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 Breese, Robert

Subject: RE: POLICE REPRESENTATION - New Premises Application 05.12.22 - The University of Chicago Booth,

**Barts Square** 

Date: 30 November 2022 13:27:57

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## THIS IS AN EXTERNAL EMAIL

Hi Paul & Robert

We agree to the inclusion of the two conditions as proposed.

Many thanks, Mike

From: Paul Holmes

Sent: 30 November 2022 12:21

To: Mike Nickson

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Mike for clarity Robert Breese has requested a confirmation e-mail agreeing to the two conditions. You have said below the CCTV is agreed but the No Promoted event one you have commented on what the client wants to be able to do. As I have said the condition does not prevent them carrying on their business in any way provided it complies with the wording of the condition. For clarity as Robert will include this in the hearing pack, can you confirm agreement to the two conditions if they are agreed.



## Paul Holmes Licensing Officer

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From: Mike Nickson

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Good morning Paul

My clients accept your suggested wording of the CCTV condition.

With regard to Condition 2 (promoted events) they have said: 'Point 2 – we will require DJ for our corporate parties and Christmas parties, these will be booked in advance and no member of public will be allowed'

They will not allow members of the general public to attend any event involving licensable activity, but they may have a DJ for their conference or corporate events, all of which will be private.

I have explained the risk that you are addressing; that they may lose control over an externally promoted event, but as they will have no such public event, I assume that the proposed wording is acceptable.



Mike Nickson is holder of the national BII NITA training award in respect of 'Social Responsibilities in Licensed Retailing'

From: Paul Holmes Sent: 29 November 2022 16:06

To: Licensing@cityoflondon.gov.uk

**Cc:** Licensing Office; **Subject:** POLICE REPRESENTATION - New Premises Application 05.12.22 - The University of

Chicago Booth, Barts Square

On behalf of the City of London Police we would make a representation against the application as made and recently amended, based on licensing objective of the prevention of crime & disorder.

We consider that as a university campus building for a student number of 120, the applicant sets out that the capacity of the hospitality areas which could number upwards of 900 people with the provision of alcohol and other licensable activity, and that the potential effect on crime and disorder, as well as anti-social behaviour in the area could be very impactive. We have no

information on the experience of those involved in the operation of such a large venue, which will apparently allow use by outside parties bringing bookings for potentially large numbers too the venue. We have no information on any dispersal arrangements for such capacities to leave the area without causing disorder brought about through potential intoxication and the associated anti-social behaviour.

We are aware that as of yesterday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2022 some amendments to the application may have been made, potentially including a reduction in hours, but we would have concerns with regards to the potential for crime and disorder in any event with such a large capacity venue, subject to the final proposals in terms of licensable activity and hours. We would ask for the inclusion of the following two conditions which we believe would go some way to addressing the licensing objective of the prevention of crime & disorder.

- 1. The premises shall install and maintain a comprehensive digital colour CCTV system. All public areas of the licensed premises, including all public entry and exit points will be covered enabling facial identification of every person entering in any light condition. The CCTV cameras shall continually record whilst the premises are open to the public and recordings shall be kept available for a minimum of 31 days with date and time stamping. A staff member who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system shall be present on the premises at all times when they are open to the public. This staff member shall be able to show the police or the Licensing Authority recordings of the preceding two days immediately when requested.
- 2. Promoted events will not be held at the premises. A promoted event is an event involving music and dancing where the musical entertainment is provided at any time by a disc jockey or disc jockeys one or some of whom are not employees of the licensee (premises licence holder) and the event is (independent of the licensee) promoted to the general public.



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