



City of Westminster

Licensing Sub-Committee Report

Item No:

Date:

24 June 2022

Licensing Ref No:

22/02202/LIPV - Variation

Title of Report:

Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration
1A Bedford Street
London
WC2E 9HD

Report of:

Director of Public Protection and Licensing

Wards involved:

St James's

Policy context:

City of Westminster Statement of Licensing Policy

Financial summary:

None

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1.	Application		
1-A	Applicant and premises		
Application Type:	Variation of a Premises Licence, Licensing Act 2003		
Application received date:	3 March 2022		
Applicant:	Bedford Street Bar Ltd		
Premises:	Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration		
Premises address:	1A Bedford Street London WC2E 9HD	Ward:	St James's
		Cumulative Impact Area:	West End
		Special Consideration Zone:	None
Premises description:	The premises trade as a lounge and wine bar		
Variation description:	<p>The application for variation is to remove condition 37 which reads: "The terminal hour for Licensable Activities authorised by this licence shall be 02:00 Monday to Saturday and 00:00 on Sundays until the 24th September 2022 upon which the terminal hours will reduce to 00:00 Monday to Saturday and 23:30 on Sundays unless this condition is otherwise removed or varied by a subsequent variation application."</p> <p>All other conditions will remain including all the additional conditions agreed by the Licensing Sub Committee.</p>		
Premises licence history:	<p>The premises have had the benefit of a premises licence since October 2005.</p> <p>A further premises licence, which is the subject of this application, was granted by the Licensing Sub Committee in September 2020 (current licence number 21/05025/LIPDPS) A copy of this licence is attached at Appendix 1 and the history for the premises is set out at Appendix 3.</p>		
Applicant submissions:	Please see applicants submissions at appendix 2		
Applicant amendments:	None		

1-B	Current and proposed licensable activities, areas and hours					
Regulated Entertainment						
Recorded music						
	Current Hours		Proposed Hours		Licensable Area	
	Start:	End:	Start:	End:	Current:	Proposed:
Monday	10:00	02:00	No change		Upper and lower ground floor	No change
Tuesday	10:00	02:00				
Wednesday	10:00	02:00				
Thursday	10:00	02:00				
Friday	10:00	02:00				
Saturday	10:00	02:00				
Sunday	12:00	00:00				
Seasonal Variations/non-standard timings::	Current:				Proposed:	
	All licensable activities shall be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.				No change	

Late night refreshment						
Indoors, outdoors or both			Current :		Proposed:	
			Both		No change	
	Current Hours		Proposed Hours		Licensable Area	
	Start:	End:	Start:	End:	Current:	Proposed:
Monday	23:00	02:00	No change		Upper and lower ground floor	No change
Tuesday	23:00	02:00				
Wednesday	23:00	02:00				
Thursday	23:00	02:00				
Friday	23:00	02:00				
Saturday	23:00	02:00				
Sunday	23:00	00:00				
Seasonal variations/ Non-standard timings:	Current:				Proposed:	
	All licensable activities shall be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.				No change	

Sale by Retail of Alcohol						
On or off sales			Current :			Proposed:
			On and off			No change
	Current Hours		Proposed Hours		Licensable Area	
	Start:	End:	Start:	End:	Current:	Proposed:
Monday	10:00	02:00	No change		Upper and lower ground floor	No change
Tuesday	10:00	02:00				
Wednesday	10:00	02:00				
Thursday	10:00	02:00				
Friday	10:00	02:00				
Saturday	10:00	02:00				
Sunday	12:00	00:00				
Seasonal variations/ Non-standard timings:		Current:			Proposed:	
		All licensable activities shall be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.			No change	

Hours premises are open to the public						
	Current Hours		Proposed Hours		Premises Area	
	Start:	End:	Start:	End:	Current:	Proposed:
Monday	08:00	02:30	No change		Upper and lower ground floor	No change
Tuesday	08:00	02:30				
Wednesday	08:00	02:30				
Thursday	08:00	02:30				
Friday	08:00	02:30				
Saturday	08:00	02:30				
Sunday	08:00	02:30				
Seasonal variations/ Non-standard timings:		Current:			Proposed:	
		None			No change	

1-C	Layout alteration
No change of layout is proposed	

1-D	Conditions being removed	
Condition 37		
The terminal hour for Licensable Activities authorised by this licence shall be 02:00 Monday to Saturday and 00:00 on Sundays until the 24th September 2022 upon which the terminal hours will reduce to 00:00 Monday to Saturday and 23:30 on Sundays unless this condition is otherwise removed or varied by a subsequent variation application		
Adult entertainment:	Current position:	Proposed position:
	None	No change

2.	Representations
2-A	Responsible Authorities
Responsible Authority:	Metropolitan Police Service
Representative:	Tom Stewart
Received:	25 March 2022
<p>Dear Westminster Licensing Team,</p> <p>The Metropolitan Police Service (MPS) object to this application under the grounds of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The prevention of crime and disorder <p>The premises is located within the West End Cumulative Impact Zone and it is likely that if a 'permanent' extension is granted, then this would add to the cumulative impact in the area.</p>	
Responsible Authority:	Environmental Health
Representative:	Maxwell Koduah
Received:	30 March 2022
<p>I refer to the variation application for the above-mentioned premises. The premises is located within the West End Cumulative Impact area. I have considered the information that you have provided within and accompanying this application. I have also considered the application in line with the relevant policies within the Councils Statement of Licensing Policy dated October 2021.</p> <p>The applicant is seeking to remove condition 37 which reads</p> <p>The terminal hour for Licensable Activities authorised by this licence shall be 02:00 Monday to Saturday and 00:00 on Sundays until the 24th September 2022 upon which the terminal hours will reduce to 00:00 Monday to Saturday and 23:30 on Sundays unless this condition is otherwise removed or varied by a subsequent variation application.</p> <p>Following consideration of the application and how it may affect the Licensing Objectives and meeting the requirements of the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy I wish to make the following representation:</p> <p>Removing condition 37 may have the likely effect of causing an increase in Public Nuisance and may affect Public Safety within the West End Cumulative Impact area</p> <p>As presented, the application would have the likely effect of causing an increase in Public Nuisance and may affect Public Safety within the West End Cumulative Impact area</p> <p>Please contact me if you wish to discuss this further.</p>	
Responsible Authority:	Licensing Authority
Representative:	Jessica Donovan
Received:	31 March 2022
<p>Dear Sirs</p> <p>I write in relation to the application submitted for a variation of the premises licence for Mr</p>	

Foggs SOE, 1A Bedford Street, London, WC2E 9HD.

As a responsible authority under section 13 (4) of the Licensing Act 2003 as amended under the Police and Social Responsibility Act 2011, the Licensing Authority have considered your application in full. The Licensing Authority has concerns in relation to this application and how the premises would promote the four Licensing Objectives:

- Public Nuisance
- Prevention of Crime & Disorder
- Public Safety
- Protection of children from harm

The application seeks the following variations:

- To remove condition 37 only as set out in premises licence 21/05025/LIPDPS

Condition 37:

'The terminal hour for Licensable Activities authorised by this licence shall be 02:00 Monday to Saturday and 00:00 on Sundays until the 24th September 2022 upon which the terminal hours will reduce to 00:00 Monday to Saturday and 23:30 on Sundays unless this condition is otherwise removed or varied by a subsequent variation application.'

The premises are located within the West End Cumulative Impact Area and as such various policy points must be considered, namely CIP1, HRS1 and PB1.

Policy PB1(B) states

B. It is the Licensing Authority's policy to refuse applications within the West End Cumulative Impact Zone other than:

1. Applications to vary the existing licence hours within the council's Core Hours Policy HRS1.
2. Applications that seek to vary the existing licence so as to reduce the overall capacity of the premises.

C. The applications referred to in Clause B1 and B2 will generally be granted subject to:

1. The application meeting the requirements of policies CD1, PS1, PN1 and CH1, and/or,
2. The operation of any delivery services for alcohol and/or latenight refreshment meeting the council's Ancillary Delivery of Alcohol and/or Late-Night Refreshment Policy DEL1.
3. The application and operation of the venue continuing to meet the definition of a Public House or Bar in Clause D.

D. For the purposes of this policy a Public House or Bar is defined as a premises, or part of a premises that's primary use is the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on those premises and/or for consumption off the premises for consumption outside the venue.

The Licensing Authority note that the original application was granted as a result of a time limited condition being imposed on the licence which was deemed a sufficient exception to the policy.

The Licensing Sub-Committee full decision from the hearing which took place on 24 September 2020 states: *'The Sub-Committee, having regard to the applicants submissions relating to the impact of the pandemic on the operation of the premises, the rationale for the application, the temporary nature of the additional hours and the significant additional conditions proposed deemed these sufficient to provide an exception to the Councils Statement of Licensing Policy.'*

This application falls within the PB1 Policy and the applicant will have to demonstrate exceptional circumstances to allow to depart from the Policy.

The Licensing Authority note that the application falls outside of Westminster's core hours for

Pubs and Bars.

The Core hours for Pubs and Bars are:

Monday to Thursday: 10am to 11.30pm.

Friday and Saturday: 10am to Midnight.

Sunday: Midday to 10.30pm.

Sundays immediately prior to a bank holiday: Midday to Midnight.

Policy CIP1 (a) states;

It is the Licensing Authority's policy to refuse applications within the West End Cumulative Impact Zone for: pubs and bars, fast food premises, and music and dancing and similar entertainment, other than applications to:

1. Vary the hours within Core Hours under Policy HRS1, and/or
2. Vary the licence to reduce the overall capacity of the premises.

The Licensing Authority require the applicant to provide submissions as to how the removal of condition 37 will not add to cumulative impact in the West End cumulative impact Zone, in accordance with policy CIP1.

The Licensing Authority also note that the premises does benefit from a licence (20/00229/LIPDPS) and would encourage the applicant to provide further submissions as to the future of this licence?

Therefore, it is a decision for the Licensing Sub-Committee to determine whether the applicant has demonstrated any exceptional circumstances that would allow to depart from policy.

Please accept this as a formal representation.

3. Policy & Guidance

The following policies within the City of Westminster Statement of Licensing Policy apply:

Policy CIP1 applies	<p>A. It is the Licensing Authority's policy to refuse applications within the West End Cumulative Impact Zone for: pubs and bars, fast food premises, and music and dancing and similar entertainment, other than applications to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Vary the hours within Core Hours under Policy HRS1, and/or2. Vary the licence to reduce the overall capacity of the premises. <p>C. Applications for other premises types within the West End Cumulative Impact Zones will be subject to other policies within this statement and must demonstrate that they will not add to cumulative impact.</p> <p>D. For the purposes of this policy the premises types referred to in Clause A are defined within the relevant premises use policies within this statement.</p>
Policy HRS1 applies	<p>A. Applications within the core hours set out below in this policy will generally be granted for the relevant premises uses, subject to not being contrary to other policies in the Statement of Licensing Policy.</p> <p>B. Applications for hours outside the core hours set out in Clause C will be considered on their merits, subject to other relevant policies, and with particular regard to the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The demonstration of compliance in the requirements of policies CD1, PS1, PN1 and CH1 associated with the likelihood of the effect of the grant of a licence for later or earlier hours on crime and disorder, public safety, public nuisance and the protection of children from harm.

	<p>2. If the application is located within a Special Consideration Zone they have demonstrated that they have taken account of the issues identified in that area and provided adequate mitigation.</p> <p>3. Whether there is residential accommodation in the proximity of the premises that would likely be adversely affected by premises being open or carrying out operations at the hours proposed.</p> <p>4. The proposed hours of the licensable activities and when customers will be permitted to remain on the premises.</p> <p>5. The proposed hours when any music, including incidental music, will be played.</p> <p>6. The hours when customers will be allowed to take food or drink outside the premises or be within open areas which form part of the premises.</p> <p>7. The existing hours of licensable activities and the past operation of the premises (if any) and hours of licensable premises in the vicinity.</p> <p>8. Whether customers and staff have adequate access to public transport when arriving at and leaving the premises, especially at night.</p> <p>9. The capacity of the premises.</p> <p>10. The type of use, recognising that some venues are more likely to impact the licensing objectives than others; for example, pubs and bars are higher risk than theatres, cinemas and other cultural and sporting venues due to the nature of the operation.</p> <p>11. The Licensing Authority will take into account the active measures proposed for a 'winding down' period including arrangements for people to be collected from the premises to travel home safely.</p> <p>12. Conditions on hours may be attached that require that the supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises ceases a suitable period of time before customers are required to leave the premises.</p> <p>13. The council, acting as the Licensing Authority, may reduce hours if, after review, it is necessary to impose conditions specifying shorter hours in order to promote the licensing objectives.</p> <p>14. Specific days for non-standard hours should be identified and justified as part of the application to allow responsible authorities and interested parties to evaluate the impact that these licensable activities may have, and to plan accordingly. The consideration of applications for later hours for Bank Holiday Mondays will take into account that later hours are generally granted for preceding Sundays and that the next day is a working day. Non-specific days are expected to be covered by Temporary Event Notices or variation applications.</p>
<p>Policy PB1(B) applies</p>	<p>B. It is the Licensing Authority's policy to refuse applications within the West End Cumulative Impact Zone other than:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Applications to vary the existing licence hours within the council's Core Hours Policy HRS1. 2. Applications that seek to vary the existing licence so as to reduce the overall capacity of the premises. <p>C. The applications referred to in Clause B1 and B2 will generally be granted subject to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The application meeting the requirements of policies CD1, PS1, PN1 and CH1, and/or, 2. The operation of any delivery services for alcohol and/or latenight refreshment meeting the council's Ancillary Delivery of Alcohol and/or Late-Night Refreshment Policy DEL1. 3. The application and operation of the venue continuing to meet the

	<p>definition of a Public House or Bar in Clause D.</p> <p>D. For the purposes of this policy a Public House or Bar is defined as a premises, or part of a premises that's primary use is the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on those premises and/or for consumption off the premises for consumption outside the venue.</p>
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4. Equality Implications

The Council in its capacity as Licensing Authority has a duty to have regard to its public sector equality duty under section 149 of the Equality Act 2010. In summary, section 149 provides that a Public Authority must, in the exercise of its functions, have due regard to the need to:

- (a) eliminate discrimination harassment, victimisation and any other conduct that is prohibited by or under this Act;
- (b) advance equality of opportunity between persons who share a relevant protected characteristic and persons who do not share it; and
- (c) foster good relations between persons who share a relevant protected characteristics and persons who do not share it.

Section 149 (7) of the Equality Act 2010 defines the relevant protected characteristics as age, disability, gender reassignment, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief, sex, and sexual orientation.

5.	Appendices
Appendix 1	Premises licence 21/05025/LIPDPS
Appendix 2	Applicant supporting documents
Appendix 3	Premises history
Appendix 4	Proposed conditions
Appendix 5	Residential map and list of premises in the vicinity

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If you have any queries about this report or wish to inspect one of the background papers please contact the report author.

