EAST LOTHIAN LICENSING BOARD

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005, SECTION 29 APPLICATION FOR VARIATION OTHER THAN MINOR VARIATION

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This application should only be completed by the Licence Holder of the appropriate Premises Licence or their Agent.

SECTION 1:	TYPE OF VARIATIO	ON	:: •
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	Any of the Cond	itions to which the Premises Lic	ence is subject
	Any of the inform	nation contained within the Ope	rating Plan
\boxtimes	The Layout Plan		
	Any other inform deletion or other	nation contained or referred to in modification).	the licence (including any addition
	(Provide Details)		
Lidl Great Br		uises	
6 High Street Prestonpans			
Post Code	EH32 9AN	Phone No.	
2(c) Full Nam	e and Address of (Current Licence Holder	
Lidl Great Bri 19 Worple Ros London			
Post Code	SW19 4JS	Phone No.	

SECTION 3: NATURE OF VARIATION

Complete the relevant section(s) regarding the variations sought:-

3(a) Variation to the Conditions to which the Premises Licence is subject

N/A			
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3(b) Variation to the information Provide a copy of the proposed op			
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3(c) Variation to the Layout Plan of the Premises Licence

7 Copies of the proposed Layout Plan must accompany this application. (See Note 2) In addition please provide details below of the proposed change to the layout of the Premises.

Remerchandsing of the store resulting in a change to the layout and increase in alcohol capacity effective from 11.02.2021

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3(d) Variat	ion to any other information contained or referred to in the licence
	ails below of any other variation sought to the Premises Licence
(e.g. Alterat	ion to the description of the premises contained within the Premises Licence)
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(4)	
SECTION 4: 1 (See note 3 b	LICENCE TO BE AMENDED pelow)
Does the app	propriate Premises Licence accompany this application?
YES	□ NO
If the answer	is NO, please provide an explanation.
am unable	to produce the Premises Licence because
	The licence has not yet been issued by the Board
	The licence has already been returned to the Board in respect of an earlier application for variation or transfer
	Other (provide details)

SECTION 5: FEE PAYABLE

The fee payable in respect of the application for variation is £150

If the application is submitted alongside an application for Transfer of Premises Licence then the combined fee for both applications will be £170 (see note 4 below)
If submitted with an application for transfer, please specify the order in which the applications are to be considered-
Application for Transfer of Premises Licence followed by Application for Variation
Application for Variation followed by Application for Transfer of Premises Licence

DECLARATION BY APPLICANT OR AGENT ON BEHALF OF APPLICANT

If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.

I confirm that (a) the contents of this Application are true to the best of my knowledge and belief; and (b) the appropriate fee of £150 is enclosed.

Signature (See note 5 below) 02/12/2020 Date

Capacity: APPLICANT / AGENT (delete as appropriate)

If agent, please provide name, address,

phone number and (if applicable) email address

Rebecca Bough, Lidl Licensing, Palmer

Avenue, Severn Beach **BS35 4DF**

0117 428 0315 licensing@lidl.co.uk

Note 1:

Please note that the proposed Operating Plan must contain any aspects of the current Operating Plan that are to be preserved should the variation be granted. (e.g. If the current Operating Plan allows a premises to have 'live performances' but this is not requested on the proposed Operating Plan then the Licensing Board would view such an omission as a request to have 'live performances' deleted from the Operating Plan of the Premises.)

Please refer to Paragraph 5 of the Premises Licence (Scotland) Regulations 2007 regarding the format of Layout Plans.

Note 3:

The appropriate premises licence (including summary licence, operating plan and layout plan) must be returned to the Licensing Authority in order that the licence documents can be updated to reflect the details of the variation. If you are in possession of the appropriate Premises Licence but unable to provide said licence with this application, you must ensure the licence is forward to the Licensing Authority within 14 days in order to complete the process of variation.

Please note also that once the variation is completed, any certified copies of the appropriate Premises Licence must also be updated to reflect the details of the variation.

Note 4:

This refers to an application to Transfer the Premises Licence made under either Section 33(1) or Section 34(1) of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005

Note 5:

Data Protection Act 1998

The information on this form will be used to update the Premises Licence of the appropriate premises. Accordingly, the information contained on this form may be held on an electronic public register which may be available to members of the public on request.

