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LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

5 December 2007

Present:- Councillor Slater in the Chair

Councillors Miss Reddish and Mrs Williams

P R Washington - Clerk
F Peel }
L Roberts } - Staffs Police
H Aoulick }
M Lovatt } - Applicant

698. * **THE ALBION, HIGH STREET, NEWCASTLE**

Issues

A representation had been received from Staffordshire Police concerning the prevention of crime and disorder.

Decision

The Sub-Committee considered that licensing objective in the light of what had been said and listened to the arguments and were persuaded that in the light of the evidence given by the Police, it would not promote the crime and disorder objective to grant the applicant's application at the present time.

The Sub-Committee considered that the amendment of the last admission policy would make the premises a magnet for alcohol fuelled persons from other premises after they had closed and there was already evidence of this.

The Sub-Committee were also concerned that the alteration of the last admissions policy would hinder dispersal from the town centre leading to the potential for further disorder.

The Sub-Committee were therefore disposed to refuse the application and a notice would be issued to that effect.

R A SLATER
Chair