Background Documents – Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1972

1	Licensing Act 2003	N/A
2	City of Westminster Statement of Licensing Policy	7 th January 2021
3	Amended Guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003	April 2018
4	Metropolitan Police Service representation	25 March 2022
5	Environmental Health representation	30 March 2022
6	Licensing Authority representation	31 March 2022



City of Westminster
64 Victoria Street, London, SW1E 6QP

Schedule 12
Part A

WARD: St James's
UPRN: 100023431203

Premises licence

Regulation 33, 34

Premises licence number:	21/05025/LIPDPS
Original Reference:	20/04234/LIPN

Part 1 – Premises details

Postal address of premises:

Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration
1A Bedford Street
London
WC2E 9HD

Telephone Number: None supplied

Where the licence is time limited, the dates:

Not applicable

Licensable activities authorised by the licence:

Playing of Recorded Music
Late Night Refreshment
Sale by Retail of Alcohol

The times the licence authorises the carrying out of licensable activities:

Playing of Recorded Music
Monday to Saturday: 10:00 to 02:00
Sunday: 12:00 to 00:00

Late Night Refreshment
Monday to Saturday: 23:00 to 02:00
Sunday: 23:00 to 00:00

Sale by Retail of Alcohol
Monday to Saturday: 10:00 to 02:30
Sunday: 12:00 to 00:00

Seasonal variations: Licensable activities shall be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.

The opening hours of the premises:

Monday to Saturday: 08:00 to 02:30
Sunday: 10:00 to 00:30

Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol, whether these are on and/or off supplies:

Alcohol is supplied for consumption both on and off the Premises.

Part 2

Name, (registered) address, telephone number and email (where relevant) of holder of premises licence:

Bedford Street Bar Ltd
10 Queen Street Place
London
EC4R 1AG

Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

10730589

Name, address and telephone number of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises the supply of alcohol:

Name: Germain Paul Herve Sebode

Please note: It is the policy of the Licensing Authority not to display the address details of a designated premises supervisor.

Personal licence number and issuing authority of personal licence held by designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol:

Licence Number: 27290
Licensing Authority: London Borough Of Tower Hamlets

Date: 14 June 2021

This licence has been authorised by Kevin Jackaman on behalf of the Director - Public Protection and Licensing.

Annex 1 – Mandatory conditions

1. No supply of alcohol may be made at a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of this licence.
2. No supply of alcohol may be made at a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or the personal licence is suspended.
3. Every supply of alcohol under this licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.
4.
 - (1) The responsible person must ensure that staff on relevant premises do not carry out, arrange or participate in any irresponsible promotions in relation to the premises.
 - (2) In this paragraph, an irresponsible promotion means any one or more of the following activities, or substantially similar activities, carried on for the purpose of encouraging the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises—
 - (a) games or other activities which require or encourage, or are designed to require or encourage, individuals to;
 - (i) drink a quantity of alcohol within a time limit (other than to drink alcohol sold or supplied on the premises before the cessation of the period in which the responsible person is authorised to sell or supply alcohol),
or
 - (ii) drink as much alcohol as possible (whether within a time limit or otherwise);
 - (b) provision of unlimited or unspecified quantities of alcohol free or for a fixed or discounted fee to the public or to a group defined by a particular characteristic in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
 - (c) provision of free or discounted alcohol or any other thing as a prize to encourage or reward the purchase and consumption of alcohol over a period of 24 hours or less in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
 - (d) selling or supplying alcohol in association with promotional posters or flyers on, or in the vicinity of, the premises which can reasonably be considered to condone, encourage or glamorise anti-social behaviour or to refer to the effects of drunkenness in any favourable manner;
 - (e) dispensing alcohol directly by one person into the mouth of another (other than where that other person is unable to drink without assistance by reason of a disability).
5. The responsible person must ensure that free potable water is provided on request to customers where it is reasonably available.
6.
 - (1) The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.
 - (2) The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licence must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.

- (3) The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either—
 - (a) a holographic mark, or
 - (b) an ultraviolet feature.

7. The responsible person must ensure that—

- (a) where any of the following alcoholic drinks is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises (other than alcoholic drinks sold or supplied having been made up in advance ready for sale or supply in a securely closed container) it is available to customers in the following measures—
 - (i) beer or cider: ½ pint;
 - (ii) gin, rum, vodka or whisky: 25 ml or 35 ml; and
 - (iii) still wine in a glass: 125 ml;
- (b) these measures are displayed in a menu, price list or other printed material which is available to customers on the premises; and
- (c) where a customer does not in relation to a sale of alcohol specify the quantity of alcohol to be sold, the customer is made aware that these measures are available.

A responsible person in relation to a licensed premises means the holder of the premise licence in respect of the premises, the designated premises supervisor (if any) or any individual aged 18 or over who is authorised by either the licence holder or designated premises supervisor. For premises with a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity that which enables him to prevent the supply of alcohol.

8(i) A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.

8(ii) For the purposes of the condition set out in paragraph 8(i) above -

- (a) "duty" is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979;
- (b) "permitted price" is the price found by applying the formula -

$$P = D + (D \times V)$$

Where -

- (i) P is the permitted price,
 - (ii) D is the amount of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and
 - (iii) V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol;
- (c) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence -
- (i) the holder of the premises licence,

- (ii) the designated premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or
 - (iii) the personal licence holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence;
 - (d) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and
 - (e) "value added tax" means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994.
- 8(iii). Where the permitted price given by Paragraph 8(ii)(b) above would (apart from this paragraph) not be a whole number of pennies, the price given by that sub-paragraph shall be taken to be the price actually given by that sub-paragraph rounded up to the nearest penny.
- 8(iv). (1) Sub-paragraph 8(iv)(2) below applies where the permitted price given by Paragraph 8(ii)(b) above on a day ("the first day") would be different from the permitted price on the next day ("the second day") as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax.
- (2) The permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.
9. All persons guarding premises against unauthorised access or occupation or against outbreaks of disorder or against damage (door supervisors) must be licensed by the Security Industry Authority.

Annex 2 – Conditions consistent with the operating Schedule

None

Annex 3 – Conditions attached after a hearing by the licensing authority

10. Substantial food and non-intoxicating beverages shall be available throughout the permitted hours in all parts of the premises where alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises.
11. Notices shall be prominently displayed at exits requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to leave the premises and the area quietly.
12. Notices shall be prominently displayed at any area used for smoking requesting patrons to respect the needs of local residents and use the area quietly.
13. No entertainment, performance, service, or exhibition involving nudity or sexual entertainment shall be provided except under the authority of a Sexual Entertainment Venue licence pursuant to the Local Government Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1982 as amended.
14. All staff engaged outside the entrance to the premises, or supervising or controlling queues, shall wear high visibility yellow jackets or vests or distinctive uniform that is easily identifiable (e.g. butler's uniform/top hat/tails). SIA must wear the approved SIA registered identification.
15. During busy times door staff shall ensure that the footway outside is not obstructed by the venue's customers
16. There shall be no payment made by or on behalf of the licence holder to any person for bringing customers to the premises directly off the street.
17. All door staff employed at the venue shall be accredited to the Security Industry Authority
18. No noise shall emanate from the premises nor vibration be transmitted through the structure of the premises which gives rise to a nuisance.
19. No waste or recyclable materials, including bottles shall be moved, removed or placed in outside areas between 23:00 hours and 07:00 hours.
20. No deliveries to the premises shall be arranged between 23:00 and 07:00 hours.
21. All waste shall be properly presented and placed out for collection no earlier than 30 minutes before the scheduled collection times.
22. All windows and external doors shall be kept closed after 23:00 hours, except for the immediate access and egress of persons.
23. Any special effects or mechanical installations shall be arranged and stored so as to minimise any risk to the safety of those using the premises. The following special effects will only be used on 10 days prior notice being given to the Licensing Authority where consent has not previously been given:-
 - a) dry ice and cryogenic fog (except for food presentations)
 - b) smoke machines and fog generators
 - c) pyrotechnics including fire works
 - d) firearms
 - e) lasers
 - f) explosives and highly flammable substances.
 - g) real flame (except for candles)
 - h) strobe lighting.

24. No person shall give at the premises any exhibition, demonstration or performance of hypnotism, mesmerism or any similar act or process which produces or is intended to produce in any other person any form of induced sleep or trance in which susceptibility of the mind of that person to suggestion or direction is increased or intended to be increased.

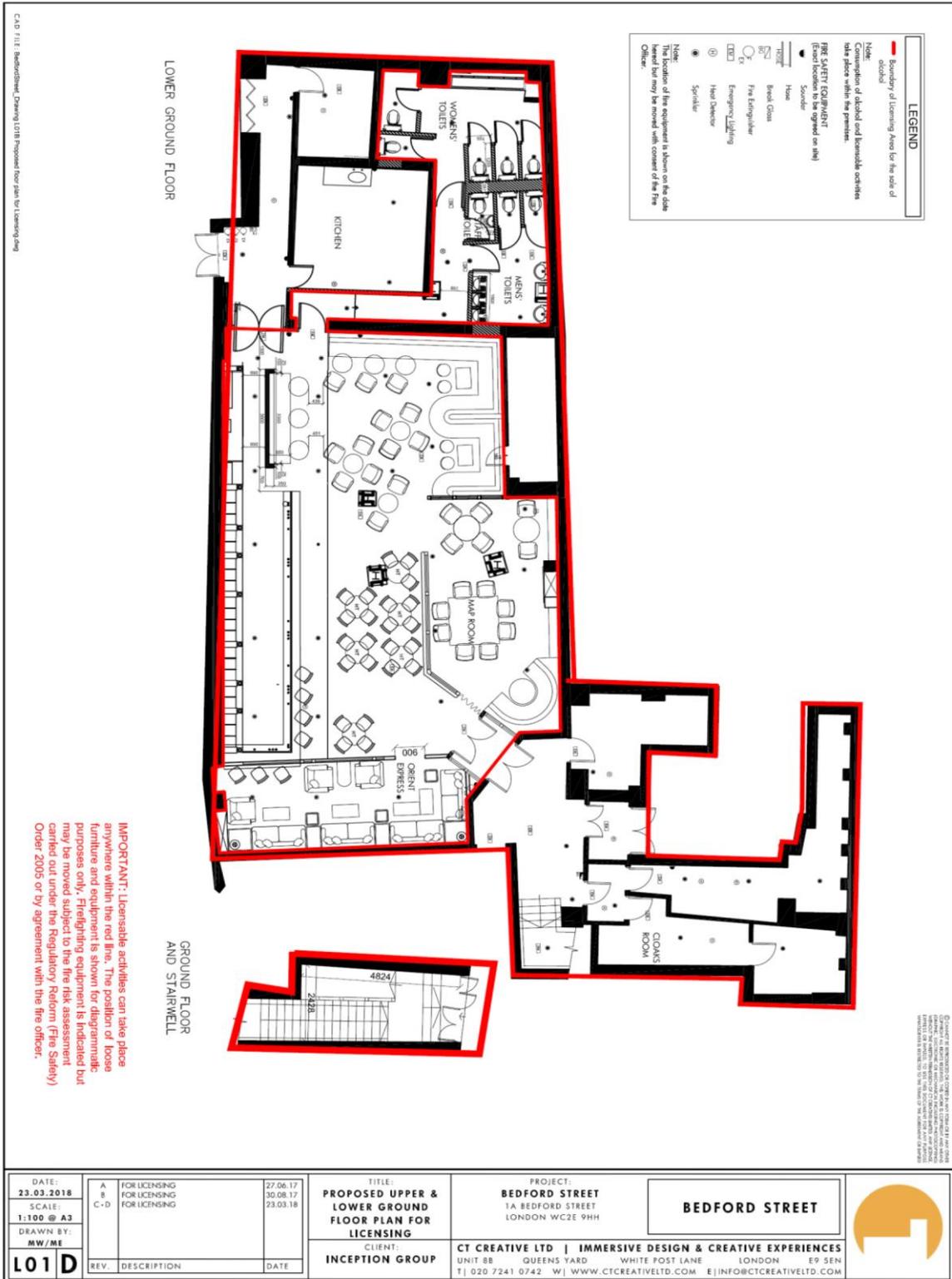
NOTE: (1) This rule does not apply to exhibitions given under the provisions of Section 2(1A) and 5 of the Hypnotism Act 1952.

25. The approved arrangements at the premises, including means of escape provisions, emergency warning equipment, the electrical installation and mechanical equipment, shall at all material times be maintained in good condition and full working order.
26. The means of escape provided for the premises shall be maintained unobstructed, free of trip hazards, be immediately available and clearly identified in accordance with the plans provided.
27. All exit doors on designated escape routes shall be available at all material times without the use of a key, code, card or similar means.
28. All self-closing doors shall be effectively maintained and not held open other than by an approved device.
29. The edges of the treads of steps and stairways shall be maintained so as to be conspicuous.
30. Curtains and hangings shall be arranged so as not to obstruct emergency signs.
31. The certificates listed below shall be submitted to the Licensing Authority upon written request.
 - a) Any emergency lighting battery or system
 - b) Any electrical installation
 - c) Any emergency warning system.
32. The air conditioning units operating within the premises must be switched off when licensable activities have ceased for the day.
33. A noise limiter must be fitted to the musical amplification system set at a level determined by and to the satisfaction of an authorised officer of the Environmental Health Service, so as to ensure that no noise nuisance is caused to local residents or businesses. The operational panel of the noise limiter shall then be secured by key or password to the satisfaction of officers from the Environmental Health Service and access shall only be by persons authorised by the Premises Licence holder. The limiter shall not be altered without prior agreement with the Environmental Health Service. No alteration or modification to any existing sound system(s) should be effected without prior knowledge of an authorised Officer of the Environmental Health Service. No additional sound generating equipment shall be used on the premises without being routed through the sound limiter device.
34. The premises will operate a Dispersal Policy and all relevant staff will be trained in its Implementation. At a minimum it will include the requirement that customers will be encouraged to disperse via the Strand and not North along Bedford Street.
35. The premises will operate a Policy regarding the management of the outside area and all relevant staff will be trained in its implementation. At a minimum it will include the requirement that customers outside the premises, whether queuing or smoking, will be managed in such a way that they do not cause a nuisance, including by way of noise or by restricting movement along the footway.

