL, AUDITORIUM, BAR, CAFE, SPORTS HALL AND SURROUNDING TERRACES. ALL ENTERTAINMENT WILL BE PERFORMED IN ONE OF THESE AREAS. ANY ALCOHOL SOLD WILL BE CONSUMED IN THESE AREAS AND THE SURROUNDING TERRACES.

If 5000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend

What licensable activities do you intend to carry on from the premises?

(Please see sections 1 and 14 of the Licensing Act 2003 and Schedule 1 and 2 to the Licensing Act 2003)

Provision (of regulated entertainment	Please tick 🗸 📝
a)	plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)	
b)	films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)	
c)	indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C)	
d)	boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)	
e)	live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)	
f)	recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)	
g)	performance of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)	
h)	anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H)	'
Provision o	of entertainment facilities:	·/
i)	making music (if ticking yes, fill in box I)	
j)	dancing (if ticking yes, fill in box J)	
k)	entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (i) or (j) (if ticking yes, fill in box K)	9
Provision (of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box L)	
Sale by ret	ail of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box M)	

In all cases complete boxes N, O and P

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Plays	<u> </u>		Will the performance of a play take place indoors	Indoors		
Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			or outdoors or both – please tick (✓) (please read guidance note 2)	Outdoors		
Day	Start	Finish		Both		
Mon	18:30	23:00	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)			
Tue	18:30	23:00	STUDENT SCHOOL PRODUCTIO PRODUCTIONS BY HIRE OF THE		ER	
Wed	18:30	23:00	State any seasonal variations for performing plays			
Thur	18:30	23:00	SCHOOL PRODUCTIONS ARE PERFOR ONE OR TWO WEEKS PER TERM. THE BUT OTHERS MAY OCCUR BY HIRE.			
Fri	18:30	23:00	Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the performance of plays at different times to those list left, please list (please read guidance note 5)	premises for the ed in the column on	the	
Sat	18:30	23:00	1			
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Films Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the exhibition of a films take place Indoors or	Indoors		
			outdoors or both — please tick (✓) (please read guidance note 2)	Outdoors		
Day	Start	Finish]	Both		
Mon	18:00	23:00	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)			
			WE WISH TO OCCASIONALLY SCREEN	4 FILM.		
Tue	18:00	23:00				
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Wed	18:00	23:00	State any seasonal variations for the exhibition of films (please read gui			
			note 4) THIS WILL BE VERY OCCASIONAL AND	NOT WEEKLY	′ .	
Thur	18:00	23:00				
Fri	18:00	23:00	Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the exhibition of films at different times to those listed	premises for the	the left	
			please list (please read guidance note 5)	in the column on	ino iong	
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	r sporting		Please give further details (please read guidance note 3)			
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Day	" · 		MATCHES AND TOURNAMENTS.			
Mon	09:00	21:00				
Tue	09:00	21:00	State any seasonal variations for indoor sporting events (please read guidance note 4)			
Wed	09:00	21:00	THIS WILL BE VERY OCCASIONAL AND NOT WEEKLY.			
Thur	09:00	21:00				
FrI	09:00	21:00	Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for indoor sporting events at different times to those listed in the column on the left,			
Sat	09:00	21:00	please list. (please read guidance note 5)			
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Boxing or wrestling entertainment Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the boxing or wrestling entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick ((please read guidance note 2) Outdoors			
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			PERFORMANCES WILL BE GIVEN TO STU	JDENTS AND			
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Thur	09:00	22:30	THESE WILL BE VERY OCCASIONAL AND NOT WEEKLY.		LY.
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	rd days and read guidar		or outdoors or both – please tick (✓) (please read guidance note 2)	Outdoors	
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Tue	09:00	22:30	GUESTS BY STUDENTS AND PROFESSION	ONALS.	
Wed	09:00	22:30	State any seasonal variations for the performance of dance (p		d
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Tue	19:00	22:30				
Wed	19:00	22:30	State any seasonal variations for the entertainme to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (please read guid	tertainment of a similar description read guidance note 4)		
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			outdoors or both – please tick (✓) (please read guidance note 2)	Outdoors		
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Tue	09:00	22:30				
Wed	09:00	22:30	State any seasonal variations for the provision of facilities for making musi (please read guidance note 4)			
Thur	09:00	22:30	THIS WILL BE ON AN OCCASIONAL BASIS AND NOT WEEL			
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Day	Start	Finish		Both			
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Tue	09:00	22:30	Please give further details here (please read guida DANCE FACILITES COULD BE PROVIDED FOR F STUDENTS AND PROFESSIONALS FOR STUDE		_		
Wed	09:00	22:30	State any seasonal variations for providing dance guidance note 4)		ead		
Thur	09:00	22:30	THIS WILL BE ON AN OCCASIONAL BA	SIS AND NOT W	EEKLY		
Fri	09:00	22:30					
Sat	09:00	22:30					
Sun	09:00	22:30	Non standard timings. Where you intend to use provision of facilities for dancing at different time column on the left, please list. (please read guidan	es to those listed in t	he		

