

AGENDA



- Committee - **PANEL OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE LICENSING AUTHORITY**
- Date & Time - Thursday, 16 March 2023 at 10.00 am
- Venue - Council Chamber, Council Offices, Priory Road, Spalding

Membership of the Panel:

Councillors: M D Booth, A Casson, J Tyrrell (Chairman), G T D Rudkin (Substitute)

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Date: 8 March 2023

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AGENDA

- 1) Apologies for absence.
- 2) Licensing Act 2003 Premises Licence Review (Pages 3 - 28) -
To determine an application for the Review of a Premises Licence under the Licensing Act 2003 for Holbeach Drove Store, Holbeach Drove Gate, Holbeach, Lincs PE12 0PX (report of the Public Protection Manager enclosed).
- 3) To consider resolving that, under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act
- 4) Exempt Appendices (Pages 29 - 90) -
To consider exempt appendices to item 2.



REPORT TO:	Panel of the Committee of the Licensing Authority
DATE:	Thursday, 16 March 2023
SUBJECT:	Licensing Act 2003 Premises Licence Review
PURPOSE:	To determine an application for the Review of a Premises Licence under the Licensing Act 2003 for Holbeach Drove Store, Holbeach Drove Gate, Holbeach, Lincs PE12 OPX
REPORT OF:	Public Protection Manager
REPORT AUTHOR:	Heather Lawson - Licensing Officer
WARD(S) AFFECTED:	Whaplode and Holbeach St Johns
EXEMPT REPORT?	N

RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Panel of the Committee of the Licensing Authority determine the Review of a Premises Licence under the Licensing Act 2003 for Holbeach Drove Store, Holbeach Drove Gate, Holbeach, Lincs, PE12 OPX

1. BACKGROUND

- 1.1** The Licensing Team on behalf of the Licensing Authority received an application for the review of a premises licence on 23rd January 2023 from Lincolnshire Police in accordance with Section 51 of the Licensing Act 2003. The application for review is for the premises known as Holbeach Drove Store, Holbeach Drove Gate, Holbeach, Lincs, PE12 OPX. The review application is attached at **Appendix 1**. Annexes attached to Appendix 1 labelled **Annex A/B/C/D/& E** are **RESTRICTED**.

2. REPORT

- 2.1** The Premises Licence Holder and Designated Premises Supervisor of Holbeach Drove Store is Mrs Komalar VIJAYAKUMAR.
- 2.2** The Premises Licence PL0090 is attached at **Appendix 2**.
- 2.3** Lincolnshire Police have obtained evidence which indicates that the management of these premises has been operating in such a manner that amounts to criminal activity and thus undermines the licensing objective of the prevention of crime and disorder.
- 2.4** There have been no representations from members of the public or any other persons.
- 2.5** The Licensing Authority have fulfilled the necessary legislative requirements. A copy of the public notice is attached at **Appendix 3**.

3. OPTIONS

- 3.1** The Members of the Panel of the Committee of the Licensing Authority must consider the review application on its own merits, representations made, and any evidence and submissions made at the hearing. Consideration must centre on the licensing objectives.
- 3.2** In making its decision, Members of the Panel are asked to consider the application in line with the following:
- The Licensing Act 2003 and Regulations made under it
 - Guidance issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003
 - The Licensing Authority's Statement of Licensing Policy
- 3.3** As they consider it appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives, the Panel of the Committee of the Licensing Authority in accordance with Section 52(4) of the Licensing Act may:
- Modify the conditions of the licence
 - Exclude a licensable activity from the scope of the licence
 - Remove the Designated Premises Supervisor
 - Suspend the licence for a period not exceeding three months
 - Revoke the licence
 - Leave the licence in its current state
- 3.4** Members are asked to determine the review having regard to the above matters and any other consideration it considers material. Full reasons for the decision must be given.

4. IMPLICATIONS

4.1 CONSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

- 4.1.1** The decision of the Panel of the Committee of the Licensing Authority is subject to appeal to the Magistrates Court.

4.2 CRIME AND DISORDER

4.2.1 The representation from Lincolnshire Police highlights concerns in relation to the Licensing objective of the Prevention of Crime and Disorder.

4.3 EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY/ HUMAN RIGHTS/ SAFEGUARDING

4.3.1 Article 1: Every natural or legal person is entitled to the peaceful enjoyment of his possessions. No one shall be deprived of his possessions except in the public interest and subject to conditions provided for by law and by the general principles of international law.

