

Bromsgrove District Council
Licensing Sub-Committee
12 August 2020

**Tranquil Bar Limited - 1 Bear Hill,
Alvechurch, Worcestershire, B48 7JX,**

Documentation lodged on behalf of the Premises Licence Holder

Acting for the Premises Licence Holder, I have attempted mediation with those who have objected; additionally I have had extensive meetings with the Police Licensing Sergeant (PS Richard Field) and the Licensing Authority.

The Police have stated; based on the information within the application and taking into account the four Licencing Objectives, their conclusion is that they fully support the granting of this premise licence, with the amended hours and conditions.

The Police have carried out extensive investigations, including a site visit and negotiated extra conditions and a reduction of hours on the licence.

PS Richard Field is aware that there have been a number of objections to this application and is happy to attend or dial into the Licensing sub-committee meeting to answer any questions that are posed to West Mercia Police.

The following amendments have been made to the operating schedule of the application and agreed with the Police and the Licensing Authority:

1. Opening hours. Reduced to 2300 hrs. Sunday to Thursday & Midnight on Fridays and Saturdays. This is in line with other venues in the area.
2. Non Standard Times -New Year Eve to be changed to 01.00 hrs finish and other bank holidays to be allowed an extra hour as per the original application.
3. Smoking area - As this area backs onto housing; a condition within the Public Nuisance section has been added that all customers will not be allowed to use the outdoor smoking area from 2200 hours every night.

There are eight Responsible Authorities who *could have objected* to this application in relation to any of the Four Licensing Objectives - none of them considered it necessary, and therefore believe that this premises gives them no concerns in its hours of operation or licensable activities.

The following documents are attached in support of this application, and will be fully utilised by the premises :

- Operations and staff training manual
- Challenge 25

- DPS Authorisations
- Refusals log
- Covid 19 - Risk Assessment

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