#### REPORT OF CORPORATE DIRECTOR CITY DEVELOPMENT

# <u>APPLICATION FOR PROVISIONAL ENTERTAINMENTS LICENCE</u> REVOLUTION, UNIT 4 CHAPEL QUARTER, MOUNT STREET, NOTTINGHAM

#### 1.0 SUMMARY

1.1 This is an application for a provisional entertainments licence in the recently redeveloped Chapel Quarter.

## 2.0 **RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 2.1 IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Committee determine the application having regard to an objection by Nottinghamshire Police and the comments of the Environmental Health Officer, Chief Fire Officer and Building Control Officer and that if a licence is granted it be subject to satisfactory final inspections by the Environmental Health Officer and Chief Fire Officer and to the requirements of the Building Control Officer being met. It is also recommended that the Committee have regard to the City Council's Entertainment Licensing Policy No.1;
  - 'Matters that might present an adverse impact on the neighbourhood from the licensed activity have been assessed and suitable measures put in place to minimise or prevent the impact', and;
  - 'Matters that impact on local crime and disorder have been identified and suitable measures to the satisfaction of the Police have been established to minimise or prevent avoidable incidents', and;
  - 'that the applicant has taken steps to ensure good order inside and outside the premises', and;
  - 'the applicant can (or has put) in place such effective measures as given above to the satisfaction of the Council and Police', and;
- 2.2 to the City Council's Entertainment Licensing Policy No.5; 'when considering whether public entertainments licence should be granted, the Council will assess the likelihood of the proposal causing an unacceptable adverse impact either by itself or in conjunction with another factor that by itself may not have that adverse impact'. Particular regard will be had to the impact on local residents.

#### 3.0 BACKGROUND

3.1 A similar application for an entertainments licence was made in November 2002 by John MacDonald to provide entertainments until 1 am, which was refused by the Licensing Committee on 28 July 2003. Chapel Quarter contains the Fat Cat Café Bar which opened last December and has an entertainments licence until midnight and Tiger Tiger which has the benefit of a provisional entertainments licence until 2 am.

## 4.0 PROPOSALS

4.1 Mr MacDonald has applied for a provisional entertainments licence to provide music only on the ground floor and music and dancing on the first floor during the following hours:-

Mondays to Saturdays - 11 am to midnight Sundays - noon to midnight

- 4.2 The Chief Fire Officer has made recommendations regarding the fire precautions and requires a satisfactory final inspection prior to a licence being issued.
- 4.3 The Environmental Health Officer (pollution) has no objection and the Environmental Health Officer (food) has no objection subject to a satisfactory final inspection.
- 4.4 The Building Control Officer has advised that the proposals will require a building regulations application and the Planning Applications and Advice Officer has no objection.
- 4.5 The Police have objected and a copy of their letter is attached at Appendix 1.
- 4.6 Ward Councillors have been consulted and have not objected. The applicant and Police have been invited to attend and a map showing the location of the premises and a map showing Chapel Quarter and the site of Revolution in relation to Tiger Tiger and Fat Cat Café Bar are attached.

### 5.0 LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

The legal implications will be reported at the meeting

## 6.0 **EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS**

None

# 7.0 <u>List of background papers other than published works or those disclosing</u> confidential or exempt information

Application received 17 March 2004
Letters from Kuit Steinart Levy Solicitors dated 16 March & 26 April 2004
Memo from planning applications and advice dated 23 March 2004
Form D24 from the Chief Fire Officer dated 31 March 2004
Email from building control dated 8 April 2004
Memo from Pollution Control Officer dated 23 March 2004
Memo from Environmental Health Officer (food) dated 23 March 2004

#### 8.0 CRIME & DISORDER IMPLICATIONS

Licensing for public entertainments is an opportunity for the City Council to work in partnership with the Police to reduce the risk of crime and disorder occurring both within and immediately outside licensed premises, having regard to the effect of the proposals on both customers and residents.