Article 6: The Sub-Committee must ensure a fair hearing. (The applicant has been invited to attend the meeting, has been sent a copy of this report and informed of his/her rights to be represented at the meeting).

Article 8: Everyone has the right to his/her private life and family home.

5.0 WARDS AFFECTED

5.1 Whaplode and Holbeach St Johns

APPENDICES

Appendices are listed below and attached to the back of the report: -

APPENDIX 1	Review Application from Lincolnshire Police Annex A /B/C/D/E – RESTRICTED
APPENDIX 2	Premises Licence PL0090
APPENDIX 3	Public Notice

BACKGROUND PAPERS

Background papers used in the production of this report are listed below: -

Document title	Where the document can be viewed
Licensing Act 2003	Licensing Act 2003 (legislation.gov.uk)
Guidance issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003	Revised Guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003 (publishing.service.gov.uk)
SHDC Statement of Licensing Policy	South Holland District Council Statement of Licensing Policy

CHRONOLOGICAL HISTORY OF THIS REPORT

A report on this item has not been previously considered by a Council body.

REPORT APPROVAL	
Report author:	Heather Lawson Heather.Lawson@sholland.gov.uk
Signed off by:	Head of Public Protection

**Application for the review of a premises licence or club premises certificate under the
Licensing Act 2003**

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form.
If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure
that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.
You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

I Chris Haward (Chief Constable of Lincolnshire Police)

(Insert name of applicant)

**apply for the review of a premises licence under section 51 / apply for the review of a club
premises certificate under section 87 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in
Part 1 below (delete as applicable)**

Part 1 – Premises or club premises details

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description Holbeach Drove Store Drove Gate Holbeach	
Post town Lincolnshire	Post code (if known) PE12 0PX

Name of premises licence holder or club holding club premises certificate (if known) Komalar Vijayakumar
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Number of premises licence or club premises certificate (if known) PL0090

Part 2 - Applicant details

I am

Please tick ✓ yes

1) an individual, body or business which is not a responsible
authority (please read guidance note 1, and complete (A)
or (B) below)

2) a responsible authority (please complete (C) below)



3) a member of the club to which this application relates
(please complete (A) below)

(A) DETAILS OF INDIVIDUAL APPLICANT (fill in as applicable)

Please tick ✓ yes

Mr Mrs Miss Ms Other title
(for example, Rev)

Surname

First names

Please tick ✓ yes

I am 18 years old or over

**Current postal
address if
different from
premises
address**

Post town

Post Code

Daytime contact telephone number

**E-mail address
(optional)**

(B) DETAILS OF OTHER APPLICANT

Name and address

Telephone number (if any)

E-mail address (optional)

(C) DETAILS OF RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY APPLICANT

Lincolnshire Police
Alcohol Licensing
Myle Cross Centre
Macaulay Drive
LN2 4EL

Telephone number (if any)
101 - Lincolnshire - 3298438

E-mail address (optional)
Countylicensinggroup@lincs.police.uk

This application to review relates to the following licensing objective(s)

- Please tick one or more boxes ✓
- 1) the prevention of crime and disorder
 - 2) public safety
 - 3) the prevention of public nuisance
 - 4) the protection of children from harm

Please state the ground(s) for review (please read guidance note 2)

This review application relates to a premises which operates as a general convenience store offering food, drink and groceries to the local community and has been granted a Premises Licence PL0090 (Licensing Act 2003) by South Holland District Council authorising the sale of alcohol for consumption off the premises. The sale of alcohol is authorised between the hours of 08:00 and 23:00 Monday to Saturday and 10:00 to 22:30 on Sundays.

Lincolnshire Police have obtained evidence which indicates that the management of these premises has been operating it in such a manner that amounts to criminal activity and thus undermines the licensing objective of the prevention of crime and disorder.

The premises have recently been found to have employed two illegal workers. One individual had entered the UK legally and has an outstanding asylum claim but he had not been granted the right to work. The second individual encountered by Police, and found to be working at the premises, had overstayed his VISA and thus had no right to work.

Revised Guidance issued under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003

Section 2.1 Licensing authorities should look to the Police as the main source of advice on crime and disorder.

Section 11.23 states where the premises are found to be trading irresponsibly, the licensing authority should not hesitate, where appropriate to do so, to take tough action to tackle the problems at the premises and, where other measures are deemed insufficient, to revoke the licence.