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Standa	of alcohol rd days and l read guidan	limings	Will the sale of alcohol be for consumption on or off the premises or both – please tick (✓) (please read guidance note 7)	On the premises Off the premises		
Day	Start	Finish		Both		
Mon	12:00	00 14:00 State any seasonal variations for the sale of alcohol (ple		(please read guidance)	
	18:00	23:00	note 4) ALCOHOL WILL ONLY BE SOLD WHEN	AN EVENTIS		
Tue	12:00	14:00	TAKING PLACE. THIS WILL NOT BE DA			
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State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as premises supervisor

Name

MRS CHRISTINE SILVER

Address

186 NEW ROAD CHILWORTH

SURREY GU4 8LX

Postcode

Personal licence number (if known)

GUPA1108

Issuing licensing authority (if known)

GUILDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL

Personal licence expiry date (if known)

29.06.2021

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Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 8)

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Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)		blic timings	State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 4) PLEASE NOTE THESE ARE OUTSIDE TIMES WHEN AN EVENT COULD BE HAPPENING IN ANY OF THE
Day	Start	Finish	CATEGORIES. THE SCHOOL IS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC NORMALLY AND WILL ONLY BE OPENED FOR THE
Mon	09:00	23:30	SPECIFIC HOURS OF EACH EVENT.
Tue	09:00	23:30	
Wed	09:00	23:30	
			Non standard timings. Where you intend to open the premises to be open to
Thur	09:00	23:30	the public at different times from those listed in the column on the left, please list. (please read guidance note 5)
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Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b, c, d, e) (please read guidance note 9)
The bar is a new purpose built, secure and safe venue for sales of atcohol. The Auditorium has been built to all standard safety regulations. The School is experienced in running entertainment events within its community and is fully aware of safety and security responsibilities. An incident log shall be kept at the premises, and made available on request to an authorised officer of the Borough Council or the Police, which will record the following: a) all crimes reported to the venue. b) all ejections of patrons. c) any complaints received. d) any incidents of disorder. e) seizures of drugs or offensive weapons. f) any refusal of the sale of alcohol. h) any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

The bar will generally only be open for ticketed or "home" events.

We record all incidents in the Incidents Book.

We advise senior members of staff of any incidents.

Glasses and bottles are collected regularly from licensed areas, held in a secure area and removed safely.

c) Public safety

External Premises are surveyed by the use of CCTV cameras. Extra staff are employed for supervised dispersal at the end of trading. Health & Safety Risk Assessment and Fire Risk Assessment are regularly reviewed. Evacuation procedures are regularly practised. Accident reporting is compulsory. Buildings are regularly cleaned and checked for safe movement of persons. First Aid boxes are placed at key points and some staff are first aid trained. Special effects in the Auditorium are always risk assessed. Disabled entry and exit are all local to areas involved. During events adequate trained staff are there to assist members of the public.

d) The prevention of public nuisance
No sales of alcohol to anybody who is, or appears to be intoxicated.

No sales to anyone who is purchasing for somebody who appears to be intoxicated.

External doors are always closed to minimise extraneous sounds.

Car parking is provided on site.

The complete site is a no smoking area.

e) The protection of children from harm

All staff have an enhanced CRB disclosure and Child Protection training.