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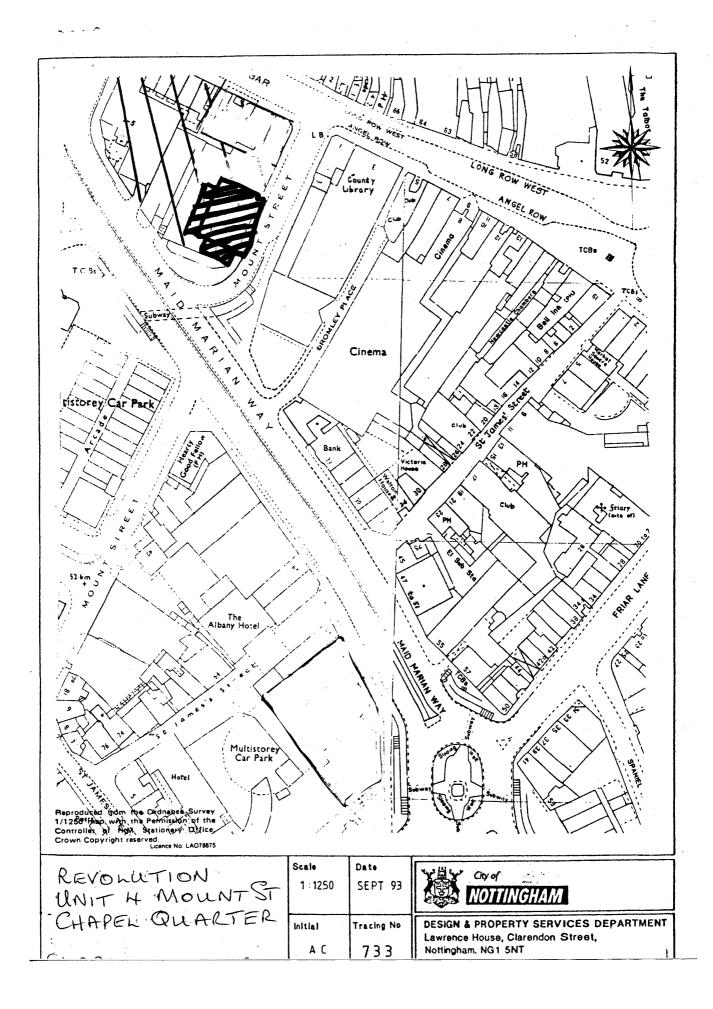
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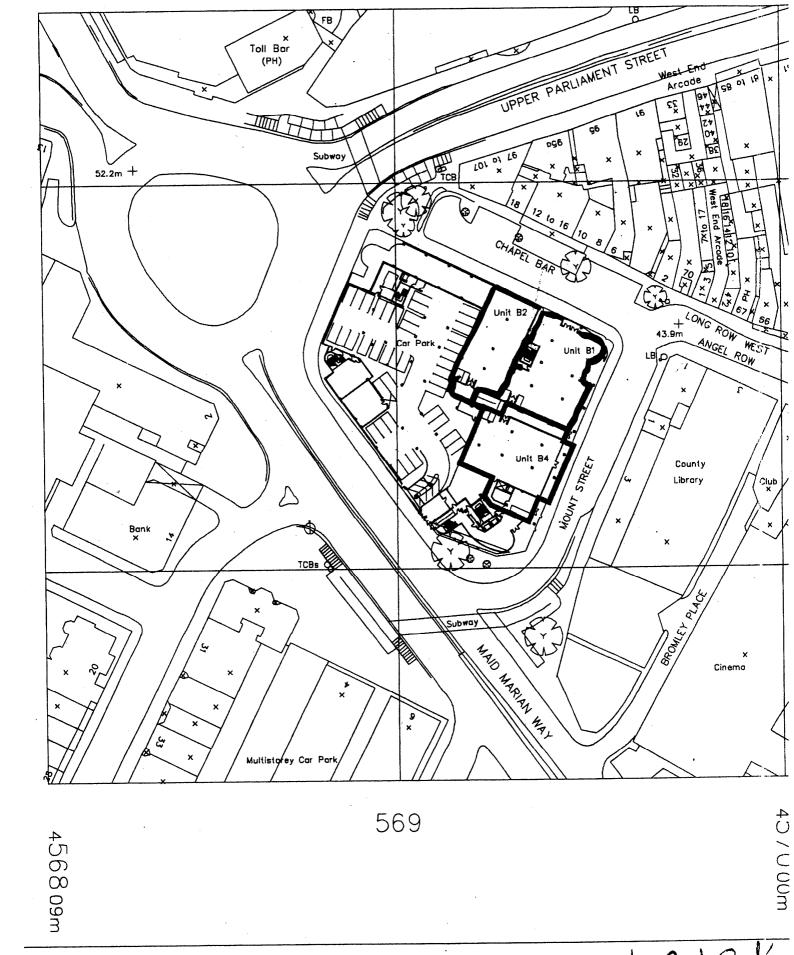
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#### FOR THE ATTENTION OF JANET SWAIN

Dear Sir

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT 1982 APPLICATION FOR PROVISIONAL GRANT OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT LICENCE – REVOLUTION, UNIT 4 MOUNT STREET, CHAPEL BAR, NOTTINGHAM

I refer to a recent application which has been received relative to the above.

I write to advise you that it is the intention of the Chief Constable of Nottinghamshire Police to object to the grant of the Public Entertainment Licence for these premises on the following grounds:

- 1. The granting of the Licence has the potential to create an adverse effect upon Public Order in the City Centre of Nottingham.
- 2. The granting of the Licence has a potential to create noise and disturbance in the immediate area.
- 3. Having regard to Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998, it is the Chief Constable's view that the proposed premises have the potential to have a disproportionate impact on crime and disorder in Nottingham City Centre.

I would be grateful if you could advise me of the time and date of the proposed hearing in due course.

Yours faithfully

Licensing Officer

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