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· 10年10年1月1日 10年1日 10年1日	FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
Received & Receipt No.	System Updated	Licence Issued

OPERATING PLAN

Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005, section 20(2)(b)(i)

Question 1

STATEMENT REGARDING ALCOHOL BEING SOLD ON PREMISES/OFF PREMISES OR BOTH

1(a) Will alcohol be sold for consumption solely ON the premises?	NO*
1(b) Will alcohol be sold for consumption solely OFF the premises?	YES *
1(c) Will alcohol be sold for consumption both ON and OFF the premises?	NO*
*Delete as appropriate	

Question 2

STATEMENT OF CORE TIMES WHEN ALCOHOL WILL BE SOLD FOR CONSUMPTION ON PREMISES

Day	ON Consumption		
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Monday			
Tuesday			
Wednesday			
Thursday			
Friday			
Saturday			
Sunday			

Question 3

STATEMENT OF CORE TIMES WHEN ALCOHOL WILL BE SOLD FOR CONSUMPTION OFF PREMISES

Day	OFF Consumption		
	Opening time	Terminal hour	
Monday	10.00 am	10.00 pm	
Tuesday	10.00 am	10.00 pm	
Wednesday	10.00 am	10.00 pm	
Thursday	10.00 am	10.00 pm	
Friday	10.00 am	10.00 pm	
Saturday	10.00 am	10.00 pm	
Sunday	10.00 am	10.00 pm	

Question 4

SEASONAL VARIATIONS

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Does the applicant intend to operate according to seasonal demand	YES
boes the applicant intent to operate according to seasonal demand	YES

*If YES - provide details

The applicant seeks an increased capacity of alcohol display for the period of 1 December each year until 2 January of the following year. The relevant capacities shall be stated in question 7 below. The applicant seeks the increased capacity to allow them to adequately cope with increased seasonal demand around the Christmas and New Year period as per the layout plans

Question 5

PLEASE INDICATE THE OTHER ACTIVITIES OR SERVICES THAT WILL BE PROVIDED ON THE PREMISES IN ADDITION TO SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL

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COL. 1	COL. 2	COL. 3	COL. 4
5(a)	Please confirm	To be provided	Where activities are
Activity	YES/NO	during core licensed hours -	also to be provided outwith core
Control of the Contro		please confirm	licensed hours
		YES/NO	please confirm
5-10 PER 11 17 \$18 EMBE			YES/NO
Accommodation	No	N/A	N/A
Conference facilities	No	No	No
Restaurant facilities	No	No	No
	No	No	No
Bar meals			
5(b) Activity	Please confirm	To be provided	Where activities are
		during core	also to be provided
Social functions including:	YES/NO	licensed hours -	outwith core
		please confirm	licensed hours please confirm
		YES/NO	YES/NO
Boostiess industries	No	No	No
Receptions including			
Weddings, funerals, birthdays,			
retirements etc.			
Club or other group	No	No	No
meetings etc.			
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5(c)	Please confirm	To be provided during core	Where activities are also to be provided
Activity	YES/NO	licensed hours -	outwith core
Entertainment		please confirm	licensed hours please confirm
including:		YES/NO	YES/NO
	Yes	Yes	Yes
Recorded music - see 5(g)			1
	No	No	No
Live performances – see 5(g):	la T	E	
Dance facilities	No	No	No

Adult entertainment	No	Nö	No
5(e) Activity	Please confirm YES/NO	To be provided during core licensed hours – please confirm	Where activities are also to be provided outwith core licensed hours please confirm
Outdoor drinking facilities	No	No	No 7
5(d) Activity	Please confirm YES/NO	To be provided during core licensed hours – please confirm	Where activities are also to be provided outwith core licensed hours please confirm YES/NO
Televised sport	No	No	No
Gaming Indoor/outdoor sports	No	No	No No
Theatre Films	No No	No No	No
THE REAL PROPERTY.	No	No	No

Where you have answered YES in respect of any entry in column 4 above, please provide further details below.

N/A	
TYZA	

5(f) any other activities

If you propose to provide any activities other than those listed in 5(a) – (e) please provide details or further information in the box below.

The premises operate as a supermarket. The premises may open outwith the core hours for this purpose. No alcohol is sold outwith core hours

Where you have confirmed that you are providing live or recorded music, will the decibel level exceed 85dB?	YES/NO*
When fully occupied, are there likely to be more customers standing than seated?	YES/NO*
*Delete as appropriate	

Question 6 (On-sales only)

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PERSONS

6(a)	When alcohol is being sold for consumption on the premises will children or young persons be allowed entry YES/NO
	*Delete as appropriate
6(b)	Where the answer to 6(a) is YES provide statement of the TERMS under which they will be allowed entry
0/-1	Describe statement as applies the ACES of children on yourse wateres to be allowed
6(c)	Provide statement regarding the AGES of children or young persons to be allowed entry
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6(c) 6(d)	
	Provide statement regarding the TIMES during which children and young persons with

Question 7

CAPACITY OF PREMISES

What is the proposed capacity of the premises to which this application relates?

