

WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL

Licensing Standards Officers Report

Licensing Board Review Hearing: 7 March 2012

Premises: WDLBPREM 0137

Address: 2 Kilbowie Road Clydebank. G81 1TH

Premises Licence Holder: Trust Inns Limited, Blenheim House, Ackhurst Park, Foxhole Road, Chorley, Lancashire, PR7 1NY

Designated Premises Manager: Mrs Kathleen Chalmers

Licensed Hours: Monday to Thursday – 11am to 12 midnight.

Friday and Saturday – 11am to 1am the following day.

Sunday – 12.30am to 12 midnight.

Introduction/Background

This report is provided under section 38 (4) (a) of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 following a request for a review of the premises licence from Strathclyde Police. The content of this report is restricted to the compliance history of the above premises in terms of the above legislation and its associated regulations.

Premises History

These premises have been visited on four occasions by Licensing Standards Officers. These visits comprise of 3 advisory visits and one inspection.

The premises had a compliance inspection on Monday 27 February 2012 and were found to be fully compliant with its requirements.

Matters relevant to the review

The premises licence review request from Strathclyde Police specifies an instance of persons consuming alcohol out with the permitted hours, which occurred in the early hours of Wednesday 27 December 2011.

The particulars of this event are that Anthony Dolan, a charge hand employed at the premises was found to be consuming alcohol with six other persons, four of whom were employed within the business.

Mr Dolan holds a personal licence issued by this board (WD/0452).

The Designated Premises Manager (DPM), Kathleen Chalmers, stated during the visit to the premises on the 27 February 2012 that Mr Dolan had been subjected to the premises in-house disciplinary procedure. The outcome of this process is that Mr Dolan has received a final warning for his part in this matter.

Officers Comments

The Board should note that these premises are an active participant in the Clydebank Pubwatch scheme, with the DPM Kathleen Chalmers being a functioning member of the group who has attended all meetings to date.

It should be further noted that these premises do not generally come to the attention of the Licensing team, with no negative reports having been received about the operation of this licence since the Act came into being in 2009.

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