Only staff authorised by the DPS are permitted to sell alcohol.

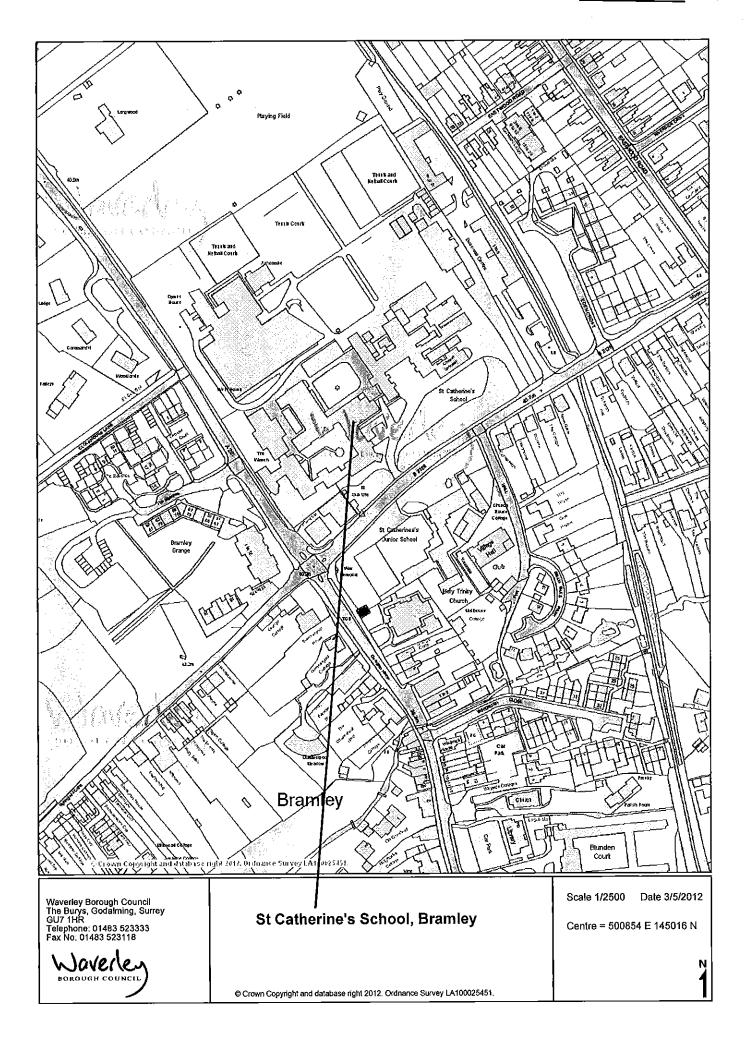
All staff are trained on restricted sales with a central record kept and signed. The premises will operate a Challenge 21 policy and will only accept passport, photo driving licence or ID cards bearing the pass hologram as forms of identification. Staff shall be trained in the law relating to the sale/supply of alcohol and written records will be kept for inspection. This will include the law relating to both the sale and consumption of alcohol to persons under 18 and the refusal of sale of alcohol to persons who are drunk. There will be an ongoing training regime with refresher/reinforcement training at intervals of no more than six months.

Please ti	lck ✓
I have made or enclosed payment of the fee	
I have enclosed a plan of the premises	
I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable	
I have enclosed the consent form completed by the proposed premises supervisor, if applicable	
I understand that I must now advertise my application	
I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected	
AN OFFENCE, LIABLE ON CONVICTION TO A FINE UP TO LEVI	EL 5

IT IS AN OFFENCE, LIABLE ON CONVICTION TO A FINE UP TO LEVEL 5 ON THE STANDARD SCALE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION

Part 4 - Signatures (please read guidance note 10)

Signature guldance no	of applicant or apote 11). If signing o	n behalf of th	citor or other e applicant plea	duly autho ase state in	rised agent. (See what capacity.
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associated Mrs Christi	me (where not prev with this application ine Barbara Silver ne's School ad	riously given) on (please reac	and address for guidance note	or correspond	ndence
Post town	Guildford		Post code GU	J5 0DF	
_	number (if any)	01483 8997	•		
	d prefer us to corre managerpa@stcathe		ou by e-mail, yo	our e-mail a	ddress (optional)



Paul Hughes

From:

Business Manager <business.manager@stcatherines.info>

Sent:

30 April 2012 16:37

To:

Paul Hughes

Cc:

Mark Nicholls; Business Manager PA

Subject:

FW: St Catherine's School premises Licence Application

Dear Paul

Further to our application for a Premises Licence I confirm that we would like the following conditions in Mark's email added to our conditions of the licence in order to remove the noise objections. If I have directed this to the wrong person please could you advise me where I should be sending it.