Capacity during non-seasonal trading: - Length 34.46m Height 1.8m = 62.02m²

Additional capacity during seasonal trading (1 December each year to 2 January following year) is Length 10.68m Height 1.8m = 19.22m²

Maximum total capacity: 81.24m²

Question 8

PREM prem	MISES MANAGER (ises licence)	NOTE: not	required	where	application	is for grant	of provisional
Perso	onal details						
8(a)	Name						
Narino	der Kumar						
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8(b)	Date of birth						
	16						
							2
8(c)	Contact address						-
					4		
		4					
8(d)	Email address				on 1		
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8(e) Personal licence

Date of Issue	Name of Licensing Board issuing	Reference no. of personal licence
08.07.2015	Edinburgh	298744

DECLARATION BY APPLICANT OR AGENT ON BEHALF OF APPLICANT

If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.

The contents of	this operating plan are true to the best of my kr	nowledge and belief.
Signature	* (see note below)	
Dateआय	10J-0	

Capacity Wanay Manage/..... APPLICANT/AGENT (delete as appropriate).

Telephone number and email address of signatory 0117 428 0315 - licensing@lidl.co.uk

Data Protection Act 1998

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Lidl Scotland - Licensing Objective Focus Statement

Below are some of the ways in which Lidl Great Britain Limited supports the five Licensing Objectives.

Preventing Crime and Disorder

- Lidl have installed EAS tagging systems in all stores with high theft risk items, including some alcohol lines. All alcohol products over £9.49 are security tagged. This acts as both deterrent and detection method for potential theft.
- Lidl employs stringent training practices which develop staff to be aware of potential issues and how to manage difficult circumstances should they arise.
- No member of Lidl staff is permitted to undertake till duties until all relevant training has been completed.
- Lidl are an approved provider of SCPLH training and therefore all training and refresher training is undertaken within the company. Lidl are graded by the BII as "Grade 1", which is the highest grading that can achieved.
- Lidl contract SIA accredited Security companies to supply SIA accredited Guards in stores which are deemed to require support to manage any crime or disorder issues.
- Lidl install state of the art CCTV systems in all stores. Images are retained for a reasonable period of time and may be available as required by the police or licensing standards officer. Lidl are happy to engage with local licensing police to discuss the period of image retention as may be considered appropriate in the circumstances.
- Lidl undertake their own test purchasing of alcohol within their premises using over 18 year olds but
 under 25 year olds in order to test the integrity of the Challenge 25 policies in relation to all age
 restricted products, including alcohol this is generally undertaken when the premises are at their
 busiest, to ensure that staff are applying the Challenge 25 process at all times, regardless of how busy a
 store might be.

Securing Public Safety

- As above SIA accredited Security Guards are present in stores which require support.
- CCTV as above.
- Lidl undertake daily, weekly and biannual health & safety, trading law and maintenance checks in all stores, to ensure compliance. Our compliance procedures and policies are regularly reviewed.

Protecting Children / Young People From Harm

- Lidl follow our 'Think 25' procedure which requires all customers who appear to be under the age of 25
 provide valid proof of age documents should they wish to purchase an age restricted product.
- Lidl's tills automatically prompt the cashier that an age restricted item has been scanned and will not
 allow the sale to continue unless the cashier confirms the Think 25 procedure has been followed.
- The Lidl ID procedure also supports this objective as the senior manager on duty (a personal licence holder) must authorise all ID verification as required through the Think 25 procedure before a sale can be authorised.
- Lidl does not merchandise any sweets etc near the alcohol section; this reduces the likelihood for children / young people being near alcoholic products.
- Lidl does not stock alcopop drinks which might be readily considered as attracted to under aged persons
- Internal Challenge 25 testing process as above.

Preventing Public Nuisance

- As above SIA accredited Security Guards are present in stores which require support.
- CCTV as above
- Waste receptacles for customers are provided for disposal of litter.
- All by-products of our premises are responsibly disposed of, and where possible, recycled.

