

**LICENSING SUBCOMMITTEE  
(2003 ACT)**

14 January 2008  
10am – 11.10am

**Present:** Councillors C Rosenstiel, McPherson and Slatter

**Also Present:** Cllr Nimmo-Smith (Ward Cllr representing residents)

**01/lic/01 Declarations of Interest by Subcommittee**

Cllr C Rosenstiel: Member of CAMRA

Knows a number of the representatives in opposition to the application

Cllr Slatter: Knows a number of the representatives in opposition to the application

Site visits were conducted separately by Councillors Slatter and McPherson on 13.01.08

**01/lic/02 Procedure to be followed**

The procedure for hearings of the subcommittee set out on the agenda was noted.

**01/lic/03 Application for a new premises licence: Klub Polski Gawra Ltd,  
231 Chesterton Road, Cambridge**

**Present for this application:**

**For the Applicant:** Sylwester Iwaniec (Applicant)

**Interested Parties:** Malcolm Mackley, Christine Botes Lees, Elizabeth Parker, N. Mansfield, Jane and Michael Aubrey, S. Wykes, John M Jarvis, Samantha and Joe Mikolajczyk, Brian Jackson, A. Lentin, Peter Hayward, Peter Rogers (Residents)

**The hearing:** The Licensing Officer started to present her report and outlined the application being made. The Committee was informed that she had received a letter from the applicant dated 27<sup>th</sup> December 2007 which asked for substantial alterations to be made to the application.

The requested revisions are stated below:

Sale/supply of alcohol (on and off the premises)

Mon – Sun 11:00 to 23:00

Plays (indoors)

Mon – Sun 18:00 to 23:00

Films (indoors)

Mon – Sun 11:00 to 23:00

Live Music (indoors)

Mon – Sun 11:00 to 23:00

Recorded music (indoors)

Mon – Sun 11:00 to 23:00

Anything of a similar description to live music, recorded music or performance of dance (indoors)

Mon – Sun 11:00 to 23:00

Provision of facilities for making music (indoors)

Mon – Sun 18:00 to 23:00

Provision of facilities for dancing (indoors)

Mon – Sun 19:00 to 23:00 – maximum of 52 times per year

Provision of facilities for entertainment of a similar description to making music or dancing (indoors)

Mon – Sun 19:00 to 23:00

Hours premises are open

Mon – Sun 09:00 to 23:00

An interested party suggested that due to the significant changes the application should be withdrawn at this time. The proposed changes could then be looked into fully and after further consultation with local residents a renewed application could be submitted by Mr Iwaniec.

The Applicant agreed that he would be prepared to do this but sought guidance from the Committee on the legalities and procedures involved.

The Committee was adjourned for 15 minutes whilst the revised application information could be reprinted and circulated in order to make an informed decision and to allow the parties time to consider their positions.

The Committee advised that if the application were *withdrawn* Mr Iwaniec would have to pay another fee in support of a fresh application. The application could be *adjourned* to allow time for further discussion between the applicant and local residents and a further meeting scheduled in 4-5 weeks. It was clarified that interested parties already registered as wishing to speak at the meeting would still be able to make verbal representations at the adjourned hearing.

The Applicant agreed that he wanted an adjournment in order to consult with local residents. The Police, as Responsible Authority present, and the Interested Parties supported the request for an adjournment. The Chair, taking into account the views of all those present, scheduled a further meeting for 10am Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February

**Chair**