WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE COUNCIL

Report by the Head of Legal, Democratic and Regulatory Services Licensing Committee – 28 August 2013

Subject: Application for variation to a Late Hours Catering Licence

1. Purpose

1.1 To consider an application for variation of an existing Late Hours Catering Licence submitted by Leven Vale Restaurant's trading as McDonald's Restaurant, 27 Glasgow Road, St. James Retail Park, Dumbarton, G82 1RB.

2. Recommendations

2.1 It is recommended that the application be considered and determined by the Committee.

3. Background

- 3.1 Leven Vale Restaurants submitted an application for variation to a Late Hours Catering Licence on 13 June 2013.
- 3.2 A letter was received from the Chief Superintendent of the Police authority on 10 July 2013 advising that the Chief Constable has a representation to make in relation to the application.
- 3.3 On 7 September 2010, Members agreed to grant a late hours catering licence to Leven Vale Restaurants Ltd. for the drive thru connected to the premises at St. James Retail Park, Dumbarton from 11.00 pm until 5.00 am each day.
- 3.4 The applicant now wishes to include the sit in restaurant at the premises as well as the drive thru from 11.00 pm until 5.00 am.

4. Main Issues

- 4.1 In view of the representation that has been received from the Police, the applicant and a representative of the Police authority have been invited to attend the meeting of the Committee to be held on 28 August 2013.
- **4.2** The terms of the letter from the Police will be made known to the Committee at the meeting as appropriate.

5. People Implications

5.1 There are no personnel issues.

6. Financial Implications

6.1 There are no financial implications

7. Risk Analysis

- **7.1** There is no increased risk to the Council associated with the contents of this report.
- 8. Equalities Impact Assessment (EIA)
- 8.1 No impact assessment is required because this report does not involve any change to policies or services or financial decisions.
- 9. Consultation
- **9.1** No consultation exercise was required in relation to this application.
- 10. Strategic Assessment

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10.1 In terms of the Council's Strategic Priorities, the purpose of licensing is to protect the welfare of the community, including vulnerable people.

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Appendices: N/A.

Background Papers:

- 1. Application for variation of an existing Late Hours Catering Licence from McDonald's Restaurant, 27 Glasgow Road, St. James Retail Park, Dumbarton, G82 1RB.
- **2.** Letter dated 10 July 2013 from the Chief Superintendent, Police Scotland, 'L'

Divisional Headquarters, Stirling Road, Dumbarton.

- **3.** Letter to Leven Vale Restaurants Ltd. dated 31 July 2013.
- **4.** Letter to the Chief Superintendent dated 31 July 2013.

Wards Affected: N/A.