Protecting and Improving Public Health

- The Lid! till system cannot process alcoholic items either before 10am or after 10pm. This makes it impossible for licensing hours not to be adhered to.
- Lidl merchandises the alcohol section as the furthest area from the customer entrance. As well as
 assisting with security, it also ensures that not necessary for customers to walk past the section in order

to reach different areas of the store or reach the till counters. This reduces the likelihood of customers 'impulse purchasing' alcohol.

- Lidl were the first major retailer in the UK to remove the sale of tobacco in all stores.
- Lidl were the first major retailer in the UK to remove sweets from the checkout area to reduce impulse buying of unhealthy items.
- Do not stock high ABV ciders or super strength lagers/beers which might be more readily associated with problem drinkers
- Lidl have 6 varieties of fruit and vegetables on offer every week as part of their healthy eating promotions
- On of the first supermarkets to implement a voluntary "challenge 16" in relation to caffeinated energy drinks, ahead of legislation to regulate this.
- Lidl participate in Neighbourly avoiding food wastage by contributing to local charities and community groups, food bank and homeless organisations and their "fund a fridge" campaign.
- Energy saving New premises and warehouse save energy through innovations in lighting and refrigeration - recycling energy to reduce waste.



Supplementary Application Information

Rusiness Profile

This information is required in relation to all Premises Licence/Provisional Licence applications or any application which is a Premises Licence Variation, not considered to be a Minor Variation.

Application submissions generally tend to be insufficiently detailed as to provide a complete picture of what businesses propose to provide the public. Therefore, Licensing Boards often have too little information, in advance of Board hearings, to fully appreciate what is being applied for. This situation often leads to numerous unnecessary objections and representation being made due to interested parties, such as neighbouring residents, not understanding what proposed activities really relate to i.e. What does Live Music actually mean and how will it impact on their lives. For these reasons, the Board has made a policy decision to require applicants to provide a fuller description of their business proposals and detail how the five licensing objectives will be met.

Please describe your business offering.				
Supermarket				
2.				
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(extend this box if you require additional space)				
On/Off Consumption	Off			

(a) Please describe the type of business you intend to operate in respect of On consumption.	a)
(b) Please describe the type of business you intend to operate in respect of Off consumption & deliveries	b) <u>Supermarket – offering sale of</u> <u>alcohol along with other food and</u> <u>household items</u>
Clarification is required in relation to the extend the boxes below if you require addition	content of your proposed Operating Plan
To what extent do you intend to use any of Facilities; Restaurant Facilities; Bar Meals:	the following: Accommodation; Conference
N/A	
Social Functions – Weddings; Birthdays; Retifor any of these functions please describe the each:	
N/A	
	rmances; Dance Facilities; Theatre; Films;
Entertainment – Recorded Music; Live Perfo	,
Entertainment – Recorded Music; Live Perfo Gaming; Indoor/outdoor sports; Televised Sport - If y facilities please describe the nature and exter	you intend to provide for any of these

Outdoor Drinking Facilities - If you intend to provide outdoor drinking facilities please
describe where and what the facilities will be used for. You will also be required to
provide a statement in the objectives section how you intend to prevent public nuisance
from use of such facilities:
N/A
Adult Entertainment – If you intend to provide any entertainment of a sexual nature
please state the type and likely frequency if use. Adult entertainment is any form of
sexual stimulation and includes adult humour or explicit language. The Board will also
expect you to address the objective of preventing harm to children and young persons:
N/A
Activities Outwith Licensed Core Hours - In your Operating Plan, directly below question
5(e), you should have given details of any activity that will be provided outwith core
licensed hours. If you wish you can expand on your explanation here:
Any Other Activities - In your Operating Plan at 5(f) you should have given details of any
other type of activity you are likely to cater for. It would be useful to give an indication of
the extent and frequency of such events:

in respect of different age groups. In addition, please state where and what baby changing facilities will be provided for children under five years.
Licensing Objectives - Please provide details below of how you will ensure that the 5 Licensing Objectives are complied with. It may be helpful in answering this section if you refer to the East Lothian Council Licensing Board's 'Statement of Licensing Policy, which car be found at the following link or the Council website policy link (extend the boxes below if you require additional space)
Preventing Crime and Disorder: See attached
Securing Public Safety: See attached
Preventing Public Nuisance: See attached
Protecting and Improving Public Health: See attached
Protecting Children and Young Persons From Harm: See attached

Children and Young Persons – If you intend to provide access for children and young