Many thanks

Christine Silver

From: Mark Nicholls [mailto:Mark.Nicholls@waverley.gov.uk]

Sent: 30 April 2012 14:59 **To:** Business Manager

Subject: RE: St Catherine's School premises Licence Application

Dear Mrs Silver,

Further to our telephone conversation I confirm that if the following conditions are agreed as conditions of your license I will withdraw my objection:

- 1. Decibel monitors are provided at the licensed venues and will be checked regularly by the Designated Premises Supervisor or her appointed person for the event to ensure the maximum of 85 decibels is not exceeded. If any noise beyond 85 decibels is detected then she/he will immediately ensure that the volume is decreased.
- 2. External windows and doors in the licensed area shall be kept shut at all times, except for entry and exit, when public entertainment is being provided. Noise from the closing of doors is not audible beyond the site boundary.
- 3. Noise levels inside the auditorium may for short periods reach 95dB(A) for amplified events. Typical levels over the course of a performance would range between approximately 60 85dB(A). To control sound transmission to and from the auditorium, the building includes sound locks between the auditorium and foyer areas. In the foyer areas sound from the auditorium would be just audible. The auditorium has glazed façade elements consisting of heavy double glazing to control sound transmission. That during performances and events the doors and windows to the auditorium will remain closed.
- 4. No handling of goods or materials, which is audible from beyond the site boundary, will be carried out at the premises between
- 23.00 and 07.00. Recycling of bottles only takes place during normal working hours.
- 5. The Designated Premises Supervisor and organisers of events will encourage all clientele to enter and leave the licensed premises, car parks and grounds of the school in an orderly and quiet manner.
- 6. Notices will be provided at the venue encouraging all visitors to respect our neighbours by leaving quietly.

7. Car park supervisors will be on duty to monitor the quiet, calm egress of cars and pedestrians and they will be wearing high visibility yellow jackets or vests to be easily identifiable.
Many thanks Christine Silver
Christine Silver (Mrs) Business Manager St Catherine's School Bramley Guildford Surrey GU5 ODF 01483 899700(Direct) 01483 899701(PA)
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Kate Halsall

From:

Sent:

20 April 2012 23:53

To:

Licensing Policy

Subject:

Objection to St Catherine School of Bramley Application to Sell Alcohol

Hello,

Re: St Catherine School Bramley nr Guildford applying to sell alcohol on the premises.

I am writing to object to the above licensing application.

While I have not read the detail of the application I assume that the plan is to use the premises during holiday season as a bar and entertainment.

I feel that a school should not be associated with alcohol and drunkenness. The reputation of the school will be seriously damaged.

Alcohol consumption leads to unruly behaviour. Why would the guests of St Catherine be different from anybody else? This unruly behaviour will then be associated with the school. It will affect the children that visit the school.

We already have enough drunkenness and unruly behaviour in Bramley, we don't need any more. There are youngsters hanging out near the shop and they approach adults and ask them to buy alcoholic drink for them at the local supermarket. It is all well and good to have laws that forbid the sale of alcohol to underage children. These laws don't achieve much. Much more important is the example that the children receive from the adults around them.

It is deplorable that there is a culture of drinking in Britain, which is not seen in other European countries. It is this culture that leads to so many young people falling victim to alcohol in various ways and so many lives being destroyed.

Why bring this culture into the very school of our young children? It just does not sound right. To the contrary, we should try and shield and protect our children from this unhealthful culture.

Bramley is only a small village and we already have two pubs and two shops where alcohol can be purchased.