Section 11.24 of the Guidance to the Licensing Act states that reviews do not have to be directly linked or connected with the licensable activities at any premises. In this case the offences are directly linked to the operation of the premises as a shop licensed to sell alcohol for consumption off the premises and the staff actively involved in these activities.

11.25 states that in any case, it is for the licensing authority to determine whether the problems associated with the alleged crimes are taking place on the premises and affecting the promotion of the licensing objectives.

Section 11.26 states that the licensing authority's duty is to take steps with a view to the promotion of the licensing objectives and the prevention of illegal working in the interests of the wider community and not those of the individual licence holder.

Section 11.27 There is certain criminal activity that may arise in connection with licensed premises which should be treated particularly seriously. These are the use of the licensed premises:

- For employing a person who is disqualified from that work by reason of their immigration status in the UK.

11.28 It is envisaged that licensing authorities, the police, the Home Office (Immigration) and other law enforcement agencies, which are responsible authorities, will use the review procedures effectively to deter such activities and crime. Where reviews arise and the licensing authority determines that the crime prevention objective is being undermined through the premises being used to further crimes, it is expected that revocation of the licence - even in the first instance - should be seriously considered.

Please provide as much information as possible to support the application (please read guidance note 3)

Officers from the Lincolnshire Police visited the premises on Monday 24th October 2022 to conduct a routine compliance check. During the visit Officers encountered two males working within the store. One of those males was found to have overstayed his VISA and was subsequently arrested. Body worn video footage is available in relation to this arrest and can be played if required. The other male did not have the right to work so was advised to close the shop and cease working. (See *Annex A – Statement of PC Holmes and Annex B – Statement of PC Cummins*).

On Friday 25th November 2022 PC Cummins re-attended the shop and found two different staff members working within. Both individuals appeared to have the correct permissions to work.

On Thursday 5th January 2023 Pc Casey visited the store with Pc McConville to carry out a compliance check. Two individuals were found at the premises, both were seen to be working in the shop. One gentleman had been seen by PC Cummins on his previous visit in November, but the second male had not been encountered before. The second male had a student VISA restricting him to 20 hours work per week during term time. During this visit it was noted that there were no right to work checks documented despite a folder being in situ. There did not appear to be a written authorisation allowing staff to sell alcohol on behalf of the DPS. Pc Casey also saw that there were still some items of alcohol on the shelving which did not have a price label contrary to the Price Marking Order Act 2004. (See *Annex C – Statement of PC Casey and Annex D – PC Casey’s pocket notebook photographs*)

Following on from the Police visit on 24th October 2022 a Civil Penalty referral was made by Immigration Officer Hussain. (See *Annex E – Civil Penalty referral and IO Hussain’s notes*) The £20,000 penalty was issued on 12th December 2022 to Vijay Petroleum Retailers Limited. The penalty was paid on 21st December 2022. One of the two directors of Vijay Petroleum Retailers Limited is Komalar Vijayakumar.

It is an offence to employ an illegal worker under section 21 of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006, as amended by section 35 of the Immigration Act 2016, if the employer knows or has reasonable cause to believe that they are employing an illegal worker. The employer by law must carry out various checks to ensure that their staff are legally allowed to work.

Where an employer pays wages to illegal workers off record with no tax or national insurance deductions which are then deliberately omitted from an employers End of Tax Year P35 returns to HMRC, the employer may be dealt with by means of the Fraud Act 2006. Similarly, HMRC may take action as a civil proceedings case and raise a tax debt against the business.

Illegal workers are more than likely poorly paid for the hours they are required to work and are not subject to the benefit of a minimum wage or restricted

hours as prescribed in law. Nor are they afforded the benefit of the protections offered by UK employment legislation and are therefore often exploited.

Lincolnshire has led the way with how illegal working within licenced premises and its impact on how the crime prevention objective should be viewed. The stated case of East Lindsey District Council v Abu Hanif in 2016 involved an illegal worker in a licenced premises in Lincolnshire in April 2014, where a civil penalty was later issued by immigration. The premises licence was reviewed and revoked, an appeal followed which was successful, based on the argument that a civil penalty was not a prosecution and so did not concern the crime prevention objective. East Lindsey District Council then appealed that decision by way of a case stated, arguing that it was not necessary for a crime to have been reported, prosecuted, or established in a court of law in order for the crime prevention objective to be engaged. That the licensing objectives were prospective and were concerned with the avoidance of harm in the future. Mr Justice Jay upheld the councils appeal, citing defrauding the revenue and exploitation of vulnerable individuals by not paying minimum wage as evidence of the commission of criminal offences, and the fact that the employee could not provide the required paperwork as clear inference that Mr Hanif well knew that he was employing an illegal worker.