Application Supporting Comments / Any Other Additional Information (extend the boxes below if you require additional space)

Additional Information:

Supporting Comme	ents: i.e. reas	sons why the Bo	ard should suppo	ort your application.
SIGNATURE AND I	DECLARATIO	ON BY APPLICA	ANT	
IT IS AN OFENCE WITH THIS APPLI		FALSE STAT	EMENŢ IN OR	IN CONNECTION
(Criminal Law (Cons	olidation)(Scot	tland) Act 1995	Section 44(2)(b))	
The contents of this A	Application are	true to the best	of my knowledge	and belief.
Signature			Date	17.12.2020

"SCHEDULE 6

Regulation 7

DISABLED ACCESS AND FACILITIES STATEMENT

Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005, section 20(2)(b)(iia)

Question 1

Disabled access and facilities

Is there disabled access to the premises	YES
Do you have facilities for those with a disability	YES
Do you have any other provisions available to aid the use of the premises by disabled people	YES
	Do you have facilities for those with a disability Do you have any other provisions available to aid the use of the

If you have answered Yes to any of the questions above please complete, as appropriate, the following sections.

Question 2

Disabled access to, from and within the premises

Please provide clear and detailed description of how accessible the premises are for disabled people. e.g. ramps, accessible floors, signage.

There is level entry access/exit to the premises. All floors are accessible by disabled customers.				
	5.0	ž _o	No.	

Question 3

Facilities available

Please describe in detail the facilities provided for disabled people. e.g. disabled to accessible tables.	llets, lifts,
The premises has toilets suitable for disabled access.	
The store has trolleys for use with wheelchairs	
Groceries are displayed at varied heights. Shop floor staff will assist any customer additional assistance.	requiring

Question 4

Other provisions

Please provide details of any other provisions made to aid the use of the premises by disabled people. e.g. assistance dogs welcome, large print menus.

The store has a bell in the entrance foyer for disabled customers if they need assistance. The store has disabled parking bays						
	*		45		¥:	

