# **Notice of Determination**

Date of Hearing:

Monday 18 June 2018

Licence Type:

Application for a premises licence

Name of Applicant:

Arulampalam Suthakaran

Postal Address of Premises (or description of premises): Heartsease Store, 31 Witard Road Norwich NR7 9XD

### **Licensing Sub Committee:**

Councillors Malik (Chair), Stuart and Stutely

There were no declarations of interest.

### **List of Public Attending Committee**

Robert Hines, Supporter, Selva Jeyadeva, Supporter, Michelle Bartram, Norfolk Police

#### Determination

The Committee had had the opportunity to carefully consider the detail of the application form before the hearing commenced and invited the applicant to address them. Mr Suthakaran said that more staff would be on duty to maintain order amongst customers both inside and outside the shop and to ensure that the area in front and behind the shop were kept clean and tidy. Some members of his staff already held Personal Licences.

Mr Suthakaran leases the shop from Mr Hines, who said that he had known the applicant for a number of years. Mr Hines still has a shop in the same location and is confident that Mr Suthakaran is a fit and proper person to be licensed to sell alcohol. Mr Jeyadeva has known the applicant for a number of years, has seen how the applicant has run his business and is confident that Mr Suthakaran will ensure that the selling of alcohol will not cause problems in the neighbourhood.

The applicant had agreed to keep CCTV footage for the 30 day period that they had requested.

One written objection to the issue of an alcohol licence had been received. The complainant had been advised of the date of the hearing, but had not attended,

The Committee agreed to grant a premises licence in accordance with the application

#### Reasons for the Decision:

The Committee has heard the evidence of the applicant and is satisfied that the applicant is a fit and proper person to sell alcohol to the public as proposed in the application.

## The Committee's decision:

1. To grant the premises licence in accordance with the application.

# Right of a party to appeal against the determination of the Authority

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For your information, the premises licence holder and any person who has submitted a relevant representation, or submitted an objection notice, who is aggrieved by the decision, or the imposition of any term, condition or restriction, have right of appeal to the Magistrates 'Court within 21 days of the date on which they are notified of the decision.

Chair, Licensing Sub Committee