Lincolnshire Police request that the Licensing Sub-committee seriously consider a revocation of the premises licence.

Please tick ✓ yes

Have you made an application for review relating to the premises before

N.A

If yes please state the date of that application

Day	Month	Year

If you have made representations before relating to the premises please state what they were and when you made them

N/A

Please tick ✓

yes

- I have sent copies of this form and enclosures to the responsible authorities and the premises licence holder or club holding the club premises certificate, as appropriate
- I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected

IT IS AN OFFENCE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION. THOSE WHO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT MAY BE LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE OF ANY AMOUNT.

Part 3 – Signatures (please read guidance note 4)

Signature of applicant or applicant’s solicitor or other duly authorised agent (please read guidance note 5). **If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.**

Signature =====
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Date 23/01/23
.....

Capacity for and on behalf of Chief Constable of Lincolnshire Police
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Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 6)	
Post town	Post Code
Telephone number (if any)	
If you would prefer us to correspond with you using an e-mail address your e-mail address (optional)	

Notes for Guidance

1. A responsible authority includes the local police, fire and rescue authority and other statutory bodies which exercise specific functions in the local area.
2. The ground(s) for review must be based on one of the licensing objectives.
3. Please list any additional information or details for example dates of problems which are included in the grounds for review if available.
4. The application form must be signed.
5. An applicant’s agent (for example solicitor) may sign the form on their behalf provided that they have actual authority to do so.
6. This is the address which we shall use to correspond with you about this application.

Licensing Act 2003
Premises Licence

PL0090

LOCAL AUTHORITY



South Holland District Council

Licensing Dept
 Council Offices
 Priory Road
 Spalding
 Lincolnshire
 PE11 2XE

tel: 01775 761161

web: www.sholland.gov.uk

Part 1 - Premises Details

POSTAL ADDRESS OF PREMISES, OR IF NONE, ORDNANCE SURVEY MAP REFERENCE OR DESCRIPTION

Holbeach Drove Store

Drove Gate, Holbeach, Lincolnshire, PE12 0PX.

Telephone: [REDACTED]

WHERE THE LICENCE IS TIME LIMITED THE DATES

Not applicable

LICENSABLE ACTIVITIES AUTHORISED BY THE LICENCE

- the supply of alcohol

THE TIMES THE LICENCE AUTHORISES THE CARRYING OUT OF LICENSABLE ACTIVITIES

Activity (and Area if applicable)	Description	Time From	Time To
Supply of alcohol for consumption	OFF the premises only		
	Monday to Saturday	8:00am	11:00pm
	Sunday	10:00am	10:30pm

THE OPENING HOURS OF THE PREMISES

Description	Time From	Time To
Monday to Sunday	Midnight	Midnight

WHERE THE LICENCE AUTHORISES SUPPLIES OF ALCOHOL WHETHER THESE ARE ON AND / OR OFF SUPPLIES

Supply of alcohol for consumption OFF the premises only

Part 2

NAME, (REGISTERED) ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER AND EMAIL (WHERE RELEVANT) OF HOLDER OF PREMISES LICENCE

Komalar Vijayakumar

REGISTERED NUMBER OF HOLDER, FOR EXAMPLE COMPANY NUMBER, CHARITY NUMBER (WHERE APPLICABLE)



Premises Licence

NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR WHERE THE PREMISES LICENCE AUTHORISES THE SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL

Komalar VIJAYAKUMAR

PERSONAL LICENCE NUMBER AND ISSUING AUTHORITY OF PERSONAL LICENCE HELD BY DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR WHERE THE PREMISES LICENCE AUTHORISES FOR THE SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL

Licence No.

Issued by

ANNEXES

ANNEX 1

a) Licensing Act 2003 Mandatory Conditions

1. No supply of alcohol may be made under the premises licence at a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of the premises licence, or
2. No supply of alcohol may be made under the premises licence at a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or his personal licence is suspended.
3. Every supply of alcohol under the premises licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.
4. (1) The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.