DECLARATION BY APPLICANT OR AGENT ON BEHALF OF APPLICANT

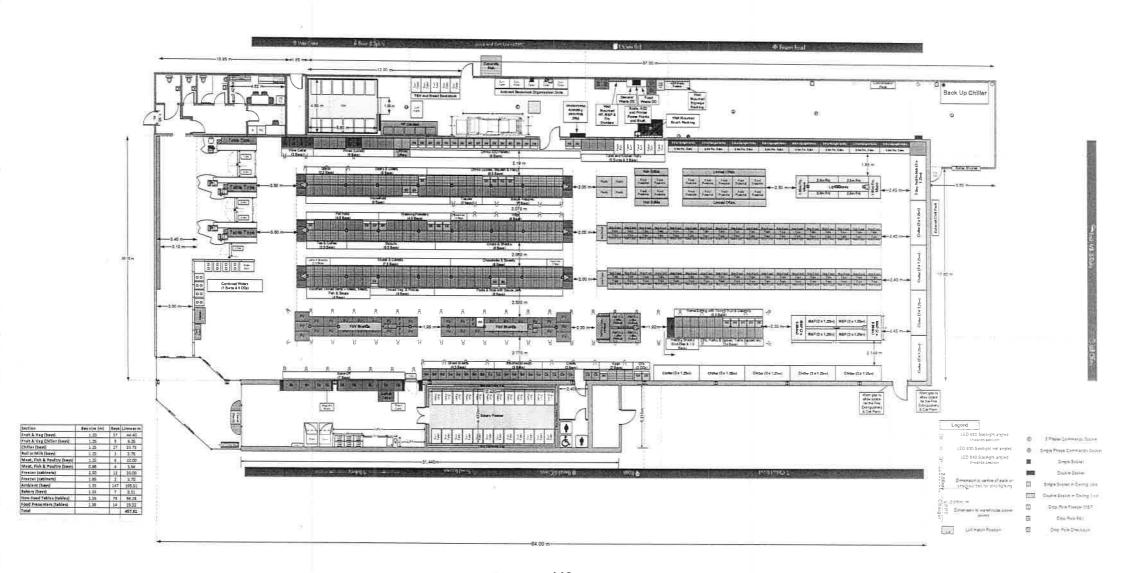
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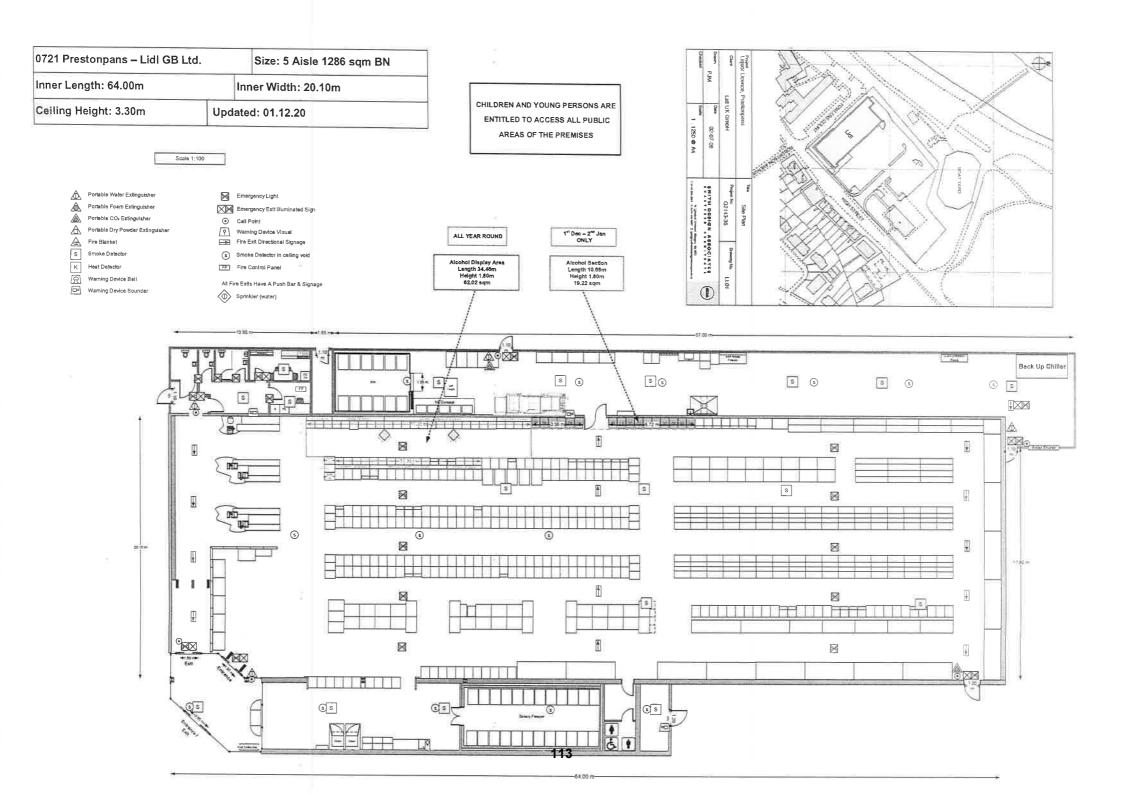
The contents of this disabled access and facilities statement are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