36. The premises shall only be permitted to carry out licensable activities after midnight if it operates as a Phileas Fogg themed lounge and wine bar.
37. The terminal hour for Licensable Activities authorised by this licence shall be 02:00 Monday to Saturday and 00:00 on Sundays until the 24th September 2022 upon which the terminal hours will reduce to 00:00 Monday to Saturday and 23:30 on Sundays unless this condition is otherwise removed or varied by a subsequent variation application.
38. The premises shall install and maintain a comprehensive CCTV system as per the minimum requirements of the Westminster Police Licensing Team. All entry and exit points will be covered enabling frontal identification of every person entering in any light condition. The CCTV system shall continually record whilst the premises are open for licensable activities and during all times when customers remain on the premises. All recordings shall be stored for a minimum period of 31 days with date and time stamping. Viewing of recordings shall be made available immediately upon the request of Police or authorised officer throughout the entire 31-day period.
39. A staff member from the premises who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system shall be on the premises at all times when the premises are open. This staff member must be able to provide a Police or authorised council officer copies of recent CCTV images or data with the absolute minimum of delay when requested.
40. A Challenge 25 proof of age scheme shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are recognised photographic identification cards, such as a driving licence, passport or proof of age card with the PASS Hologram.
41. An incident log shall be kept at the premises and made available on request to an authorised officer of the City Council or the Police. It must be completed within 24 hours of the incident and will record the following:
 - (a) all crimes reported to the venue
 - (b) all ejections of patrons
 - (c) any complaints received concerning crime and disorder
 - (d) any incidents of disorder
 - (e) all seizures of drugs or offensive weapons
 - (f) any faults in the CCTV system, searching equipment or scanning equipment
 - (g) any refusal of the sale of alcohol
 - (h) any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.
42. There shall be a minimum of (2) SIA licensed door supervisors after 10:00 pm until 30 mins past close on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. At all other times the management must complete a written risk assessment to be kept at the venue and made available on request of Police or authorised officials from Westminster City Council.
43. There shall be no sales of hot food or hot drink for consumption off the premises after 23.00 hours.
44. For the period in which the terminal hour for licensable activities is provided until 02:00 Monday to Saturday there shall be no admittance or re-admittance to the premises after 01:00 hours except for patrons permitted to temporarily leave the premises to smoke.
45. Patrons permitted to temporarily leave and then re-enter the premises, e.g. to smoke, shall not be permitted to take drinks or glass containers with them.
46. There shall be no sales of alcohol for consumption off the premises after 23.00 hours.
47. The supply of alcohol shall be ancillary to food after 23:00 hours.

48. All sales of alcohol for consumption off the premises shall be in sealed containers only and shall not be consumed on the premises.
49. The number of persons accommodated at the premises (excluding staff) shall not exceed 250.
50. No licensable activities shall take place at the premises until premises licence 20/00229/LIPDPS (or such other number subsequently issued for the premises) has been surrendered and is incapable of resurrection.

Annex 4 – Plans





City of Westminster
64 Victoria Street, London, SW1E 6QP

Schedule 12
Part B

WARD: St James's
UPRN: 100023431203

Premises licence
summary

Regulation 33, 34

Premises licence number:

21/05025/LIPDPS

Part 1 – Premises details

Postal address of premises:

Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration
1A Bedford Street
London
WC2E 9HD

Telephone Number: None supplied

Where the licence is time limited, the dates:

Not applicable

Licensable activities authorised by the licence:

Playing of Recorded Music
Late Night Refreshment
Sale by Retail of Alcohol

The times the licence authorises the carrying out of licensable activities:

Playing of Recorded Music
Monday to Saturday: 10:00 to 02:00
Sunday: 12:00 to 00:00

Late Night Refreshment
Monday to Saturday: 23:00 to 02:00
Sunday: 23:00 to 00:00

Sale by Retail of Alcohol
Monday to Saturday: 10:00 to 02:30
Sunday: 12:00 to 00:00

Seasonal variations: Licensable activities shall be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.

The opening hours of the premises:

Monday to Saturday: 08:00 to 02:30
Sunday: 10:00 to 00:30

Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol, whether these are on and/or off supplies:

Alcohol is supplied for consumption both on and off the Premises.

Name and (registered) address of holder of premises licence:

Bedford Street Bar Ltd
10 Queen Street Place
London
EC4R 1AG

Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

10730589

Name of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol:

Name: Germain Paul Herve Sebode

State whether access to the premises by children is restricted or prohibited:

Restricted

Date: 14 June 2021

This licence has been authorised by Kevin Jackaman on behalf of the Director - Public Protection and Licensing.

Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration
1A Bedford Street,

Applicants Submissions to Westminster City Council
Licensing Sub-Committee for grant of an Application to
Vary Premises Licence 21/05025/LIPDPS

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THE CONCEPT

Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration was the Inception Group's fifth London venue within the award-winning "Mr Fogg's Collection". Each venue seeks to re-create the atmosphere of an abode or place of relaxation where Phileas Fogg Esq would have felt at home (were he not a figment of Jules Verne's imagination). The theme is plush, languid Victoriana. This inspires everything, from the doorman's greeting to guests to the staff and security officers' classical design uniforms, from its decor to the ingredients selected for our compounded libations.

Located opposite Charing Cross station, where Phileas Fogg and his trusty valet, Passepartout set off on their voyage, Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration is the sister venue to Mr Fogg's Residence and Tavern. Guests enter an elegant lobby with an oversized rotating globe marking the places visited and modes of transport that the intrepid pair took. Moving downstairs, guests will encounter cabinets of curiosities, souvenirs and artefacts handpicked and put on permanent display by explorer society members.

There are life-sized models of a Victorian train carriage, complete with plush banquette seating and gleaming brass lamps. The facing Map Room also houses a collection of both antique and modern-day maps, hosting regular talks by a resident explorer and a whole host of other intrepid (and real) adventurers.

The main area features wooden panelling, shelves laden with travel books and encyclopedias, and warm leather armchairs to welcome weary travellers. Society staff, immaculately clad in Mr. Fogg's household livery, serve customers.



THE APPLICATION

The Premises Licence for the Society, was granted during the COVID pandemic, replacing an existing Premises Licence that benefited from 24 hour Recorded Music, with the Sale of Alcohol permitted to midnight. In order to assist the Premises Licence Holder during those difficult times, the Sub-Committee granted the Licence, permitting Licensable Activities up to 2am Mondays to Saturdays and midnight Sundays, subject to the hours reverting back to Core Hours on 24 September 2022 *“unless this condition is otherwise removed or varied”*. This was achieved by way of imposing Condition 37 on the Licence. This application is made to remove Condition 37 from the Licence.

This application is effectively a reapplication for the above longer hours, this time on a permanent basis. The applicant genuinely believes that the extension to the premises licence has been proven to promote the four licensing objectives in particular by:-

1. Removing unrestricted private entertainment;
2. Reducing the hours for recorded music (previously unrestricted);
3. Reducing the Capacity of the Premises from 373 to 250 (a 33% decrease);
4. Addition of a Last Entry time of 1am;
5. Allowing customers to remain in the same venue to finish their night as opposed to migrating towards the main Covent Garden stress area;
6. In the post COVID 19 world, the business has had to work longer hours as bookings have been spread out to ensure staff and customers feel comfortable and safe. This helps to avoid overcrowding which deters many customers due to public health concerns.
7. The increase in hours has enabled the premises to be commercially viable and secure staff employment.

The applicant will provide further information at the hearing and will be available to fully assist the licensing sub-committee Members with any questions they may have.

SOCIETY OF EXPLORATION PHOTOS





Pictures of Mr Fogg's properties before Mr Fogg has taken residency



Pictures of Mr Fogg's properties

MR FOGG'S TAVERN IN COVENT GARDEN





MR FOGG'S RESIDENCE IN MAYFAIR:



THE STAFF



EVENTS/TALKS

Mr Fogg's Explorer Series has been running for a number of years and seen the likes of Sir Ranulph Fiennes, Bear Grylls, The Tempest Two, Bill Colegrave, Robert Swan OBE, Simon Reeve, The Turner Twins and many more give talks.



SAMPLE DRINKS MENUS FROM THE VARIOUS MR FOGG'S VENUES



REQUIRED BEHAVIOUR OF ALL THOSE ENTERING THESE DOORS:

- I. All ranks shall be left outside; similarly, hats - and particularly swords - are not to be carried beyond the Reception Hall.
- II. Orders of procedure and haughtiness shall be left at the doors.
- III. Be merry, but neither spoil nor break anything.
- IV. Be seated, stand or walk as best pleases you, but at all times be respectful of others.
- V. Speak with moderation and not too loudly, so that others have neither an earache nor headache.
- VI. Argue without anger, discuss with passion, but never aim to have the last word.
- VII. Do not sigh or yawn, neither bore nor fatigue others.
- VIII. Agree to partake in any innocent entertainment suggested by others.
- IX. Eat well of good things, but drink in relative moderation so that each should be able to always to find his legs upon leaving these doors.
- X. You are guests in my private abode. What goes in one ear should go out the other before departing my residence.

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ODYSSEYS - GROUP LIBATIONS -

"Whilst journeying and exploring the farthest corners of this Earth, I have always sought out little pleasures from these moments to remind me of the adventure."

P.J. Fogg, Esq.



- No 1 - THE GLOBE OF 1873 (FOR 8 PEOPLE) - £120

ZANZIBAR / SPICY AROMATIC EXOTIC

Entranced by hearing of my around the world in 80 days adventure, Sultan Majid bin Said of Zanzibar summoned me to his palace and presented me with this celebration of my exploits.

Belvedere Pink Grapefruit vodka, berry-infused Imperia vodka, Mozart Dry chocolate liqueur, raspberry puree, homemade sugar syrup, fresh lime juice, cranberry & pomegranate juice, topped up with Moët & Chandon Brut Impérial N.V. champagne.

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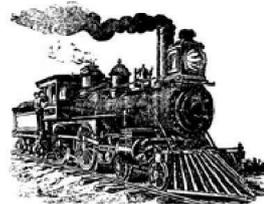
- No 2 - THE PRONOUNCED VOWEL

(FOR 4 PEOPLE) - £60

COLOMBIA / SWEET FRUITY SHARP

It is of the utmost importance that even after considerable imbibing, one continues to articulate!

Colombia Treasure gin, Cointreau Noir liqueur, fresh lime juice, pineapple juice, passion fruit juice, orange syrup, mint leaves & caster sugar.



- No 3 - THE ROYAL COFFEE MAKER (FOR 2 PEOPLE) - £90

NEWFOUNDLAND / WOODY RICH BITTER
A gift given to Queen Victoria whilst on a tour of Britain's oldest colony. Such mechanical sorcery had never been seen by her Majesty's eyes - prepare to marvel at all its wonder!
Hennessy V.S. cognac, Bulleit Rye whiskey, Luxardo Maraschino cherry liqueur, chocolate bitters, homemade sugar syrup, a cocoa and tea blend & a mascarpone foam on top.



- No 4 - THE BOTANIST'S FOUNTAIN (FOR 6 PEOPLE) - £105

SCOTLAND / FRESH LIGHT DELICATE

Inspired by a truly majestic waterfall I came across on the Isle of Islay during a summer excursion - truly beguiling!
The Botanist gin, Roots Mastiba liqueur, white wine & elderflower cordial, with apple, lychee & fresh lime juices.



A DISCRETIONARY 11.5% SERVICE CHARGE WILL BE ADDED TO ALL TRANSACTIONS

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AROUND THE WORLD & BACK AGAIN

Cocktails from the Four Corners

JUNIPERUS COMMUNIS

GIN - THE COMMON JUNIPER

№5 Chemistry & Optics - £16

ITALY / SPICY AROMATIC EXOTIC / STIRRED

Vibrant chemistry between these enigmatic elements leaves a feast for the eyes and a sensation for the tastebuds. Salut!

Fisbers gin, Mancino Rosso Amaranzo vermouth & Cynar artichoke liqueur.

№6 Jungle Sling - £15

BRAZIL / SWEET FRUITY SHARP / SHAKEN

On a particularly scorching day in the Amazon jungle, I escaped the midday heat by seeking refuge under a giant kapok tree with an exceptional bottle of gin and some local bananas – the Jungle Sling was born.

Bombay Sapphire gin, Luxardo Sangue Morlaco cherry liqueur, Bénédictine herbal liqueur, banana purée, pineapple juice, fresh lemon juice & homemade sugar syrup, topped up with soda water.

№7 Passepartout - £13

ENGLAND / FRESH LIGHT DELICATE / SHAKEN

A dedication to my loyal and handsome man-servant.

Hendrick's gin, fresh cucumber, fresh lemon juice, sugar, egg white & black pepper.

№8 A Maiden's Blush - £13

NEW ZEALAND / SWEET FRUITY SHARP / SHAKEN

The most beguiling blush of all was that of this Antipodean maiden.

Bombay Sapphire gin, raspberry jam, fresh lemon juice, caster sugar & a drop of Pernod absinthe.

- GIN -

№9 1840 - £13

ENGLAND / FRESH LIGHT DELICATE / SHAKEN

A particular favourite of my good friend, The Duchess of Bedford, this delightful concoction can be found at fashionable afternoon teas around The Empire, such as my very own Tippy Teas! *Earl Grey-infused Bombay Sapphire gin, Cointreau orange liqueur, peach liqueur, fresh lemon juice, orange marmalade & homemade sugar syrup.*

№10 The Cape of Good Hope - £15

SOUTH AFRICA / SPICY AROMATIC EXOTIC / SHAKEN

My favourite shoulder-dwelling drapery amongst my outdoor attire hails from a Camp's Bay tailor and always brings me luck!

Star of Bombay gin, pear purée, fresh rosemary, homemade lavender syrup, fresh lemon juice & egg white, topped up with soda water.

№11 The Wild Lady - £14

THAILAND / SPICY AROMATIC EXOTIC / SHAKEN

A raucous Bangkok rendez-vous with a mesmerising madam from Medellín meant that come the break of dawn this recipe for rascality was all that remained.

Porcini mushroom-infused Colombian Ortoxo gin, homemade saffron syrup, egg white & fresh lemon juice.

№12 Elskling - £14

NORWAY / FRESH LIGHT DELICATE / SHAKEN

Whilst speeding across the icy landscapes via husky sled, it transpires that to arrest these cuddly beasts, one must refer to them as 'sweetheart' in their native tongue – most peculiar.

Hendrick's gin, St-Germain elderflower liqueur, cloudy apple juice, fresh lime juice, homemade sugar syrup & peach bitters.

№13 The Royal Martini - £14

PORTUGAL / WOODY RICH BITTER / STIRRED

Infamous roisterer and good friend, Carlos I of Portugal always possessed a proclivity for the finer ingredients.

Tanqueray No. TEN gin, Picon Amer aperitif, Kirsch aperitif, homemade elderberry and port syrup, fresh lemon juice & chocolate bitters.

№14 Inspector Fix's Fix - £13

ENGLAND / FRESH LIGHT DELICATE / SHAKEN

The tenacious but often-humiliated Inspector Fix once confided in me this remedy for making it through the detecting day.

Bombay Sapphire gin, jalapeño-infused Martini Extra Dry vermouth, mandarin purée, fresh lemon juice, fresh sage & homemade rosemary syrup.

A DISCRETIONARY 11.4% SERVICE CHARGE WILL BE ADDED TO ALL TRANSACTIONS

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THE FOUR SEASONS EXPERIENCE

- VIVALDI NEGRONI -



№77 - SPRING - £16

USA / WOODY RICH BITTER / CHERRY BARREL AGED

"Hath put a spirit of youth in everything."

Mount Gay X.O. rum, Martini Riserva Speciale Rubino vermouth & Campari aperitif.



№78 - SUMMER - £16

USA / WOODY RICH BITTER / ACACIA BARREL AGED

"But thy eternal summer shall not fade Nor lose possession of that fair thou ow'st."

Star of Bombay gin, Martini Riserva Speciale Rubino vermouth & Campari aperitif.