(2) The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licence must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.

(3) The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either-
 - (a) a holographic mark, or
 - (b) an ultraviolet feature.
5. A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.
6. In this condition:
 - (a) "permitted price" is the price found by applying the formula $P = D + (D \times V)$, where:
 - (i) P is the permitted price
 - (ii) D is the amount of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and
 - (iii) V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol
 - (b) "duty" is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979
 - (c) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence:
 - (i) the holder of the Premises Licence
 - (ii) the Designated Premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or
 - (iii) the Personal Licence Holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence
 - (d) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a Club Premises Certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and
 - (e) "value added tax" means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994.
7. Where the permitted price would not be a whole number of pennies, the permitted price shall be taken to be the price rounded up to the nearest penny.

ANNEXES continued ...

8. Where the permitted price on a day ("the first day") would be different from the permitted price on the next day ("the second day") as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax, the permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.

b) Embedded Conditions**PERMITTED HOURS**

Alcohol shall not be sold or supplied except during permitted hours. In this condition permitted hours mean:

The hours detailed above except:

Christmas Day 12 noon to 3.00pm and 7.00pm to 10.30pm
Good Friday 08.00am to 10.30pm

The above restrictions do not prohibit:

- a) During the first 20 minutes after the above hours, the taking of the alcohol from the premises unless the alcohol is supplied or taken in an open vessel;
- b) The ordering of alcohol to be consumed off the premises, or the despatch by the vendor of the alcohol so ordered;
- c) The sale of alcohol to a trader or club for the purposes of the trade or club;
- d) The sale or supply of alcohol to any canteen or mess, being a canteen in which the sale or supply of alcohol is carried out under the authority of the Secretary of State or an authorised mess of members of Her Majesty's naval, military or air forces;
- e) Alcohol shall not be sold in an open container or be consumed in the licensed premises.

c) Express Conditions

None

ANNEX 2 - CONDITIONS CONSISTENT WITH THE OPERATING SCHEDULE**Prevention of Crime & Disorder**

None

Public Safety

None

Prevention of Public Nuisance

None

Protection of Children from Harm

None

ANNEXES continued ...

ANNEX 3 - CONDITIONS ATTACHED AFTER A HEARING BY THE LICENSING AUTHORITY

Not Applicable

ANNEX 4 - PLANS

See Attached

Signed by:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'P. S. A.', written over a horizontal line.

on behalf of South Holland Council

Premises Licence Summary

LOCAL AUTHORITY



South Holland District Council

Licensing Dept
Council Offices
Priory Road
Spalding
Lincolnshire
PE11 2XE

tel: 01775 761161
web: www.sholland.gov.uk

Premises Details

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NAME, (REGISTERED) ADDRESS OF HOLDER OF PREMISES LICENCE

Komalar Vijayakumar [REDACTED]

REGISTERED NUMBER OF HOLDER, FOR EXAMPLE COMPANY NUMBER, CHARITY NUMBER (WHERE APPLICABLE)


NAME OF DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR WHERE THE PREMISES LICENCE AUTHORISES THE SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL

Komalar VIJAYAKUMAR

Premises Licence Summary

STATE WHETHER ACCESS TO THE PREMISES BY CHILDREN IS RESTRICTED OR PROHIBITED

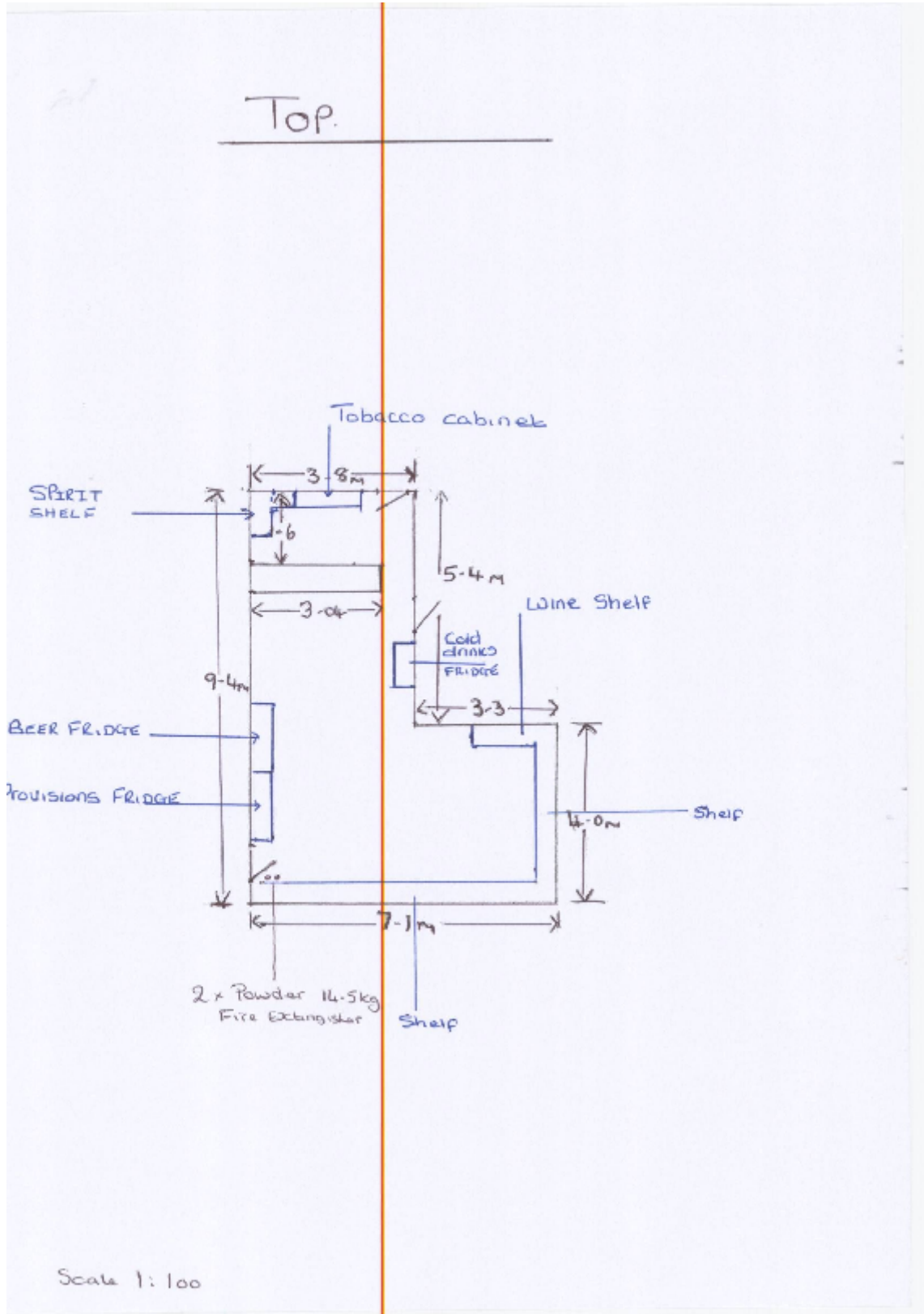
Signed by:

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on behalf of South Holland Council

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PLANS OF PREMISES



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LICENSING ACT 2003

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE REVIEW OF A PREMISES LICENCE UNDER SECTION 51(3)

Take Notice that the following application has been made to South Holland District Council.

Name of Applicant: **Chris Haward, CHIEF CONSTABLE OF LINCOLNSHIRE POLICE**

The Address of the Premises to which this Notice Relates:

Holbeach Drove Store, Drove Gate, Holbeach, Lincolnshire, PE12 0PX

A review is sort on the grounds of the licensing objectives: 1) The Prevention of Crime and Disorder

The Premises are licensed for: The Sale by Retail of Alcohol (off)

DESCRIPTION OF REVIEW

Lincolnshire Police have obtained evidence which indicates that the management of these premises has been operating it in such a manner that amounts to criminal activity and thus undermines the licencing objective of the prevention of crime and disorder.

Other Persons or Responsible Authorities may make representation in writing to South Holland District Council Offices within 28 days. Closing date for representations is **Monday 20th February 2023**.

The Council's Register is held at South Holland District Council, Council Offices, Priory Road, Spalding, Lincs, PE11 2XE, where the record of application can be inspected. The public notice can be viewed at [Licensing Act 2003 - Licensing Applications and reviews - South Holland District Council \(sholland.gov.uk\)](https://www.sholland.gov.uk/licensing-act-2003).

It is an offence liable on summary conviction to a fine up to level 5 (£5,000) on the standard scale to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with the application.

Dated: **24th January 2023**

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