

**NEW FOREST DISTRICT COUNCIL**

**LICENSING ACT 2003**

**APPLICATION: Southern Co-Operative, Parsonage Barn Lane, Ringwood**

**Decision of the Licensing Sub-Committee hearing held at Appletree Court,  
Lyndhurst on Monday, 10 August 2009 at 10.00am**

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**1. Members of the Licensing Sub-Committee**

Councillor Beck - Chairman  
Councillor Dow  
Councillor Hutchins

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**2. Parties and their Representatives attending the Hearing**

Mr Lewis, Southern Co-Operative Ltd - Applicant  
Mr Crier, Blake Laphorn - Solicitors for the Applicant

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**3. Other Persons attending the Hearing**

None.

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**4. Parties not attending the Hearing**

Objectors:

Mr & Mrs Hibberd  
Mr & Mrs Plumley  
Mr & Mrs Riley  
Mr E Harris  
Mr & Mrs Robinson

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**5. Officers attending to assist the Sub-Committee**

Edward Williams – Legal Advisor  
Melanie Stephens - Clerk

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## 6. Decision of the Sub-Committee

The application is granted on the following terms and conditions.

### **Licensable activities and times permitted:**

M: Supply of Alcohol (off the premises only)

Monday 06.00 to 23.00  
Tuesday 06.00 to 23.00  
Wednesday 06.00 to 23.00  
Thursday 06.00 to 23.00  
Friday 06.00 to 23.00  
Saturday 06.00 to 23.00  
Sunday 06.00 to 23.00

### **Hours premises to be open to the public**

Monday 06.00 to 23.00  
Tuesday 06.00 to 23.00  
Wednesday 06.00 to 23.00  
Thursday 06.00 to 23.00  
Friday 06.00 to 23.00  
Saturday 06.00 to 23.00  
Sunday 06.00 to 23.00

### **Mandatory conditions:**

As provided in the Licensing Act 2003

### **Other conditions:**

1. CCTV will be installed and maintained at the premises to the satisfaction of the Licensing Authority and Police. As a minimum it will enable surveillance of both internal and external areas of the premises including all entrances and exits. Recordings from the system will be to a standard acceptable as evidence in a court of law and will be securely retained for a minimum of 30 days. The recording will be surrendered in a playable format to Hampshire Constabulary immediately on request.
2. A written log shall be kept of all refusals including refusals to serve alcohol. The holder of the premises licence shall ensure that the refusals log is properly maintained and this shall involve, but is not limited to, nominating in writing a responsible person to check and sign it on a weekly basis.
3. All staff shall be trained to challenge every individual who appears to be under 21 years of age and to refuse service where individuals cannot produce acceptable means of identification. Such training shall be provided not less than every six months, and written records shall be kept of all training and refresher training. Only the following ID will be accepted as proof of age: passport, UK driving licence, any ID card with the PASS logo or other ID card which is identified by the Local Authority as being acceptable proof of age.
4. No supply of alcohol is to take place until Sarah Wallsgrove has been replaced as Designated Premises Supervisor by a fully authorised person employed by the applicant company.

5. No deliveries of alcohol at the premises shall take place between 22.00 hours and 07.00 hours Monday to Saturday and 22.00 hours and 08.00 hours on Sunday.

**7. Reasons for the Decision**

The Sub-Committee carefully considered the application along with the evidence, both written and oral, supplied by the applicant and objectors.

The Sub-Committee noted the absence of any objections from the responsible authorities but took into account the written representations of the objectors (none of whom attended the hearing).

The Sub-Committee was of the view it had not been demonstrated that the extension of hours for the supply of alcohol at the premises (as defined in the plan attached to the application) would increase the level of public nuisance (or adversely affect any of the other licensing objectives) within the vicinity of the licensed premises.

Accordingly, the Sub-Committee was prepared to grant a premises licence for the supply of alcohol (off the premises) in the terms set out at section 6 above.

**Date: 10 August 2009**

**Licensing Sub-Committee Chairman: Cllr G Beck**

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**Decision notified to interested parties on 11 August 2009**