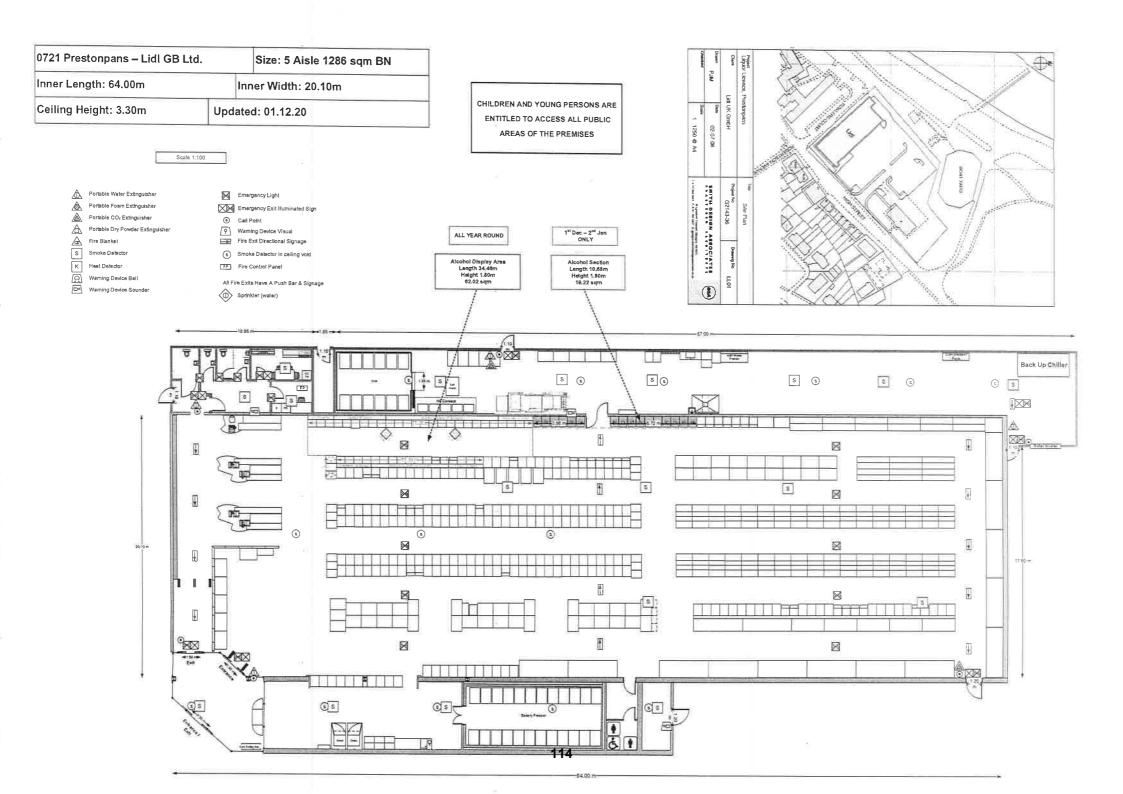
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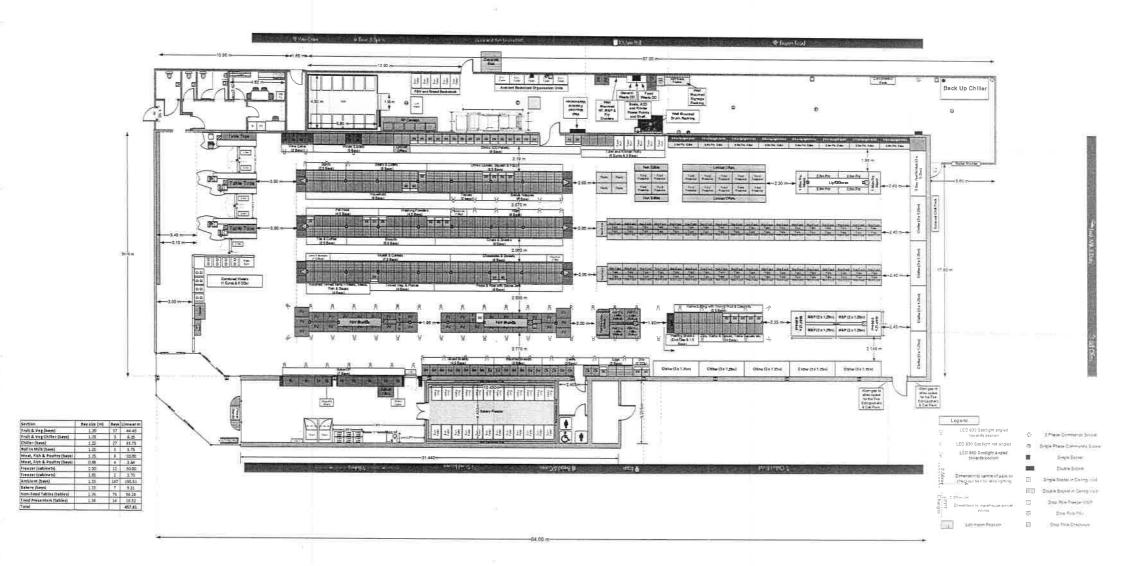
721 Prestonpans – Current F&V: 17.5 Bays (Length) + 5 Bay Upright Chill	Size: 5 Aisle 1286 sqm BN	Inner Length: 64.00m	Inner Width: 20.10m	Ceiling Height: 3.30m	Updated: 25_02_20
	M&P: 12 Bay Upright Cabinets	Non food: 78 NF Tables inc. Plants		Food Presenters: 14 Tables	Chiller Size: 30 Bays Inc. 3 Bay RIM







721 Prestonpans – Current	Size: 5 Alsie 1286 sqm BN	Inner Length: 64.00m	Inner Width: 20.10m	Ceiling Height: 3.30m	Updated: 25_02_20
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17/12/2020

Your Ref: LIDL

Our Ref:

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The Clerk of the Licensing Board East Lothian Council John Muir House Haddington East Lothian **EH41 3HA**



Keeping people safe

John McKenzie Divisional Commander The Lothians and Scottish Borders Division **Haddington Police Station** 39-41 Court Street Haddington **EH41 3AE**

FOR THE ATTENTION OF EAST LOTHAIN LICENSING BOARD

Dear Sir/Madam,

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005 APPLICATION FOR THE VARIATION OF A PREMISES LICENCE LIDL UK GMBH PRESTONPANS LIDL UK GMBH, HIGH STREET, PRESTONPANS, EAST LOTHIAN, EH32 9AN.

