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Afternoon

The police are in receipt of two applications relating to the Eureka, 78 Halsall Lane, Ormskirk, these being to transfer the premises licence to Lisa MacKay and to transfer the DPS at the premises to Ian Roche.

With regards these applications the police believe that exceptional circumstances exist which, if granted, would undermine the Prevention of Crime licensing Objective and therefore the police would make representations against the granting of both applications.

The grounds for the representations are as follows;

Transfer of Premises Licence - The current applicant for the premises licence is subject of a missing persons report and is wanted in relation to an alleged theft of money from the Eureka premises, the complainant and aggrieved in this case being the proposed DPS Ian Roche. There are currently extensive police enquiries being made to find MacKay and as such she is clearly unable to carry out the position of Premises Licence Holder

Transfer of DPS – The proposed DPS Ian Roche has and still does operate licensed premises in the Blackpool area where his current home address is. Roche is currently already a DPS at BooBar, 54 Abingdon Street, Blackpool. Whilst the Licensing Act 2003 does not prevent a person being DPS at more than one premises, the guidance does make reference to the DPS being a person who has day to day control; of the premises. Due to his current commitments and his place of residence it is difficult to establish how he will be able to have day to day control of two premises so far apart. The Eureka is located in a residential area and as such it is important that the DPS be present at these premises to ensure the licensing objectives are not undermined.

Regards

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