

# **Licensing Sub-Committee**

# Supplementary Agenda A

Tuesday 24 September 2024 at 6.30 pm

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#### **MEMBERSHIP**

Administration:	Opposition:
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## Agenda Item 4a

From:

**Sent:** Friday, September 13, 2024 1:08 PM **To:** Licensing HF: H&F < licensing@lbhf.gov.uk>

Subject: RE: Notice of Hearing 2024/00666/LAPR - Revive Cafe, 290 - 294

Uxbridge Road London W12 - photos

Dear Lorna McKenna and the Licensing Sub-Committee – please find attached the following photos for submission as supplementary documents to be reviewed. We request that these are shared with our Councillor and the other attendees at the Zoom meeting

- Revive Café main entrance on corner of Uxbridge Road and Loftus Road IMG 4394
- Haber Restaurant entrance on Loftus Road, air con units on rear flat roof and Anti Littering signage IMG 4393
  - Loftus Road view of Revive and Haber Restaurant IMG 4391
  - Loftus Road view of Tigers Restaurant opposite Revive, at time of Advertising Hoarding erected without Planning Application August 2024 (also Jan 2022) IMG4154.

Having objected online to this Licensing Application, I am not able to join the Zoom meeting. While I intend to appoint a representative, I ask that these photos are reviewed in consideration of my main reason for my objection:

- Loftus Road is a residential street which would be adversely affected by any
  activity after 11pm from this premises given its direct accesses into our street
  and that its current customers are known to cause or attract littering, antisocial behaviour, drug use/related drug gang dealing and crime,
  dangerous/illegal parking and loitering with engines running etc.
- It is generally accepted by residents and our local police teams, that extending licensing hours would exacerbate these issues. Residents request that these issues are dealt with before Council considers the granting/renewal of any late licenses in the area. It is recognised that local police and parking enforcement officers are currently struggling to deal with these issues in our street outside this premises.

I'd be grateful if you could confirm receipt of this request With regards

#### - IMG 4394



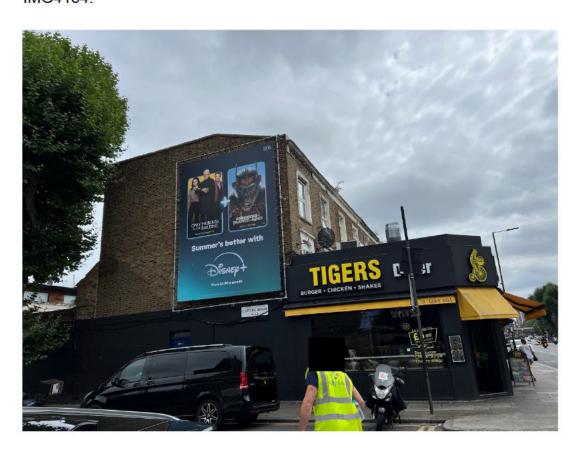
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#### IMG 4391



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## Agenda Item 4b



#### LICENSING CONSULTATION INTERNAL MEMO

To: Lorna Mckenna

From: Adrian Overton

Date: 18<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Premises: Revive, 290-294 Uxbridge Road, W12 7LJ

CAPS Ref : 2024/00666/LAPR

Application : New premises licence

I am the Licensing Team Manager for the London Borough of Hammersmith and Fulham. I am also able to act as the responsible authority for the Licensing Authority of the London Borough of Hammersmith and Fulham.

I have considered the above application and wish to make a representation on the basis of past adverse enforcement history at this premises which has been outlined below.

#### **The Application**

On the 15<sup>th</sup> April 2024 Mr Omar Said applied for a new premises licence in respect of the premises known as Revive Cafe, 290-294 Uxbridge Road, W12 7LJ. The following licensable activities were applied for:

#### The provision of late night refreshment - Indoors only

Mondays to Saturdays between the hours of 23:00 to 03:00 Sundays between the hours of 23:00 to 01:00

#### Opening hours of the premises

Mondays to Saturdays between the hours of 07:00 to 03:00 Sundays between the hours of 07:00 to 01:00

#### **Supporting Information - Enforcement Summary**

This premises previously benefited from a premises licence which permitted the sale of alcohol off the premises from 7am to Midnight - Monday to Sunday. This licence was surrendered in 2016.

Whilst the premises has been unlicensed since 2016, the licensing authority is aware that the business has been the source of anti social behaviour on a number of occasions, some of which have been outlined below:

#### April 2020

Complaints were received of customers congregating outside, with no social distancing. Although there was no evidence of unauthorised licensable activities, there were concerns that the premises may be operating after 11pm as the premises were advertising online that they closed at midnight. Licensing and covid advice was sent to the owner which he acknowledged. Monitoring after 11pm was undertaken, and the premises was found to be closed.

#### April/May 2020

Several covid visits and monitoring was undertaken during the day. The premises was found to be closed but the area outside the premises still appeared to still be used as a meeting point with large numbers of young men standing and creating a disturbance outside.

#### January 2021

Complaints were received of customers congregating outside the premises during day and generally causing noise and ASB. This was investigated and no evidence of unauthorised licensable activities was found.

#### September 2021

On 06/09/2021 at approximately 20:55 hours the Police were called to the junction of Uxbridge Road and Loftus Road after multiple reports of people fighting in the street using weapons. It is understood that a young person was stabbed during this incident.

#### **Conclusion**

Taking into account Police intelligence of crime and disorder in the locality of this premises, the residential nature of the surrounding area, and the previous issues with disturbances outlined above, we propose that the licensing committee refuse this application.

We are aware of a reduction in hours which has recently been agreed with the Council's Noise Team. Whilst we think these hours are much more appropriate for the operation of the business, we still do not think this will reduce the risk of the premises being used as a hub for anti-social behaviour and noise disturbances in the future.

With this in mind, if the committee were minded to grant a licence for this premises, we would suggest that it is time limited for one year, and that the hours are further reduced to Midnight on Friday / Saturday and 23:30 on any other days.

**Adrian Overton** 

Licensing Team Manager London Borough of Hammersmith and Fulham