I refer to the above variation of a premises licence in terms of Section 29(5) of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005.

The variation requested consists of remerchandising of store shelving to increase alcohol capacity to cope with seasonal demands.

In terms of Section 29(5) this request can be considered a variation.

I have no adverse comment to make regarding the variation proposed.

Yours faithfully



John McKenzie Chief Superintendent

For enquiries please contact the Licensing Department on 0131 561 6119.

EAST LOTHIAN COUNCIL

LICENSING STANDARDS

From: R. Fruzynski

Licensing Standards Officer

To:

K. MacNeill

Clerk to the Licensing Board

Date:

23 Dec. 2020

Subject: LICENSING SCOTLAND ACT 2005

PREMISES LICENCE APPLICATION (MAJOR VARIATION)

Lidl UK, Mercat House, 6 High Street, Prestonpans, East Lothian EH 32 9AN

I refer to the above subject and can confirm that these premises have been visited and inspected in relation to this application for a Premises Licence variation.

This application applies for increases to the current non-seasonal display of alcohol of 47.61m² to 62.02m² and to a new seasonal display size, from 1st December to 2nd January each year, from 66.83m² to 81.23m², which are substantial increases of 14.41m² and 19.22m² respectively.

Previous applications to vary alcohol display capacity:

In 2017 an application was granted for an increase of the display capacity from 46.62m² to 47.61m², an increase of 0.99 m². The approved display area was also permitted to increase to 66.83m² between 1st December and 2nd January each year.

In May 2015 Lidl applied to change the size of the alcohol display capacity of 40.50m² to 46.62m², an increase of 6.52 m².

In June 2014 Lidl applied to change the size of the alcohol display capacity of $36.18m^2$ to $40.50m^2$, an increase of $4.32~m^2$.

In May 2014 Lidl applied for a reduction in size of alcohol display capacity from 38.79 m² to 36.18 m²

In February 2011, Lidl applied for the alcohol display capacity granted at the time of a variation in 2011 to be reduced from length 36.5m x height 1.8m (total 65.70m²) to length 21.55m x height 1.8m (total 38.79m²).

During the period 2017 – 2020, during which Lidl has used the current seasonal area of 66.83m², I can confirm that there have been no operational problems identified or complaints received by Licensing Standards.

Lidl is a very well run store.

R. Fruzynski Licensing Standards Officer

Winter, Maree

From:

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07 January 2021 13:53

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Winter, Maree

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Re: Major Variation application - Lidl, Mercat House, Prestonpans

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Dear Sirs,

Following consideration of the Licensing Application submitted on behalf of Lidl's, at this time Prestonpans Community Council cannot support this. Given the current economic climate with local pubs and independent shops within the town struggling due to the covid crisis, we feel this is an attempt by Lidl at trying to secure a near-monopoly of local alcohol sales.

There has been considerable media reporting that alcohol consumption at home has gone up during the Covid pandemic due to the restrictions on the hospitality sector and people having to work from home. As well as Lidl, Prestonpans currently has 3 Scotmid stores, one Co-op and 4 local convenience stores all selling alcohol therefore there is adequate provision in our town and no need for Lidl to expand its alcohol provision.

What evidence has Lidl provided to justify the view that there is the likelihood of a shortage of local provision of sales of alcohol during the festive season? Also given they are the fifth largest corporation in the world with sales around 104 billion Euro in 2018, what substantial contribution have they made to assist in alleviating poverty and deprivation within the PSG ward and the wider East Lothian?

Therefore, at this time support from Prestonpans Community Council would strongly object to this licensing application.

Kind regards,

Leanne Ward

Secretary, Prestonpans Community Council.

On Tue, 15 Dec 2020 at 11:15, Winter, Maree <mwinter@eastlothian.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear all,

Please find attached major variation application for Lidl, Prestonpans. Could I please have any representations/objections by Friday 8th January 2021. I have requested the support statement and disability statement and will follow onto you once received.