

**NOTICE OF DECISION**

**LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE – JULY 30 2008 AT 1.30PM**

**LICENSING ACT 2003 – ASK RESTAURANT LTD, 34 SHAD THAMES, BUTLER’S WHARF BUILDING, LONDON, SE1**

1. That the application by Ask Restaurant Ltd for the variation of a premises licence issued under the Licensing Act 2003 in respect of Ask Restaurant, 34 Shad Thames, London, SE1 is granted as follows:

That the following licensable activities be permitted under the licence during the times shown:

<b>Supply of Alcohol</b>
The supply of alcohol for consumption on and off the premises
<b>Opening Hours</b>
No change
<b>Regulated entertainment</b>
No change
<b>Removal of conditions</b>
Remove condition 135

**2. Conditions**

The licence to be subject to compliance with all mandatory conditions arising from the Licensing Act 2003 relating to:

- All relevant mandatory conditions arising from the Licensing Act 2003
- Conditions consistent with the operating schedule provided as part of your application; and
- The following additional special conditions developed through the discussion from the operating schedule attached to the application as follows:-
- That the general table setting arrangement shall remain in place throughout the licensed hours, to enable customers only consuming alcohol on the premises, whilst waiting for takeaway food or otherwise to be seated, in order to ensure the premises does not evolve into a vertical drinking establishment
- Subject to the following additional conditions agreed by the sub committee:

No open drinks containers shall be permitted to be taken outside of the premises except within the terrace area.

- The application takes immediate effect.

**3. Reasons**

That the reasons for the decision are as follows: the sub committee considered the written representations of the local residents and the oral representations made by the applicant. The committee considered that it was necessary and proportionate to attach the additional conditions in order to prevent public nuisance.

#### **4. Appeal Rights**

That the licensee and any person who made relevant representations in relation to the application may appeal against the decision. Any appeal must be made to the magistrate court for the petty sessions area in which the premises are situated. Any appeal must be commenced by notice of appeal given by the appellant to the justices' chief executive for the magistrates court within the period of 21 days beginning with the day on which the appellant was notified by the licensing authority of the decision appealed against.

Issued by the Constitutional Team on behalf of the Strategic Director of Legal and Democratic Services.

Dated: July 30 2008