№79 - AUTUMN - £16

USA / WOODY RICH BITTER / CHESTNUT BARREL AGED

"When yellow leaves, or none, or few, do hang upon those boughs which shake against the cold."

Alipus San Andres mezcal, Martini Riserva Speciale Rubino vermouth & Campari aperitif.



№80 - WINTER - £16

USA / WOODY RICH BITTER / OAK BARREL AGED

"Thou knowest, winter tames man, woman, and beast."

Woodford Reserve Rye whiskey, Martini Riserva Speciale Rubino vermouth & Campari aperitif.

SAMPLE ALL FOUR COCKTAILS,
THE VIVALDI NEGRONI EXPERIENCE.

- £48 -

50ml of each

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MR. FOGG'S VIRGIN HAREM

Seriously scrumptious sipping sans spirits

BERRY STRAIGHT & NARROW £8

One will not be wobbling home after an evening sipping upon this fine concoction. "Honestly constable, I have been drinking!"

Raspberry & blackberry purée, cranberry juice, fresh mint, cinnamon syrup & fresh lime juice, topped up with ginger ale.

YOUNG VICTORIA £8

When asked her poison, the fresh-faced monarch gazed shyly down at the floor and muttered "I'm afraid I'm drinking!"

Seedlip Spice 94, pear purée, fresh lemon juice, homemade ginger syrup & cloudy apple juice.

TEETOTAL TIPPLE £8

We agree to abstain, forever! Or just from time to time, depending on the company kept.

Seedlip Garden 108, fresh lime juice, fresh cucumber, cloudy apple juice, elderflower cordial, homemade dill syrup & egg white.

MY LASS'S MOLASSES £8

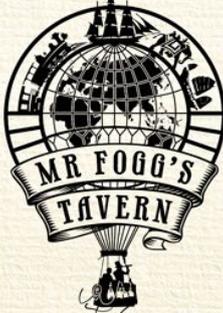
Tropical nectar sweet enough for my Indian wife; a memory of warmer climes.

Blackberry & banana purée, pineapple juice, pomegranate juice, caramel syrup & fresh lime juice.

A DISCRETIONARY 11.4% SERVICE CHARGE WILL BE ADDED TO ALL TRANSACTIONS

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SAMPLE FOOD MENUS



BILL OF FARE

Mr Fogg's weekday menu











Begin with
**FANNY'S
TIPPLE
OF
TODAY**

The Ticked Pink Goat
Bittersweet and delicious £8
Cabrito Blanco tequila, Aperol and lemon juice,
with grapefruit and rhubarb bitters, topped with soda

HORS D'OEUVRES

Brown Cornish crab on sourdough with preserved lemon & chilli £8
Watercress & chicory salad with walnut, stilton & vinaigrette [v] £7 / £10
Quail egg & smoked haddock croquettes with tartare sauce £7
Jerusalem artichoke soup with truffle buttered toast [v] £7
British charcuterie with bread, chutneys & pickles £15
Smoked sausages with braising liquor & mustard £6
Smoked Mackerel & horseradish pâté £9
Crispy pig's ears & apple cyder sauce £6

MEAT & GAME

Dedham Vale beef, suet pastry & home smoked
Dingley Dell bacon pie with mashed pots,
buttered greens & braising liquor £12
Roast Guinea fowl with watercress, chicory & apple salad,
brandy dressing £13
Roast sandwich of the day £8.5

FISH

Steamed Dorset mussels, herbs, white wine
& spiced sausage with crusty bread £10
Sloe gin cured salmon, quail egg, green bean & watercress salad
with a lemon & dill dressing £11
Fish Pie with buttered greens and carrots £12
[for two £22]

MARKET

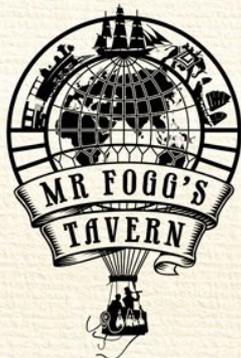
Winter vegetable stew [v] £10
Wild mushroom, chestnut, red wine & juniper shortcrust pie
with mashed potatoes, buttered greens & a cream wine sauce [v] £12

SIDES

Beef dripping roast potatoes & braising liquor £5
Glazed baby carrots [v] £4
Buttered greens [v] £4

*The chef crafts
delightful treats in the
kitchen on a daily basis.
Please be aware that this
is purely a representation
of what you might
expect upon visiting
the Tavern!*

A discretionary 10% service charge will be added to all transactions. All items include VAT at 20%. All items subject to availability. Please make staff aware of any allergies you might have. We shall do our best to provide you with suitable food but we cannot guarantee that our offering will be allergen free. All dishes may contain nuts. Menu content and prices are liable to change.



BILL OF FARE

Mr Fogg's Sunday menu



Mr Fogg's restorative Gin Mary
Smokey, spicy & good for the soul £10

Beetroot-infused Hendrick's gin with lemon
a splash of tawny port and tavern secret mary mix



HORS D'OEUVRES

Smoked sausages with braising liquor & mustard £6

Quail egg & smoked haddock croquettes with tartare sauce £7

British charcuterie with bread, chutneys & pickles £15

Smoked Mackerel & horseradish pâté £9

Jerusalem artichoke soup with truffle buttered toast [v] £7

Watercress & chicory salad with walnut, stilton & vinaigrette [v] £7 / £10



PIES

Dedham Vale beef, suet pastry & home
smoked Dingley Dell bacon pie
with mashed pots, buttered
greens & braising liquor £12

Fish Pie with buttered greens
& carrots £12

Fish pie for two £22

Wild mushroom, chestnut, red wine
& juniper shortcrust pie with
mashed potatoes, buttered greens
& a cream wine sauce [v] £12



ROASTS

*All served with Yorkshire pudding,
beef dripping roast potatoes,
roasted vegetables & buttered greens*

Dingley Dell pork belly,
crackling & baked apple £15

Dedham Vale Rib of beef, Yorkshire
pudding with horseradish cream
& meat liquor £15

Whole pot roast Guinea fowl,
apple & brandy cream sauce.
For two £35



OTHERS

Sloe gin cured salmon, quail egg,
green bean & watercress salad with
a lemon and dill dressing £11

Winter vegetable stew [v] £10

Crispy pig's ears
& apple cyder sauce £6



SIDES

Yorkshire pudding £3

Beef dripping
roast potatoes £5

Buttered greens £4

Watercress salad £4

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THE FOOD



HIGH TEA



PRESS

PRESS

The Telegraph



es and Stirling specialise in iting weird and wonderful concept bars."

BuzzFeed



grown-up cocktail as a sense of fun."

THE NUDGE



funhouse overflowing with ; objects from Phileas Fogg's travels."

London Evening Standard



ers will be able to drink on the the first time since the alcohol r an underground venue once an air raid shelter was turned o a Forties-themed bar."

MONEYWEEK



there are more bars trying y that style, but back then ere the first in London." – Charlie

GQ



BBC



complacency are over. Just being a bar and serve any old drink and do well is increasingly hard now, offer something more." – Charlie

TimeOut London



/ seven courses of Italian s in a 'hedonistic underworld' / the minds behind Cahoots."

MailOnline



METRO



, an all-singing, all-dancing ar, brings its Mediterranean mischief to SW11."

MAYFAIR TIMES



While the Fogg's brand is very British. I nink the sense of travel and the global ature of Phileas Fogg opens up a lot of possibilities."

VANITY FAIR



"It's difficult to resist its conversation-starting blend of "illicit" cocktails, live swing and post-war London spirit, but now there's even more reason to linger."

AWARDS

RECENT AWARD WINS



Best Digital Campaign 2020
(Cahoots)



Bar Group of the Year 2019
(Inception Group)



Best Marketing Campaign 2019
(Mr Fogg's)



Best Social Media Presence of the
Year 2020
(Inception Group)



Best Pub Concept 2019
(Mr Fogg's)



Best New Pub/Bar Site 2020
(Cahoots Ticket Hall & Control Room)



Best Pub of the Year 2019
(Mr Fogg's Tavern)



Best Use of Video 2020
(Cahoots)



Best Late Night Operator 2020
(Inception Group)



DISPERSAL POLICY

This Dispersal Policy has been implemented to assist in the promotion of the four licensing objectives, in particular crime and disorder, public nuisance and public safety. This document is subject to change from time to time as it is a working best practices document that may change through discussions with interested parties and more specifically with our neighbours.

1. Management are aware of the potential for neighbourhood noise and disturbance at the time that customers leave at closing time. Management have agreed to implement a written dispersal policy to move customers from the premises and the immediate vicinity in such a way so as to cause minimum disturbance or nuisance to neighbours. Every effort will be made to minimise any potential nuisance and it will be the responsibility of all members of staff to support this policy.

Winding-down Period

2. Management have put into place an effective “wind-down” procedure in order to facilitate prompt closure of the premises and orderly dispersal pattern by customers.
3. At closing additional staff are directed to work in the customer areas near the front entrance. Customers are informed that the premises are about to close and are directed towards the nearest exit.
4. Given the style of the business there is a gradual departure of customers and the premises are frequently not at capacity at closing time.
5. Internal lighting levels will be increased during the last 30 minutes of trading.
6. The winding down period outlined above ensures that customers disperse gradually prior to cessation of trade.
7. We are proud of our building and the area we work in. We will endeavour to keep the area clean and attractive for our patrons and our neighbours. This means dealing with debris outside our frontage that may have nothing to do with us but in the interests of maintaining good standards in the area we will still clear it up.

Door Supervisors

8. When applicable, door supervisors shall be maintained until the premises are closed and shall be in position early enough in the evening to ensure that procedures for promoting public safety and preventing public nuisance are effective

9. Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration registered Butlers who are SIA registered are to assist in the dispersal of customers.
10. Mr Fogg's Butlers are trained to know:-
 - (a) where the nearest mode of public transport is
 - (b) details of taxis and a number is available at the reception
 - (c) general local knowledge so that if customers decide to move on the door staff can help them with directions.
11. Mr Fogg's Butlers are assigned key roles and these are split between supervising the dispersal and general control of the vicinity.
12. They are easily identifiable in striking uniforms and before each night there will be a team briefing to allocate the roles.
13. There is an end of night team meeting to discuss any ways that the premises may improve the dispersal of patrons and any actions points are added into each supervisors job cards.
14. They will be trained to direct customers on departure to transport links on the Strand and not up Bedford Street.

Notices

15. Notices shall be displayed at customer exits and in prominent positions requesting that patrons respect the needs of local residents and leave the premises and area quietly.
16. All employees are given appropriate instructions and training to encourage customers to leave the premises and the area quietly.

Incident Reports

17. All incidents of crime or disorder or nuisance are to be reported by the designated premises supervisor or responsible member of staff.
18. The licence holder shall ensure that the details of all complaints are recorded in an occurrence book.
19. When required, Mr Fogg's staff shall be in place at the exits to wish customers farewell and ask them to leave quietly and shall answer any questions regarding transport availability.
20. Mr Fogg's do not tolerate departing customers congregating outside of the premises.
21. Mr Fogg's Butlers should at all times be aware of activity outside of the premises and endeavour by their presence to minimise bad behaviour. They should be aware of potential areas of difficulty (nearby residences) and provide a presence in those places to minimise potential problems.
22. Whilst carrying out their legitimate duties outside of the premises all staff are trained not to behave in a manner likely to disturb the neighbourhood,

conversation and laughter must be quiet and any communication is usually digital through an earpiece



OUTDOOR MANAGEMENT AND SMOKING POLICY

This smoking policy has been created to assist in promoting the four licensing objectives. This smoking policy can be changed from time to time following best practice improvements and any recommendations that are approved by Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration. All members of staff must make sure that they are familiar with the terms of this policy.

1. Smoking is not permitted within any part of Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration.
2. Customers who are from within the premises and wish to smoke should be directed to the agreed designated smoking area. This area is to be known as the designated smoking area for the premises.
3. The door attendant(s)/door supervisor(s) or daytime staff on duty shall be in charge of monitoring the designated smoking area and any external area in general.
4. After 11pm, If the designated area is full, a member of staff should ask the customer to wait within the premises until a space becomes available.
5. The smoking area should be cleaned regularly and ashtrays emptied.
6. Customers should be reminded to respect our neighbours and to keep conversations to a minimum.
7. The door attendant(s)/door supervisor(s) on duty shall keep a log of any person causing any disturbance or nuisance whether or not that person is a customer.
8. The door attendant(s)/door supervisor(s) on duty shall assist in trying to keep any noise disturbances/incidents from the designated smoking area as well as in the immediate vicinity of the premises to a minimum.



Schedule 12
Part A

WARD: St James's
UPRN: 100023431203

City of Westminster

64 Victoria Street, London, SW1E 6QP

Premises licence

Regulation 33, 34

Premises licence number:

21/05025/LIPDPS

Original Reference:

20/04234/LIPN

Part 1 – Premises details

Postal address of premises:

Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration
1A Bedford Street
London
WC2E 9HD

Telephone Number: None supplied

Where the licence is time limited, the dates:

Not applicable

Licensable activities authorised by the licence:

Playing of Recorded Music
Late Night Refreshment
Sale by Retail of Alcohol

The times the licence authorises the carrying out of licensable activities:

Playing of Recorded Music
Monday to Saturday: 10:00 to 02:00
Sunday: 12:00 to 00:00

Late Night Refreshment
Monday to Saturday: 23:00 to 02:00
Sunday: 23:00 to 00:00

Sale by Retail of Alcohol
Monday to Saturday: 10:00 to 02:30
Sunday: 12:00 to 00:00

Seasonal variations: Licensable activities shall be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.

The opening hours of the premises:

Monday to Saturday: 08:00 to 02:30
 Sunday: 10:00 to 00:30

Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol, whether these are on and/or off supplies:

Alcohol is supplied for consumption both on and off the Premises.

Part 2

Name, (registered) address, telephone number and email (where relevant) of holder of premises licence:

Bedford Street Bar Ltd
 10 Queen Street Place
 London
 EC4R 1AG

Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

10730589

Name, address and telephone number of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises the supply of alcohol:

Name: Germain Paul Herve Sebode

Please note: It is the policy of the Licensing Authority not to display the address details of a designated premises supervisor.

Personal licence number and issuing authority of personal licence held by designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol:

Licence Number: 27290
 Licensing Authority: London Borough Of Tower Hamlets

Date: 14 June 2021

This licence has been authorised by Kevin Jackaman on behalf of the Director - Public Protection and Licensing.

