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Legal and Democratic Services Corporate Governance Aberdeen City Council Marischal College Broad Street Aberdeen



North East Division Marischal College Broad Street Aberdeen AB10 1AB

Dear Sir/Madam,

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005 APPLICATION FOR THE VARIATION OF A PREMISES LICENCE THE DUTCH MILL HOTEL, 7 QUEENS ROAD, ABERDEEN, AB15 4NR

I refer to the above application for the variation of a premises licence under terms of Section 29(5) of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005.

The applicant currently holds a premises licence allowing the sale of alcohol in all outdoor drinking facilities between 1000 and 2200 hours daily.

The variation requested consists of the applicant seeking the removal of the local condition relating to the 2200 terminal hour currently applied to their outdoor drinking facilities thus extending the terminal hour in those areas to 0000 hours.

The hours sought are outwith with Aberdeen City Licencing Board's Statement of Licensing Policy guideline hours for external drinking areas.

In support of the Preventing Public Nuisance licensing objective, Police Scotland consistently recommends a terminal hour of 2200 be applied to an outdoor licensed area during the consultation process. I therefore recommend that the 2200 terminal hour remains in place.

This representation is submitted for your attention when considering this application.

Yours faithfully

George Macdonald Chief Superintendent

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