

The relevant representations within the meaning of S.18(6) of the Licensing Act satisfy the requirements of S.18(7) of that Act and are as follows:

Please give the reason for the representation and detail the evidence supporting it:

This new application, a premises licence for Wetherspoons, in Ramsgate. At this time the application is not supported by the Police.

The main issue is that it is unclear as to how many patrons this premises will accommodate and therefore unclear on how many SIA the Police will request as part of the licensed conditions.

The Police feel that due to the premises being in the heart of the night time economy in Ramsgate that this condition is essential to assist the premises in supporting the licensing objectives.

The other concern is for off sales at the premises. This is again something the Police are not happy with and would like to add the condition that any off sale will be in a sealed container and had been purchased with a meal.

Any drinks outside to be kept in a polycarbonate glass.

Harbour Parade is the main road in the night time economy in Ramsgate and with that presents its own issues. This is a high crime area and known to be used by youths in large numbers.

I have contacted the applicant via email and was left a voicemail, however we have not had the opportunity to discuss the police concerns to date.

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Suggested conditions that could be added to the licence to remedy the representation or other suggestions the Licensing Sub Committee may take into account:

Please use separate sheets where necessary

If a licence was to be granted then the following conditions would be strongly recommended.

- 1, No off sales – This will limit persons walking anywhere with alcohol. Unless in a sealed container and had been purchased with a meal.
- 2, A number of SIA to be employed on the key evening of Thursday, Friday and Saturday. When a Bank Holiday Monday SIA also to work on the Sunday evening before. Also Christmas Eve, Day, Boxing Day, NYE. Police would also like the SIA to wear Body worn Cameras.