



# STROUD DISTRICT COUNCIL

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## LICENSING ACT 2003

### APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE

<b>PREMISES ADDRESS</b>	HOLLOW FARM ELMORE GLOUCESTER GL2 3SG
<b>APPLICANT NAME/S</b>	SOUL CIRCUS LIMITED
<b>APPLICATION TYPE</b>	PREMISES LICENCE (TIME LIMITED) – NEW APPLICATION
<b>APPLICATION REFERENCE</b>	17/00536/LAPRNW
<b>DATE OF HEARING</b>	11 <sup>th</sup> JULY 2017
<b>DATE OF DECISION</b>	11 <sup>th</sup> JULY 2017
<b>OUTCOME</b>	LICENCE GRANTED

### OUTCOME OF HEARING

#### REPRESENTATIONS MADE BY RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES

No representations were received from responsible authorities.

#### OTHER REPRESENTATIONS

There was one representation received against the application, from a resident of the nearby settlement of Elmore. The representation set out concerns relating to noise nuisance emanating from the Premises based on the Representor's experience of the same event last year. The Representor, Mrs Ford, was not in attendance at the hearing.

#### PROCEEDINGS

The Panel heard from the Applicant and considered the Application and accompanying document entitled "Elmore Event Management Plan" together with Mrs Ford's Representation.

In coming to its decision, the Panel took into account the provisions of the Licensing Act 2003, together with the statutory guidance thereto and Stroud District Council's Licensing Policy.

#### DECISION

The Panel decided to **GRANT** the Application subject to conditions.

The Panel noted the controls proposed in the Event Management Plan and considered that these went a long way towards reducing the potential for any harm during the event.

The Panel noted that the Applicant has agreed to comply with the provisions of the Event Management Plan as a condition of any licence granted and the Panel accepts this as a volunteered condition.

However, the Panel were particularly concerned about the potential for noise nuisance arising from the playing of music until 0200 hours on the Sunday of the event.

This grant of permission is therefore subject to the volunteered and imposed conditions set out below, which the Panel considers necessary to uphold the licensing objectives of Public Safety, the Prevention of Public Nuisance and the Prevention of Harm to Children.

## **CONDITIONS**

In these conditions, references to “the Council” shall mean Stroud District Council.

### **VOLUNTEERED CONDITIONS**

1. The event shall be operated in accordance with Version 3 of the document entitled “Elmore Event Management Plan” as submitted to the Council by the Applicant prior to the Hearing.

### **IMPOSED CONDITIONS**

2. No variation to the document referred to in Condition 1 shall be made without the prior written consent of the Council’s Principal Licensing Officer.
3. The Applicant or a nominated representative of the Applicant shall be contactable by telephone at all times during the event on a number provided to the Council’s Environmental Protection Team in advance of the event.
4. The Applicant shall comply without delay with all directions in connection with noise mitigation given by any authorised officer of the Council during the event.

### **MANDATORY CONDITIONS**

The licence will also be subject to the conditions set out in Section 19 and elsewhere in the Licensing Act 2003.

*Mike Wallbank  
Clerk to the Panel  
11<sup>th</sup> May 2017*