Annex 1 – Mandatory conditions

1. No supply of alcohol may be made at a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of this licence.
2. No supply of alcohol may be made at a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or the personal licence is suspended.
3. Every supply of alcohol under this licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.
4.
 - (1) The responsible person must ensure that staff on relevant premises do not carry out, arrange or participate in any irresponsible promotions in relation to the premises.
 - (2) In this paragraph, an irresponsible promotion means any one or more of the following activities, or substantially similar activities, carried on for the purpose of encouraging the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises—
 - (a) games or other activities which require or encourage, or are designed to require or encourage, individuals to;
 - (i) drink a quantity of alcohol within a time limit (other than to drink alcohol sold or supplied on the premises before the cessation of the period in which the responsible person is authorised to sell or supply alcohol), or
 - (ii) drink as much alcohol as possible (whether within a time limit or otherwise);
 - (b) provision of unlimited or unspecified quantities of alcohol free or for a fixed or discounted fee to the public or to a group defined by a particular characteristic in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
 - (c) provision of free or discounted alcohol or any other thing as a prize to encourage or reward the purchase and consumption of alcohol over a period of 24 hours or less in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
 - (d) selling or supplying alcohol in association with promotional posters or flyers on, or in the vicinity of, the premises which can reasonably be considered to condone, encourage or glamorise anti-social behaviour or to refer to the effects of drunkenness in any favourable manner;
 - (e) dispensing alcohol directly by one person into the mouth of another (other than where that other person is unable to drink without assistance by reason of a disability).
5. The responsible person must ensure that free potable water is provided on request to customers where it is reasonably available.
6.
 - (1) The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.
 - (2) The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licence must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.

- (3) The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either—
- (a) a holographic mark, or
 - (b) an ultraviolet feature.

7. The responsible person must ensure that—

- (a) where any of the following alcoholic drinks is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises (other than alcoholic drinks sold or supplied having been made up in advance ready for sale or supply in a securely closed container) it is available to customers in the following measures—
 - (i) beer or cider: ½ pint;
 - (ii) gin, rum, vodka or whisky: 25 ml or 35 ml; and
 - (iii) still wine in a glass: 125 ml;
- (b) these measures are displayed in a menu, price list or other printed material which is available to customers on the premises; and
- (c) where a customer does not in relation to a sale of alcohol specify the quantity of alcohol to be sold, the customer is made aware that these measures are available.

A responsible person in relation to a licensed premises means the holder of the premise licence in respect of the premises, the designated premises supervisor (if any) or any individual aged 18 or over who is authorised by either the licence holder or designated premises supervisor. For premises with a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity that which enables him to prevent the supply of alcohol.

8(i) A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.

8(ii) For the purposes of the condition set out in paragraph 8(i) above -

- (a) "duty" is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979;
- (b) "permitted price" is the price found by applying the formula -

$$P = D + (D \times V)$$

Where -

- (i) P is the permitted price,
 - (ii) D is the amount of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and
 - (iii) V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol;
- (c) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence -
- (i) the holder of the premises licence,

- (ii) the designated premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or
 - (iii) the personal licence holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence;
 - (d) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and
 - (e) "value added tax" means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994.
- 8(iii). Where the permitted price given by Paragraph 8(ii)(b) above would (apart from this paragraph) not be a whole number of pennies, the price given by that sub-paragraph shall be taken to be the price actually given by that sub-paragraph rounded up to the nearest penny.
- 8(iv). (1) Sub-paragraph 8(iv)(2) below applies where the permitted price given by Paragraph 8(ii)(b) above on a day ("the first day") would be different from the permitted price on the next day ("the second day") as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax.
- (2) The permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.
9. All persons guarding premises against unauthorised access or occupation or against outbreaks of disorder or against damage (door supervisors) must be licensed by the Security Industry Authority.

Annex 2 – Conditions consistent with the operating Schedule

None

Annex 3 – Conditions attached after a hearing by the licensing authority

10. Substantial food and non-intoxicating beverages shall be available throughout the permitted hours in all parts of the premises where alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises.
11. Notices shall be prominently displayed at exits requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to leave the premises and the area quietly.
12. Notices shall be prominently displayed at any area used for smoking requesting patrons to respect the needs of local residents and use the area quietly.
13. No entertainment, performance, service, or exhibition involving nudity or sexual entertainment shall be provided except under the authority of a Sexual Entertainment Venue licence pursuant to the Local Government Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1982 as amended.
14. All staff engaged outside the entrance to the premises, or supervising or controlling queues, shall wear high visibility yellow jackets or vests or distinctive uniform that is easily identifiable (e.g. butler's uniform/top hat/tails). SIA must wear the approved SIA registered identification.
15. During busy times door staff shall ensure that the footway outside is not obstructed by the venue's customers
16. There shall be no payment made by or on behalf of the licence holder to any person for bringing customers to the premises directly off the street.
17. All door staff employed at the venue shall be accredited to the Security Industry Authority
18. No noise shall emanate from the premises nor vibration be transmitted through the structure of the premises which gives rise to a nuisance.
19. No waste or recyclable materials, including bottles shall be moved, removed or placed in outside areas between 23:00 hours and 07:00 hours.
20. No deliveries to the premises shall be arranged between 23:00 and 07:00 hours.
21. All waste shall be properly presented and placed out for collection no earlier than 30 minutes before the scheduled collection times.
22. All windows and external doors shall be kept closed after 23:00 hours, except for the immediate access and egress of persons.
23. Any special effects or mechanical installations shall be arranged and stored so as to minimise any risk to the safety of those using the premises. The following special effects will only be used on 10 days prior notice being given to the Licensing Authority where consent has not previously been given:-
 - a) dry ice and cryogenic fog (except for food presentations)
 - b) smoke machines and fog generators
 - c) pyrotechnics including fire works
 - d) firearms
 - e) lasers
 - f) explosives and highly flammable substances.
 - g) real flame (except for candles)
 - h) strobe lighting.

24. No person shall give at the premises any exhibition, demonstration or performance of hypnotism, mesmerism or any similar act or process which produces or is intended to produce in any other person any form of induced sleep or trance in which susceptibility of the mind of that person to suggestion or direction is increased or intended to be increased.

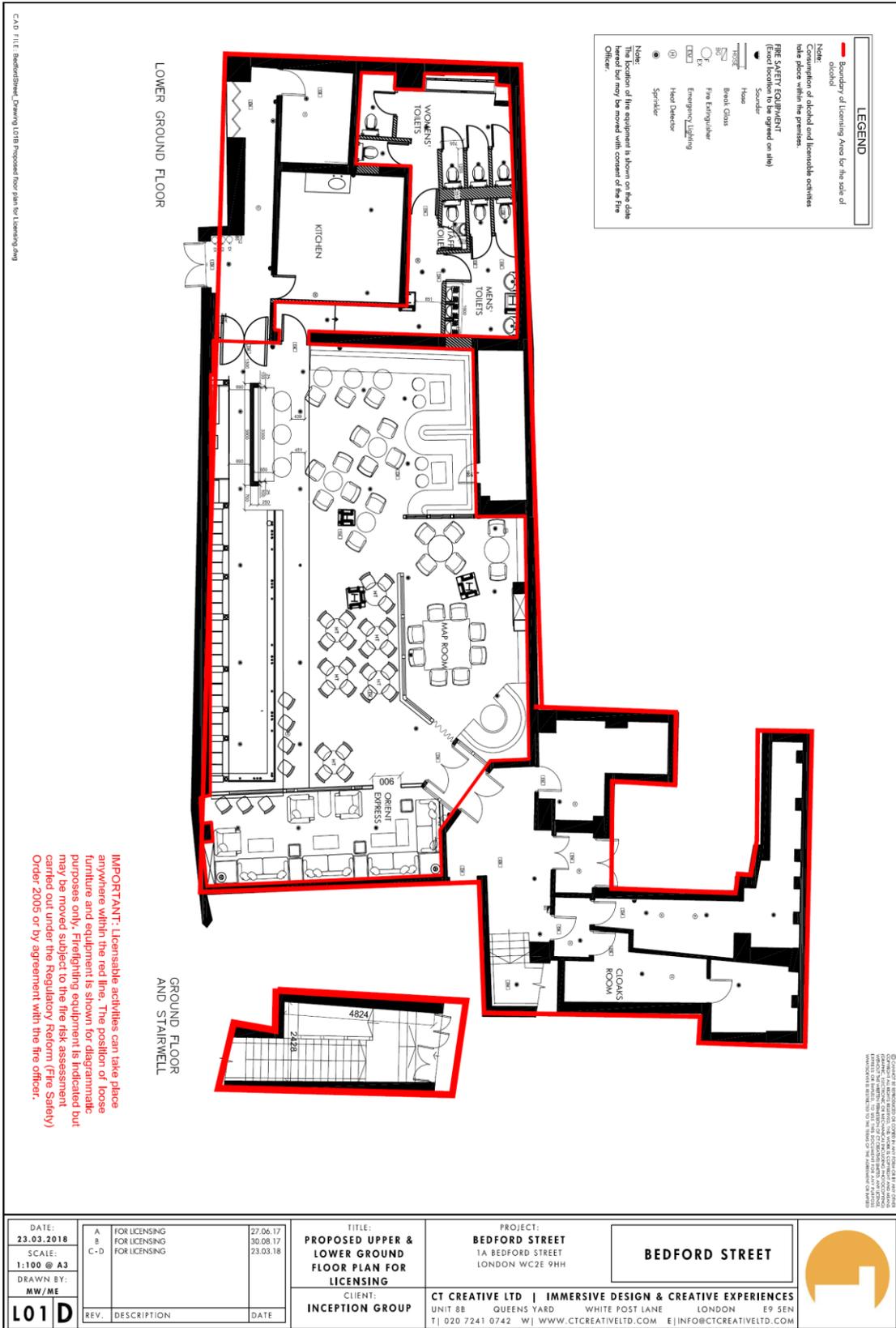
NOTE: (1) This rule does not apply to exhibitions given under the provisions of Section 2(1A) and 5 of the Hypnotism Act 1952.

25. The approved arrangements at the premises, including means of escape provisions, emergency warning equipment, the electrical installation and mechanical equipment, shall at all material times be maintained in good condition and full working order.
26. The means of escape provided for the premises shall be maintained unobstructed, free of trip hazards, be immediately available and clearly identified in accordance with the plans provided.
27. All exit doors on designated escape routes shall be available at all material times without the use of a key, code, card or similar means.
28. All self-closing doors shall be effectively maintained and not held open other than by an approved device.
29. The edges of the treads of steps and stairways shall be maintained so as to be conspicuous.
30. Curtains and hangings shall be arranged so as not to obstruct emergency signs.
31. The certificates listed below shall be submitted to the Licensing Authority upon written request.
- a) Any emergency lighting battery or system
 - b) Any electrical installation
 - c) Any emergency warning system.
32. The air conditioning units operating within the premises must be switched off when licensable activities have ceased for the day.
33. A noise limiter must be fitted to the musical amplification system set at a level determined by and to the satisfaction of an authorised officer of the Environmental Health Service, so as to ensure that no noise nuisance is caused to local residents or businesses. The operational panel of the noise limiter shall then be secured by key or password to the satisfaction of officers from the Environmental Health Service and access shall only be by persons authorised by the Premises Licence holder. The limiter shall not be altered without prior agreement with the Environmental Health Service. No alteration or modification to any existing sound system(s) should be effected without prior knowledge of an authorised Officer of the Environmental Health Service. No additional sound generating equipment shall be used on the premises without being routed through the sound limiter device.
34. The premises will operate a Dispersal Policy and all relevant staff will be trained in its Implementation. At a minimum it will include the requirement that customers will be encouraged to disperse via the Strand and not North along Bedford Street.
35. The premises will operate a Policy regarding the management of the outside area and all relevant staff will be trained in its implementation. At a minimum it will include the requirement that customers outside the premises, whether queuing or smoking, will be managed in such a way that they do not cause a nuisance, including by way of noise or by restricting movement along the footway.

36. The premises shall only be permitted to carry out licensable activities after midnight if it operates as a Phileas Fogg themed lounge and wine bar.
37. The terminal hour for Licensable Activities authorised by this licence shall be 02:00 Monday to Saturday and 00:00 on Sundays until the 24th September 2022 upon which the terminal hours will reduce to 00:00 Monday to Saturday and 23:30 on Sundays unless this condition is otherwise removed or varied by a subsequent variation application.
38. The premises shall install and maintain a comprehensive CCTV system as per the minimum requirements of the Westminster Police Licensing Team. All entry and exit points will be covered enabling frontal identification of every person entering in any light condition. The CCTV system shall continually record whilst the premises are open for licensable activities and during all times when customers remain on the premises. All recordings shall be stored for a minimum period of 31 days with date and time stamping. Viewing of recordings shall be made available immediately upon the request of Police or authorised officer throughout the entire 31-day period.
39. A staff member from the premises who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system shall be on the premises at all times when the premises are open. This staff member must be able to provide a Police or authorised council officer copies of recent CCTV images or data with the absolute minimum of delay when requested.
40. A Challenge 25 proof of age scheme shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are recognised photographic identification cards, such as a driving licence, passport or proof of age card with the PASS Hologram.
41. An incident log shall be kept at the premises and made available on request to an authorised officer of the City Council or the Police. It must be completed within 24 hours of the incident and will record the following:
 - (a) all crimes reported to the venue
 - (b) all ejections of patrons
 - (c) any complaints received concerning crime and disorder
 - (d) any incidents of disorder
 - (e) all seizures of drugs or offensive weapons
 - (f) any faults in the CCTV system, searching equipment or scanning equipment
 - (g) any refusal of the sale of alcohol
 - (h) any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.
42. There shall be a minimum of (2) SIA licensed door supervisors after 10:00 pm until 30 mins past close on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. At all other times the management must complete a written risk assessment to be kept at the venue and made available on request of Police or authorised officials from Westminster City Council.
43. There shall be no sales of hot food or hot drink for consumption off the premises after 23.00 hours.
44. For the period in which the terminal hour for licensable activities is provided until 02:00 Monday to Saturday there shall be no admittance or re-admittance to the premises after 01:00 hours except for patrons permitted to temporarily leave the premises to smoke.
45. Patrons permitted to temporarily leave and then re-enter the premises, e.g. to smoke, shall not be permitted to take drinks or glass containers with them.
46. There shall be no sales of alcohol for consumption off the premises after 23.00 hours.
47. The supply of alcohol shall be ancillary to food after 23:00 hours.

48. All sales of alcohol for consumption off the premises shall be in sealed containers only and shall not be consumed on the premises.
49. The number of persons accommodated at the premises (excluding staff) shall not exceed 250.
50. No licensable activities shall take place at the premises until premises licence 20/00229/LIPDPS (or such other number subsequently issued for the premises) has been surrendered and is incapable of resurrection.

Annex 4 – Plans





City of Westminster
64 Victoria Street, London, SW1E 6QP

Schedule 12
Part B

WARD: St James's
UPRN: 100023431203

Premises licence
summary

Regulation 33, 34

Premises licence number:

21/05025/LIPDPS

Part 1 – Premises details

Postal address of premises:

Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration
1A Bedford Street
London
WC2E 9HD

Telephone Number: None supplied

Where the licence is time limited, the dates:

Not applicable

Licensable activities authorised by the licence:

Playing of Recorded Music
Late Night Refreshment
Sale by Retail of Alcohol

The times the licence authorises the carrying out of licensable activities:

Playing of Recorded Music
Monday to Saturday: 10:00 to 02:00
Sunday: 12:00 to 00:00

Late Night Refreshment
Monday to Saturday: 23:00 to 02:00
Sunday: 23:00 to 00:00

Sale by Retail of Alcohol
Monday to Saturday: 10:00 to 02:30
Sunday: 12:00 to 00:00

Seasonal variations: Licensable activities shall be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.