What we really need in Bramley, I feel, is not another venue for entertainment and the consumption of alcohol, but a place where children and youth can go, where they can do activites, learn to be part of a team, learn to take responsibility in preparation for adulthood.

Thank you for your consideration.

Regards

HEARINGS

- 9.27 Regulations governing hearings may be found on the www.legislation.gov.uk website. If the licensing authority decides that representations are relevant, it must hold a hearing to consider them. The need for a hearing can only be avoided with the agreement of the licensing authority, the applicant and all of the persons who made relevant representations. In cases where only 'positive' representations are received, without qualifications, the licensing authority should consider whether a hearing is required. To this end, it may wish to notify the persons who made representations and give them the opportunity to withdraw those representations. This would need to be done in sufficient time before the hearing to ensure that parties were not put to unnecessary inconvenience.
- 9.28 Responsible authorities should try to conclude any discussions with the applicant in good time before the hearing. If the application is amended at the last moment, the licensing committee should consider giving other persons time to address the revised application before the hearing commences.
- 9.29 Regulations made under the 2003 Act require that representations must be withdrawn 24 hours before the first day of any hearing. If they are withdrawn after this time, the hearing must proceed and the representations may be withdrawn orally at that hearing. However, where discussions between an applicant and those making representations are taking place and it is likely that all parties are on the point of reaching agreement, the licensing authority may wish to use the power given within the hearings regulations to extend time limits, if it considers this to be in the public interest.
- 9.30 Applicants should be encouraged to contact responsible authorities before formulating their applications so that the mediation process may begin before the statutory time limits come into effect after submission of an application. The hearing process must meet the requirements of regulations made under the 2003 Act. Where matters arise which are not covered by the regulations, licensing authorities may make arrangements as they see fit as long as they are lawful.
- 9.31 There is no requirement in the 2003 Act for responsible authorities that have made representations to attend, but it is generally good practice and assists committees in reaching more informed decisions. Where several responsible authorities within a local authority have made representations on an application, a single local authority officer may represent them at the hearing if the responsible authorities and the licensing authority agree. This local authority officer representing other responsible authorities may be a licensing officer, but only if this licensing officer is acting as a responsible authority on behalf of the licensing authority and has had no role in the licensing determination process. This is to ensure that the responsible authorities are represented by an independent officer separate from the licensing determination process.
- 9.32 As noted in paragraphs 9.13 to 9.19 above, where the licensing officer is acting as a responsible authority the relevant steps should be followed to ensure that this individual has no role in the decision making process regarding the licensing determination.

- As a matter of practice, licensing authorities should seek to focus the hearing on the steps considered appropriate to promote the particular licensing objective or objectives that have given rise to the specific representation and avoid straying into undisputed areas. A responsible authority or other person may choose to rely on their written representation. They may not add further representations to those disclosed to the applicant prior to the hearing, but they may expand on their existing representation.
- 9.34 In determining the application with a view to promoting the licensing objectives in the overall interests of the local community, the licensing authority must give appropriate weight to:
 - the steps that are appropriate to promote the licensing objectives;
 - the representations (including supporting information) presented by all the parties;
 - this Guidance;
 - · its own statement of licensing policy.
- 9.35 The licensing authority should give its decision within 5 working days of the conclusion of the hearing (or immediately in certain specified cases) and provide reasons to support it. This will be important if there is an appeal by any of the parties. Notification of a decision must be accompanied by information on the right of the party to appeal. After considering all the relevant issues, the licensing authority may grant the application subject to such conditions that are consistent with the operating schedule. Any conditions imposed must be appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives; there is no power for the licensing authority to attach a condition that is merely aspirational. For example, conditions may not be attached which relate solely to the health of customers rather than their direct physical safety.
- 9.36 Alternatively, the licensing authority may refuse the application on the grounds that this is appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives. It may also refuse to specify a designated premises supervisor and/or only allow certain requested licensable activities. In the interests of transparency, the licensing authority should publish hearings procedures in full on its website to ensure that those involved have the most current information.
- 9.37 In the context of variations or minor variations, which may involve structural alteration to or change of use of a building, the decision of the licensing authority will not exempt an applicant from the need to apply for building control approval, planning permission or both of these where appropriate.