The opening hours of the premises:

Monday to Saturday: 08:00 to 02:30
Sunday: 10:00 to 00:30

Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol, whether these are on and/or off supplies:

Alcohol is supplied for consumption both on and off the Premises.

Name and (registered) address of holder of premises licence:

Bedford Street Bar Ltd
10 Queen Street Place
London
EC4R 1AG

Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

10730589

Name of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol:

Name: Germain Paul Herve Sebode

State whether access to the premises by children is restricted or prohibited:

Restricted

Date: 14 June 2021

This licence has been authorised by Kevin Jackaman on behalf of the Director - Public Protection and Licensing.



Schedule 12
Part A

WARD: St James's
UPRN: 100023431203

City of Westminster

64 Victoria Street, London, SW1E 6QP

Premises licence

Regulation 33, 34

Premises licence number:

20/00229/LIPDPS

Original Reference:

05/10572/LIPC

Part 1 – Premises details

Postal address of premises:

Bedford And Strand
1A Bedford Street
London
WC2E 9HD

Telephone Number:

Where the licence is time limited, the dates:

Not applicable

Licensable activities authorised by the licence:

Playing of Recorded Music
Late Night Refreshment
Private Entertainment consisting of dancing, music or other entertainment of a like kind for consideration and with a view to profit
Sale by Retail of Alcohol

The times the licence authorises the carrying out of licensable activities:

Playing of Recorded Music

Unrestricted

Late Night Refreshment

Monday to Saturday:

23:00 to 00:30

Sunday:

23:00 to 00:00

Private Entertainment consisting of dancing, music or other entertainment of a like kind for consideration and with a view to profit

Unrestricted

Sale by Retail of Alcohol

Monday to Saturday:

10:00 to 00:00

Sunday:

12:00 to 23:30

For times authorised for Christmas, New Year and Good Friday see conditions at Annex 1

The opening hours of the premises:

Monday to Saturday:

10:00 to 00:30

Sunday:

12:00 to 00:00

Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol, whether these are on and/or off supplies:

Alcohol is supplied for consumption both on and off the Premises.

Part 2

Name, (registered) address, telephone number and email (where relevant) of holder of premises licence:

Bedford Street Bar Ltd
10 Queen Street Place
London
United Kingdom
EC4R 1AG

Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

10730589

Name, address and telephone number of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises the supply of alcohol:

Name: Richard Walker

Please note: It is the policy of the Licensing Authority not to display the address details of a designated premises supervisor.

Personal licence number and issuing authority of personal licence held by designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol:

Licence Number: LAPA1098
Licensing Authority: Lancaster City Council

Date: 27th January 2020

This licence has been authorised by Bushara Hamida on behalf of the Director - Public Protection and Licensing.

Annex 1 – Mandatory conditions

1. No supply of alcohol may be made at a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of this licence.
2. No supply of alcohol may be made at a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or the personal licence is suspended.
3. Every supply of alcohol under this licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.
4.
 - (1) The responsible person must ensure that staff on relevant premises do not carry out, arrange or participate in any irresponsible promotions in relation to the premises.
 - (2) In this paragraph, an irresponsible promotion means any one or more of the following activities, or substantially similar activities, carried on for the purpose of encouraging the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises—
 - (a) games or other activities which require or encourage, or are designed to require or encourage, individuals to;
 - (i) drink a quantity of alcohol within a time limit (other than to drink alcohol sold or supplied on the premises before the cessation of the period in which the responsible person is authorised to sell or supply alcohol), or
 - (ii) drink as much alcohol as possible (whether within a time limit or otherwise);
 - (b) provision of unlimited or unspecified quantities of alcohol free or for a fixed or discounted fee to the public or to a group defined by a particular characteristic in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
 - (c) provision of free or discounted alcohol or any other thing as a prize to encourage or reward the purchase and consumption of alcohol over a period of 24 hours or less in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
 - (d) selling or supplying alcohol in association with promotional posters or flyers on, or in the vicinity of, the premises which can reasonably be considered to condone, encourage or glamorise anti-social behaviour or to refer to the effects of drunkenness in any favourable manner;
 - (e) dispensing alcohol directly by one person into the mouth of another (other than where that other person is unable to drink without assistance by reason of a disability).
5. The responsible person must ensure that free potable water is provided on request to customers where it is reasonably available.
6.
 - (1) The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.
 - (2) The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licence must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.

- (3) The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either—
- (a) a holographic mark, or
 - (b) an ultraviolet feature.

7. The responsible person must ensure that—

- (a) where any of the following alcoholic drinks is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises (other than alcoholic drinks sold or supplied having been made up in advance ready for sale or supply in a securely closed container) it is available to customers in the following measures—
 - (i) beer or cider: ½ pint;
 - (ii) gin, rum, vodka or whisky: 25 ml or 35 ml; and
 - (iii) still wine in a glass: 125 ml;
- (b) these measures are displayed in a menu, price list or other printed material which is available to customers on the premises; and
- (c) where a customer does not in relation to a sale of alcohol specify the quantity of alcohol to be sold, the customer is made aware that these measures are available.

A responsible person in relation to a licensed premises means the holder of the premise licence in respect of the premises, the designated premises supervisor (if any) or any individual aged 18 or over who is authorised by either the licence holder or designated premises supervisor. For premises with a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity that which enables him to prevent the supply of alcohol.

8(i) A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.

8(ii) For the purposes of the condition set out in paragraph 8(i) above -

- (a) "duty" is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979;
- (b) "permitted price" is the price found by applying the formula -

$$P = D + (D \times V)$$

Where -

- (i) P is the permitted price,
- (ii) D is the amount of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and
- (iii) V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol;

- (c) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence -
- (i) the holder of the premises licence,
 - (ii) the designated premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or
 - (iii) the personal licence holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence;
- (d) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and
- (e) "value added tax" means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994.
- 8(iii). Where the permitted price given by Paragraph 8(ii)(b) above would (apart from this paragraph) not be a whole number of pennies, the price given by that sub-paragraph shall be taken to be the price actually given by that sub-paragraph rounded up to the nearest penny.
- 8(iv). (1) Sub-paragraph 8(iv)(2) below applies where the permitted price given by Paragraph 8(ii)(b) above on a day ("the first day") would be different from the permitted price on the next day ("the second day") as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax.
- (2) The permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.

Conditions reproducing the effect of conditions subject to which the relevant existing licences have effect

Conditions related to the Sale of Alcohol

9. Substantial food and suitable beverages other than intoxicating liquor, including drinking water, to be available during the whole of the permitted hours in all parts of the premises where intoxicating liquor is sold or supplied.

Conditions which reproduce the effect of any restriction imposed on the use of the premises by specified enactment

10. (i) Alcohol shall not be sold, supplied, consumed in or taken from the premises except during permitted hours.

In this condition, permitted hours means:

- (a) On weekdays, other than Christmas Day, Good Friday or New Year's Eve, 10:00 to 23:00;
- (b) On Sundays, other than Christmas Day or New Year's Eve, 12:00 to 22:30;
- (c) On Good Friday, 12:00 to 22:30;
- (d) On Christmas Day, 12:00 to 15:00 and 19:00 to 22:30;
- (e) On New Year's Eve, except on a Sunday, 10:00 to 23:00;
- (f) On New Year's Eve on a Sunday, 12:00 to 22:30;
- (g) On New Year's Eve from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on the following day (or, if there are no permitted hours on the following day, midnight on 31st December).

- (ii) Alcohol may be sold or supplied for one hour following the hours set out above (other than Christmas Day and New Year's Eve), and on Christmas Day, between 15:00 and 19:00, to persons taking table meals in the premises in a part of the premises usually set apart for the service of such persons and for consumption by such a person in that part of the premises as an ancillary to his meal. For other purposes or in other parts of the premises the hours set out above shall continue to apply.

NOTE - The above restrictions do not prohibit:

- (a) during the first thirty minutes after the above hours the consumption of the alcohol on the premises;
- (b) during the first twenty minutes after the above hours, the taking of the alcohol from the premises unless the alcohol is supplied or taken in an open vessel;
- (c) during the first thirty minutes after the above hours the consumption of the alcohol on the premises by persons taking table meals there if the alcohol was supplied for consumption as ancillary to the meals;
- (d) the sale or supply of alcohol to or the consumption of alcohol by any person residing in the licensed premises;
- (e) the ordering of alcohol to be consumed off the premises, or the despatch by the vendor of the alcohol so ordered;
- (f) the sale of alcohol to a trader or registered club for the purposes of the trade or club;
- (g) the sale or supply of alcohol to any canteen or mess, being a canteen in which the sale or supply of alcohol is carried out under the authority of the Secretary of State or an authorised mess of members of Her Majesty's naval, military or air forces;
- (h) the taking of alcohol from the premises by a person residing there;
- (i) the supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises to any private friends of a person residing there who are bona fide entertained by him at his own expense, or the consumption of alcohol by persons so supplied;
- (j) the supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises to persons employed there for the purposes of the business carried on by the holder of the licence, or the consumption of liquor so supplied, if the liquor is supplied at the expense of their employer or of the person carrying on or in charge of the business on the premises.

In this condition, any reference to a person residing in the premises shall be construed as including a person not residing there but carrying on or in charge of the business on the premises.

- 11. No person under fourteen shall be in the bar of the licensed premises during the permitted hours unless one of the following applies:
 - (a) He is the child of the holder of the premises licence.
 - (b) He resides in the premises, but is not employed there.
 - (c) He is in the bar solely for the purpose of passing to or from some part of the premises which is not a bar and to or from which there is no other convenient means of access or egress.

(d) The bar is in railway refreshment rooms or other premises constructed, fitted and intended to be used bona fide for any purpose to which the holding of the licence is ancillary.

In this condition "bar" includes any place exclusively or mainly used for the consumption of intoxicating liquor. But an area is not a bar when it is usual for it to be, and it is, set apart for the service of table meals and alcohol is only sold or supplied to persons as an ancillary to their table meals.

12. The terminal hour for late night refreshment on New Year's Eve is extended to 05:00 on New Year's Day.

Annex 2 – Conditions consistent with the operating Schedule

None

Annex 3 – Conditions attached after a hearing by the licensing authority

None



City of Westminster
64 Victoria Street, London, SW1E 6QP

Schedule 12
Part B

WARD: St James's
UPRN: 100023431203

Premises licence
summary

Regulation 33, 34

Premises licence number:

20/00229/LIPDPS

Part 1 – Premises details

Postal address of premises:

Bedford And Strand
1A Bedford Street
London
WC2E 9HD

Telephone Number:

Where the licence is time limited, the dates:

Not applicable

Licensable activities authorised by the licence:

Playing of Recorded Music
Late Night Refreshment
Private Entertainment consisting of dancing, music or other entertainment of a like kind for consideration and with a view to profit
Sale by Retail of Alcohol

The times the licence authorises the carrying out of licensable activities:

Playing of Recorded Music Unrestricted

Late Night Refreshment

Monday to Saturday: 23:00 to 00:30
Sunday: 23:00 to 00:00

Private Entertainment consisting of dancing, music or other entertainment of a like kind for consideration and with a view to profit Unrestricted

Sale by Retail of Alcohol

Monday to Saturday: 10:00 to 00:00
Sunday: 12:00 to 23:30

For times authorised for Christmas, New Year and Good Friday see conditions at Annex 1

The opening hours of the premises:

Monday to Saturday: 10:00 to 00:30

Sunday:	12:00 to 00:00
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Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol, whether these are on and/or off supplies:

Alcohol is supplied for consumption both on and off the Premises.

Name and (registered) address of holder of premises licence:

Bedford Street Bar Ltd
10 Queen Street Place
London
United Kingdom
EC4R 1AG

Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

10730589

Name of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol:

Name: Richard Walker

State whether access to the premises by children is restricted or prohibited:

Restricted

Date: 27th January 2020

This licence has been authorised by Bushara Hamida on behalf of the Director - Public Protection and Licensing.

WCC Licensing Sub-Committee No.3

Thursday 24 September 2020

Membership: Councillor Jacqui Wilkinson (Chairman), Councillor Margot Bright and Councillor Rita Begum

Application for a New Premises Licence – Mr. Fogg’s Society of Exploration 1A Bedford Street, London WC2E 9HD [20/04234/LIPN]

Full Decision

The Committee has determined an application for a New Premises Licence under the Licensing Act 2003 (“the Act”). The applicant intends to operate the premises as a Lounge and Wine Bar. The premises had the benefit of a licence – 20/00229LIPDPS.

The applicant sought a licence to authorise the licensable activities for Recorded Music (indoors), Late Night Refreshment (indoors and outdoors) and the sale of alcohol both on and off the premises from 10:00 to 02:00 Monday to Saturday and 12:00 to 00:00 on Sunday for a temporary period of 2 years from the date of issue of the licence. The applicant also sought to extend the hours for licensable activities on New Year’s Eve from the end of permitted hours until the start of permitted hours on New Year’s Day. The hours for licensable activities would revert to the hours permitted on the premises licence (20/00229/LIPDPS).

The premises are located within the West End area of Cumulative Impact and the application was contrary to policy PB2 and CIP1.

Applicant

Bedford Street Bar Limited

Decision

The Sub-Committee considered the submissions made by the parties in writing and orally at the hearing. The applicant explained that the purpose of the increased hours for a temporary period of 2 years was to enable the venue to be viable during the Covid-19 restrictions. It was noted that the current restrictions announced by the Government will restrict the operation of the venue to 10pm each night and restrict the sale of alcohol to seated customers only. The applicant addressed the specific

policy elements and explained that this application should be treated as an exception to policy as the hours for licensable activities are proposed to be the same as those on the current licence (20/00229/LIPDPS) for the premises except for a temporary period of 2 years where the hours for licensable activities would be to 02:00 Monday to Saturday and Sunday 00:00. This represented a reduction of licensable hours for Recorded Music and Private Entertainment which were unrestricted. The capacity for the premises will be limited to 250 people and a raft of additional conditions would be added to the licence to promote the licensing objectives and ensure that the licence would only relate to the operation as a Mr Fogg's venue.

The Sub-Committee, having regard to the applicants submissions relating to the impact of the pandemic on the operation of the premises, the rationale for the application, the temporary nature of the additional hours and the significant additional conditions proposed deemed these sufficient to provide an exception to the Councils Statement of Licensing Policy.

The Committee has decided, after considering all the circumstances of this application and the promotion of the licensing objectives:

1. To grant permission for Recorded Music Monday to Saturday 10:00 to 02:00 hours, Sunday 12:00 to 00:00 hours
2. To grant permission for Late Night Refreshment On and Off the premises Monday to Saturday 23:00 to 02:00 hours, Sunday 23:00 to 00:00 hours.
3. To grant permission for the Sale of Alcohol On and Off the premises Monday to Saturday 10:00 to 02:30, Sunday 12:00 to 00:00 hours.
4. To grant permission for the Hours the premises are open to the public Monday to Saturday 08:00 to 02:30 hours, Sunday 12:00 to 00:30 hours.
5. That the licensable activities and opening hours listed at 1 – 4 above shall be limited for a maximum period of two years from the date of this decision, as specified in condition 37 below and that following that two-year period the hours for licensable activities will revert to:
 - a) Playing of Recorded Music: Monday to Saturday 10:00 to 00:00, Sunday 12:00 to 23:00.
 - b) Sale by retail of alcohol: Monday to Saturday 10:00 to 00:00, Sunday 12:00 to 23:30
 - c) Late Night Refreshment: Monday to Saturday 23:00 to 00:00, Sunday 23:00 to 23:30
 - d) Opening Hours: Monday to Saturday 10:00 to 00:30, Sunday 12:00 to 23:30.
6. That the licensable activities shall be extended from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on New Year's Day.
7. That the Licence is subject to any relevant mandatory conditions.
8. That no licensable activities can take place until the existing premises licence, 20/00229/LIPDPS (or such other number subsequently issued for the premises) has been surrendered and is incapable of resurrection.

9. That the Licence is subject to the following additional conditions imposed by the Committee which are considered appropriate and proportionate to promote the licensing objectives.

REASONED DECISION

Members heard from Mr. Rankin, barrister for the applicant, who stated that the application was for a temporary period in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Mr Rankin said that since the pandemic the applicant has had substantial operational challenges there have been no theatre, no tourists, no talks and no tastings at the premises. Longer hours would give them a chance to catch up with their losses and maintain staff.

They currently employ 15 staff including 2 SIA registered doorman.

The application was time limited and therefore will expire after 2 years if granted. At the end of that period they would surrender unrestricted right to entertainment and reduce the hours for recorded music.

Mr. Rankin explained further that the capacity was down to 250 from 373, the licence will only be temporary and so the application does not damage the Statement Licensing Policy. He referred to the withdrawal of objection by the Covent Garden Community Association and the fact that their representative stated that the premises do not cause any impact on the Policy.

Mr. Rankin stated that given the current situation a number of licensed premises will never re-open and this application was to replace one of those premises.

Mr. Charlie Gilts, the owner of the premises was asked by Members, how the business has operated prior to COVID-19 and he responded that the business was a high end set of business where pre- theatre talks were given, the premises were opened for lunch, high tea and were very popular until midnight.

Mr. Gilts stated that the premises attract international visitors and people of all ages. The basement was being refurbished and would re-open within 3 weeks. The premises are situated in a very quiet end of the street and do not have a high footfall.

When asked by Members how does the ground floor operate, Mr. Gilts stated that there is no trading on the ground floor, people are met and taken to the downstairs. He repeated that the grant of the licence is only temporary and that the residential accommodation is negligible.

Conditions attached to the Licence

Mandatory Conditions

1. No supply of alcohol may be made at a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of this licence.
2. No supply of alcohol may be made at a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or the personal licence is suspended.
3. Every supply of alcohol under this licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.
4.
 - (1) The responsible person must ensure that staff on relevant premises do not carry out, arrange or participate in any irresponsible promotions in relation to the premises.
 - (2) In this paragraph, an irresponsible promotion means any one or more of the following activities, or substantially similar activities, carried on for the purpose of encouraging the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises—
 - (a) games or other activities which require or encourage, or are designed to require or encourage, individuals to;
 - (i) drink a quantity of alcohol within a time limit (other than to drink alcohol sold or supplied on the premises before the cessation of the period in which the responsible person is authorised to sell or supply alcohol), or
 - (ii) drink as much alcohol as possible (whether within a time limit or otherwise);
 - (b) provision of unlimited or unspecified quantities of alcohol free or for a fixed or discounted fee to the public or to a group defined by a particular characteristic in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;

- (c) provision of free or discounted alcohol or any other thing as a prize to encourage or reward the purchase and consumption of alcohol over a period of 24 hours or less in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
 - (d) selling or supplying alcohol in association with promotional posters or flyers on, or in the vicinity of, the premises which can reasonably be considered to condone, encourage or glamorise anti-social behaviour or to refer to the effects of drunkenness in any favourable manner;
 - (e) dispensing alcohol directly by one person into the mouth of another (other than where that other person is unable to drink without assistance by reason of a disability).
- 5. The responsible person must ensure that free potable water is provided on request to customers where it is reasonably available.
- 6.
 - (1) The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.
 - (2) The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licence must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.
 - (3) The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either—
 - (a) a holographic mark, or
 - (b) an ultraviolet feature.
- 7. The responsible person must ensure that—
 - (a) where any of the following alcoholic drinks is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises (other than alcoholic drinks sold or supplied having been

made up in advance ready for sale or supply in a securely closed container) it is available to customers in the following measures—

- (i) beer or cider: ½ pint;
 - (ii) gin, rum, vodka or whisky: 25 ml or 35 ml; and
 - (iii) still wine in a glass: 125 ml;
- (b) these measures are displayed in a menu, price list or other printed material which is available to customers on the premises; and
- (c) where a customer does not in relation to a sale of alcohol specify the quantity of alcohol to be sold, the customer is made aware that these measures are available.

A responsible person in relation to a licensed premises means the holder of the premise licence in respect of the premises, the designated premises supervisor (if any) or any individual aged 18 or over who is authorised by either the licence holder or designated premises supervisor. For premises with a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity that which enables him to prevent the supply of alcohol.

8(i) A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.

8(ii) For the purposes of the condition set out in paragraph 8(i) above -

- (a) "duty" is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979;
- (b) "permitted price" is the price found by applying the formula -

$$P = D + (D \times V)$$

Where -

- (i) P is the permitted price,
 - (ii) D is the amount of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and
 - (iii) V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol;
- (c) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence -
- (i) the holder of the premises licence,
 - (ii) the designated premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or
 - (iii) the personal licence holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence;
- (d) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and
- (e) "value added tax" means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994.
- 8(iii). Where the permitted price given by Paragraph 8(ii)(b) above would (apart from this paragraph) not be a whole number of pennies, the price given by that sub-paragraph shall be taken to be the price actually given by that sub-paragraph rounded up to the nearest penny.
- 8(iv). (1) Sub-paragraph 8(iv)(2) below applies where the permitted price given by Paragraph 8(ii)(b) above on a day ("the first day") would be different from the permitted price on the next day ("the second day") as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax.
- (2) The permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.

9. All persons guarding premises against unauthorised access or occupation or against outbreaks of disorder or against damage (door supervisors) must be licensed by the Security Industry Authority.

Conditions imposed by the Committee after a hearing

10. Substantial food and non-intoxicating beverages shall be available throughout the permitted hours in all parts of the premises where alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises.
11. Notices shall be prominently displayed at exits requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to leave the premises and the area quietly.
12. Notices shall be prominently displayed at any area used for smoking requesting patrons to respect the needs of local residents and use the area quietly.
13. No entertainment, performance, service, or exhibition involving nudity or sexual entertainment shall be provided except under the authority of a Sexual Entertainment Venue licence pursuant to the Local Government Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1982 as amended.
14. All staff engaged outside the entrance to the premises, or supervising or controlling queues, shall wear high visibility yellow jackets or vests or distinctive uniform that is easily identifiable (e.g. butler's uniform/top hat/tails). SIA must wear the approved SIA registered identification.
15. During busy times door staff shall ensure that the footway outside is not obstructed by the venue's customers
16. There shall be no payment made by or on behalf of the licence holder to any person for bringing customers to the premises directly off the street.
17. All door staff employed at the venue shall be accredited to the Security Industry Authority
18. No noise shall emanate from the premises nor vibration be transmitted through the structure of the premises which gives rise to a nuisance.
19. No waste or recyclable materials, including bottles shall be moved, removed or placed in outside areas between 23:00 hours and 07:00 hours.
20. No deliveries to the premises shall be arranged between 23:00 and 07:00 hours.
21. All waste shall be properly presented and placed out for collection no earlier than 30 minutes before the scheduled collection times.

22. All windows and external doors shall be kept closed after 23:00 hours, except for the immediate access and egress of persons.
23. Any special effects or mechanical installations shall be arranged and stored so as to minimise any risk to the safety of those using the premises. The following special effects will only be used on 10 days prior notice being given to the Licensing Authority where consent has not previously been given:-
- a) dry ice and cryogenic fog (except for food presentations)
 - b) smoke machines and fog generators
 - c) pyrotechnics including fire works
 - d) firearms
 - e) lasers
 - f) explosives and highly flammable substances.
 - g) real flame (except for candles)
 - h) strobe lighting.

24. No person shall give at the premises any exhibition, demonstration or performance of hypnotism, mesmerism or any similar act or process which produces or is intended to produce in any other person any form of induced sleep or trance in which susceptibility of the mind of that person to suggestion or direction is increased or intended to be increased.

NOTE: (1) This rule does not apply to exhibitions given under the provisions of Section 2(1A) and 5 of the Hypnotism Act 1952.

25. The approved arrangements at the premises, including means of escape provisions, emergency warning equipment, the electrical installation and mechanical equipment, shall at all material times be maintained in good condition and full working order.
26. The means of escape provided for the premises shall be maintained unobstructed, free of trip hazards, be immediately available and clearly identified in accordance with the plans provided.
27. All exit doors on designated escape routes shall be available at all material times without the use of a key, code, card or similar means.
28. All self-closing doors shall be effectively maintained and not held open other than by an approved device.
29. The edges of the treads of steps and stairways shall be maintained so as to be conspicuous.
30. Curtains and hangings shall be arranged so as not to obstruct emergency signs.
31. The certificates listed below shall be submitted to the Licensing Authority upon written request.
- a) Any emergency lighting battery or system
 - b) Any electrical installation

- c) Any emergency warning system.
32. The air conditioning units operating within the premises must be switched off when licensable activities have ceased for the day.
 33. A noise limiter must be fitted to the musical amplification system set at a level determined by and to the satisfaction of an authorised officer of the Environmental Health Service, so as to ensure that no noise nuisance is caused to local residents or businesses. The operational panel of the noise limiter shall then be secured by key or password to the satisfaction of officers from the Environmental Health Service and access shall only be by persons authorised by the Premises Licence holder. The limiter shall not be altered without prior agreement with the Environmental Health Service. No alteration or modification to any existing sound system(s) should be effected without prior knowledge of an authorised Officer of the Environmental Health Service. No additional sound generating equipment shall be used on the premises without being routed through the sound limiter device.
 34. The premises will operate a Dispersal Policy and all relevant staff will be trained in its implementation. At a minimum it will include the requirement that customers will be encouraged to disperse via the Strand and not North along Bedford Street.
 35. The premises will operate a Policy regarding the management of the outside area and all relevant staff will be trained in its implementation. At a minimum it will include the requirement that customers outside the premises, whether queuing or smoking, will be managed in such a way that they do not cause a nuisance, including by way of noise or by restricting movement along the footway.
 36. The premises shall only be permitted to carry out licensable activities after midnight if it operates as a Phileas Fogg themed lounge and wine bar.
 37. The terminal hour for Licensable Activities authorised by this licence shall be 02:00 Monday to Saturday and 00:00 on Sundays until the 24th September 2022 upon which the terminal hours will reduce to 00:00 Monday to Saturday and 23:30 on Sundays unless this condition is otherwise removed or varied by a subsequent variation application.
 38. The premises shall install and maintain a comprehensive CCTV system as per the minimum requirements of the Westminster Police Licensing Team. All entry and exit points will be covered enabling frontal identification of every person entering in any light condition. The CCTV system shall continually record whilst the premises are open for licensable activities and during all times when customers remain on the premises. All recordings shall be stored for a minimum period of 31 days with date and time stamping. Viewing of recordings shall be made available immediately upon the request of Police or authorised officer throughout the entire 31-day period.
 39. A staff member from the premises who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system shall be on the premises at all times when the premises are open. This staff member must be able to provide a Police or authorised

council officer copies of recent CCTV images or data with the absolute minimum of delay when requested.

40. A Challenge 25 proof of age scheme shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are recognised photographic identification cards, such as a driving licence, passport or proof of age card with the PASS Hologram.
41. An incident log shall be kept at the premises and made available on request to an authorised officer of the City Council or the Police. It must be completed within 24 hours of the incident and will record the following:
 - (a) all crimes reported to the venue
 - (b) all ejections of patrons
 - (c) any complaints received concerning crime and disorder
 - (d) any incidents of disorder
 - (e) all seizures of drugs or offensive weapons
 - (f) any faults in the CCTV system, searching equipment or scanning equipment
 - (g) any refusal of the sale of alcohol
 - (h) any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.
42. There shall be a minimum of (2) SIA licensed door supervisors after 10:00 pm until 30 mins past close on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. At all other times the management must complete a written risk assessment to be kept at the venue and made available on request of Police or authorised officials from Westminster City Council.
43. There shall be no sales of hot food or hot drink for consumption off the premises after 23.00 hours.
44. For the period in which the terminal hour for licensable activities is provided until 02:00 Monday to Saturday there shall be no admittance or re-admittance to the premises after 01:00 hours except for patrons permitted to temporarily leave the premises to smoke.
45. Patrons permitted to temporarily leave and then re-enter the premises, e.g. to smoke, shall not be permitted to take drinks or glass containers with them.
46. There shall be no sales of alcohol for consumption off the premises after 23.00 hours.
47. The supply of alcohol shall be ancillary to food after 23:00 hours.
48. All sales of alcohol for consumption off the premises shall be in sealed containers only and shall not be consumed on the premises.
49. The number of persons accommodated at the premises (excluding staff) shall not exceed 250.

This is the full decision reached by the Licensing Sub-Committee.

This Decision takes immediate effect.

Report of Observations at
Mr. Fogg's Society of Exploration,
1A Bedford Street, London WC2E 9HD.

By

Adrian Studd, Independent Licensing Consultant.

1. I am instructed by Andrew Wong of Keystone Law, 48 Chancery Lane, WC2A 1JF to conduct a licensing inspection and observations at the above premises and in the vicinity in order to observe the operation of the premises. This includes: the management of the vicinity by managers and Door Supervisors employed at the premises; the dispersal of customers from the area when the premises closes and any impact on nearby residents.
2. The premises is licensed for Playing of Recorded Music and Late-Night Refreshment until 02.00 hours Mon to Sat and 00.00 hours Sunday, for the sale of alcohol until 02.30 Monday to Saturday and until 00.00 Sunday and to remain open until 02.30 Mon-Sat and 00.00 Sunday. This temporary licence was granted in June 2021 and remains valid until 24th September 2022.
3. The premises has now applied for this temporary licence and hours to be made permanent and I have been instructed to consider whether the four licensing objectives will be promoted if this is permitted and if there are any further conditions required.
4. I am familiar with the Bedford Street and wider West End area having observed many licensed premises in the area both as a police officer with the Clubs and Vice unit based

nearby at Charing Cross Police station and since my retirement as a licensing consultant.

5. I conducted observations at the premises and conducted an inspection on the night of Friday 10th June 2022 on separate occasions between about 21.30 hours and 02.00 hours to observe the operation and the wind-down and dispersal when the premises closed. The weather was warm, dry and mild.
6. Mr. Fogg's Society of Exploration is located at 1A Bedford Street, WC2 just off The Strand, in the lower ground floor. The area is a busy night-time economy area with pubs and bars, restaurants, theatres, and hotels all close by. The Strand and surrounding area was busy with vehicles and pedestrians during my observations. I arrived for my initial inspection at about 21.30 hours.
7. I observed the premises before approaching the entrance. At the entrance to the premises, managing the entry process, were two Door Supervisors who were correctly displaying their SIA badges and a male who appeared to be a manager and was dressed in distinctive old fashioned style clothes. There was no music or noise from the premises or customers audible above the background noise in the street.
8. I questioned the staff at the entrance about the entry requirements and style of operation of the premises. They were knowledgeable about the licence requirements at the premises explaining that they ensured the footway was kept clear to allow passers-by to walk along the pavement and to ensure no noise or nuisance was caused by customers arriving at or leaving the premises.
9. The premises implements Challenge 25 and the staff at the entrance were able to describe their actions in the event a customer appeared to be under this age.
10. The managers were conversant with the CCTV system which met or exceeded the licence requirements and was accessible via laptop or the senior managers and compliance officers phone app. This ensures that images can be easily retrieved and

shown if required by the authorities at any time and they are retained for in excess of the required 31-day period.

11. The incident log is also kept as a computer record and CCTV can be attached ensuring quick and easy access at any time by authorised staff and authorities. I viewed some incident log records that were completed to a high standard and easily retrieved.
12. The capacity at the premises is limited to 250 and this is monitored through the use of a clicker.
13. Door staff explained that customers leaving to smoke are not permitted to take their drinks with them and they were vigilant to ensure this was enforced.
14. Going into the premises it is attractively decorated and fitted out to a high standard. There are themed features such as a Victorian railway carriage, Drawing Room and Map Room and behind the bar is a mechanical mixologist/bar tender that, when operated by bar staff, dispenses a Negroni cocktail. There is a high ratio of waiting and bar staff serving customers food and drink.
15. There is a full restaurant service until 23.00 hours. After this time supply of alcohol must be ancillary to food and hot food was provided to all tables, with drinks served ancillary to this food, after 23.00 to comply with this condition. I questioned bar staff about the 'Ask for Angela' initiative, and they were conversant with this and the action they would take if this were requested by a female at the bar.
16. The CCTV is to a good standard with 20 cameras that are stored for 31 days plus. The CCTV images are available in real time and subsequently via the managers lap top and the compliance manager has access at all times via smart phone app. This appears a very up-to-date and effective system exceeding licence requirements.
17. The Compliance Manager was conversant with issues in the West End and is a member of the Safer West End partnership and has access to, and is able to circulate,

individuals of concern via the app. The premises takes part in the local pub-watch initiative. The Compliance Manager is very well informed about the operation of the premises and is well known to staff, regularly visits for supervision and staff training and is clearly well respected by all staff members.

18. Having left the premises after my initial inspection I returned at about 01.00 hours to observe the dispersal. The area around the premises was busy with people from the many premises in the area but the entrance and pavement was kept clear. There were two door supervisors as required and a manager at the door.
19. I asked how many customers remained inside and was informed there were 32, this I confirmed with my own observations when I went into the premises. There was lively music playing but at a volume that still allowed conversation. The customers were a mixture of couples and small mixed groups, seated around the premises. The atmosphere was good and relaxed with a high ratio of staff to customers.
20. From about 01.30 the lights were gradually brought up and the music volume and tempo reduced. Customers drifted away and by 02.00 the premises was empty of customers with just staff remaining who then commenced to clear up. During this wind-down period I also observed customers leaving outside the premises. They left in an orderly fashion in couples and small groups and were directed to leave in the direction of The Strand rather than heading north along Bedford Street, in accordance with the licence conditions.
21. During my inspection and later observations of dispersal I found that the premises was managed to a high standard by knowledgeable and well-trained staff. The licence conditions were complied with, and the premises had no negative impact on the surrounding area.
22. Customers leaving this premises at any time have a wide range of public transport options close by in the form of TfL tube trains and buses, cabs and private hire vehicles and the various other options such as pedal bike hire. They are not leaving a night-club style premises where they would be more likely to be hyped up and excited

having been in a loud and high tempo environment. They are leaving a very controlled environment with a good wind down and management of the egress and are unlikely to cause noise and nuisance when leaving. I did not see any leaving customers causing noise or nuisance.

Representations.

23. The premises has now benefitted from the temporary licence, permitting later than core hours, for a year since June 2021. There are no representations from members of the public and no representations that relate to issues caused by the operation of the premises.
24. The representations that have been submitted are from Environmental Health, police and Licensing Authority. These representations are made on policy grounds and 'likely' consequences and there is no evidence of any issues having been caused while the premises has operated to the extended hours by virtue of the temporary licence, or that such issues will be caused in future.

Conclusion.

25. The premises has comprehensive and up-to-date policies that meet or exceed the licence requirements and generally operates in a manner that takes advantage of latest technology and enables senior managers to constantly monitor performance, ensuring licence conditions are adhered, the premises does not impact negatively on the vicinity or the licensing objectives and to and provide information to relevant authorities if required.
26. I observed that the premises are well run and while operating to the proposed hours under a temporary licence have not have any incidents of concern to the public, residents or any of the authorities. There are a large number of conditions, 50 in total, controlling the operation of the premises and it was compliant with these conditions when I conducted my inspection and observations.

27. When questioned the staff were conversant with the licence requirements and ensured that they are complied with, for example Challenge 25 and the consumption of alcohol ancillary to food after 23.00 hours. There was good knowledge of initiatives such as 'Ask for Angela' with bar staff able to state their action if they were approached by a person making such a request.
28. I was impressed with the overall high-quality operation of the premises and the knowledge of the staff from the Compliance Manger, who was clearly involved in the day-to-day management and supervision of the premises and staff, down through the individual managers, door supervisors and to the bar staff who were aware of their roles and responsibilities and completed them diligently.
29. All licensed premises are expected to operate in a manner that promotes the licensing objectives; that in itself does not make a premises exceptional. However, I was impressed with the individual style and operation of this premises and found it operated to a high standard without incident while open outside the core Westminster hours during the temporary licence period.
30. There have been no objections to making the licence permanent from members of the public or residents. The objections that have been made are from the authorities have been on policy grounds and 'likely' outcome but with no evidence to support those concerns.
31. During my observations, the premises had no negative impact on the area or the licensing objectives. There was no noise audible from the premises, customers or vehicles and no nuisance or anti-social behaviour from those arriving or leaving. I am confident that, due to the style and operation of this premises, if this application is permitted it will not add to cumulative impact in the West End Cumulative Impact Zone and this application demonstrates exceptional circumstances to depart from that policy and permit the premises to convert the temporary licence to a permanent licence.

I understand that my duty is to the sub-committee and this report has been prepared in compliance with that duty. All matters relevant to the issues on which my expert evidence is given have been included in this report. I believe the facts I state in this report to be honest and true and that the opinions I have expressed are correct to the best of my judgment. The fee for this report is not conditional on the outcome of the case in any way whatsoever.

Adrian Studd,

Independent Licensing Consultant,

14/06/2022.

Summary of Expertise – Adrian Studd.

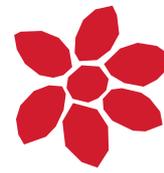
32. I retired from the police service on 2nd November 2012 having completed 31 years exemplary service with the Metropolitan Police in London. Between January 2012 and my retirement, I was employed as the Chief Inspector in charge of licensing for the London Olympic Games 2012. In this role I headed up a team of officers with responsibility for supervision of licensing compliance at all the Olympic venues, including the Olympic Park. In addition, I was responsible for ensuring that any associated events were properly licensed, sufficiently staffed and operated in accordance with the licensing legislation and best practice to ensure the safe and effective delivery of the Olympic Games. In addition to leading my team I visited and worked with both the Olympic Park management and many other venues, reviewing their policies and procedures and ensuring that the Games were delivered safely and securely. The success of this operation not only protected the reputation of the MPS but provided positive benefits for the profile of the MPS and the United Kingdom. I have been awarded an Assistant Commissioners Commendation for this work.
33. Prior to this role, between Jan 2002 and January 2012, I was employed first as an Inspector and then as a Chief Inspector on the MPS Clubs and Vice Unit (Now SCD9 Serious and Organised crime command). My responsibilities over this period focussed on licensing and included day to day supervision of the licensing team that had a London wide remit to support the Boroughs with licensing activity. Providing both Overt and Covert support for policing problem licensed premises across London. My team worked with premises when licensing issues were identified to address these problems through the use of action plans in order to raise their standards. Where this failed, I would support the Boroughs with evidence for use at review hearings if required.
34. I devised and implemented the MPS strategy 'Safe and Sound' which sought to improve the safety of customers at licensed premises by reducing violent and other

crime, in particular gun crime and the most serious violence. I also developed the Promoters Forum and risk assessment process, together these initiatives contributed to an overall reduction in violence in London of 5% and of the most serious violence and gun crime at licensed premises by 20% whilst I was there.

35. From 2004 until 2008 my role included representing the MPS and ACPO licensing lead both in London and nationally. In this role I developed key partnerships with industry, NGOs and Government departments in order to improve the standards at licensed premises. I sat on the British Institute of Innkeeping working party and helped develop the national training for Door Supervisors. I worked with the national regulator the Security Industry Authority to successfully introduce the new regime under the Private Security Industry Act 2001 within London. I sat on Government working parties and worked closely with the alcohol harm reduction team on identifying best practice and ensuring this was used both within London and nationally by police and local authorities. I worked with Government on the drafting of SEV legislation and gave evidence to the House of Commons Select Committee in 2009 on the impact of premises providing sexual entertainment.

36. I was involved with Best Bar None, a national voluntary scheme of accreditation for safe licensed premises, for a number of years and successfully helped a number of boroughs implement the initiative. I was a trained Best Bar None assessor and until my retirement sat on the Board for Best Bar None in the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea. I was also a trained assessor for Purple Flag, the national voluntary awards scheme for safe, diverse and accessible town centres. For the five years prior to my retirement, I was responsible for licensing of the Notting Hill Carnival, the largest street carnival in Europe. During this time, I contributed to a reduction in violence overall at the Carnival and delivered increased seizures of illegal alcohol, reduction of unlicensed alcohol sales and a reduction in alcohol related violence. In addition to the above I attended internal MPS training and qualification courses, I am trained in conducting health and safety risk assessments and hold the National Certificate for Licensing Practitioners, issued by the British Institute of Inn keeping.

37. Following my retirement, I established 'Clubsafe Services Ltd' to provide independent compliance support and advice for premises and events requiring a local authority licence. Since then, I have provided evidence gathering services, advice and support to a broad range of licensed premises on a variety of issues, including crime and disorder, street drinking, rough sleepers and age-related product issues. I have also provided support to bars and shops at events such as Notting Hill Carnival and provided support and advice for high profile clubs such as Fabric in London. This work has involved premises that benefit from a variety of local authority licences including alcohol on and off licences, betting premises licences and late-night refreshment. I regularly provide expert independent witness evidence at both local authority and appeal court hearings.



20 April 2022

Letter of Support for Inception Group

Inception Group is very much embedded in the West End & Mayfair community and supports key organisations that aim to enhance the economic prosperity of the area.

New West End Company is the Business Improvement District (BID) for London's West End, representing over 600 retail, hospitality, entertainment and property businesses in and around Oxford Street, Bond Street, Regent Street and Mayfair.

Inception Group work with ourselves and neighbouring Business Improvement District and they have made significant contribution through being Part of the Recruit London Initiative, offering employment opportunities to many Westminster residents across their operations, boosting candidate's confidence and enhancing their job prospects.

Inception Group takes its Corporate & Social Responsibility very seriously and we support their expansion of operations in other part of the City of Westminster.

Yours sincerely

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11/04/2022

Dear Sir / Madam,

REF: Letter of support for the Mr Fogg's Collection.

I am writing to express my support for Mr Fogg's. We have been operating in the area for 6 years and Mr Fogg has occupied the site two doors down from my premises since 2018.

The tenure of Mr Fogg's has proven to be a positive addition to the area, we have not experienced any issues or concerns with the Mr Fogg's operation. They are respectful and fully committed to not cause any disturbance or nuisance to the residents and neighbouring businesses.

Mr Fogg' is managed by experienced operators and holds high standards in their venue safety, compliance and are dedicated to promote licensing objectives.

It is great to have such considerate operators as neighbours, hence we are happy to show our support.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Rajbir S Sawhney

6th April 2022

Heart of London Business Alliance serves as the voice for 600 businesses and 100 property owners in the Piccadilly & St James's, Leicester Square & St Martins Lane areas. Our purpose is to support the commercial wellbeing of the businesses we represent, and to ensure our area remains integral to London's West End offer as a place for people to visit, live, trade and work.

We represent the most mature night-time economy area in London where over 400 million visits are made to the West End every year, with some of the world's best entertainment, culture, and hospitality, generating over £10billion in sales.

We strive for the West End to have the most varied and high-quality evening and night-time economy (ENTE) for visitors, workers, and residents.

We continue to promote a responsible night-time economy. Crime and anti-social behaviour (ASB) associated with the ENTE has been something we take seriously, and our frontline street services work closely with the Metropolitan Police and Westminster Council to ensure we create a safe environment for all to enjoy. In fact, strong partnership work and industry standards have made huge progress in this regard.

Based on their St Martins Lane venue which we know well we are satisfied to support their Licence application. Mr Fogg's who we have only known to operate considerately, respecting its neighbours. As far as we're aware there have been no complaints and have only known Mr Fogg's to be an experienced and responsible operator.

We have advised Mr Fogg's that should they be able to demonstrate sufficient operational due diligence and responsible venue management we would be able to support this licensing application in full.

- Support the Westminster Night Stars initiative
- All staff to undertake WAVE and Ask for Angela training.
- Participant on the Best Bar None Business accreditation scheme.
- Participate in our Pubwatch meetings.
- Employ SIA certified door staff.

Mr Fogg's has discussed in much detail about their plans to support the list above and we are satisfied to provide this reference as part of their license application that they are committed to ensuring sufficient operational due diligence. They have also demonstrated based on their St Martins Lane venue sufficient operational due diligence and responsible management so we would be happy to support this application.

We are grateful for the opportunity to be able to submit this submission in support of Mr Fogg's License application and are happy to provide any further assistance if required.

Yours sincerely

Robin Hibbert – Director of Company Operations
Heart of London Business Alliance

Armin Loetscher
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London
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To whom it may concern,

This is a letter of support for Mr Fogg's.

My name is Armie Loetscher. I have resided at my address many years and have seen a few changes of operations at 48 Newman Street.

Since 2018 when Mr Fogg's House of Botanicals moved into the property, there have been no issues or concerns. I've not encountered any nuisance from the operation nor from their clientele. Unlike other establishments which attract a loud and aggressive crowd and impose considerable noise pollution especially over the weekends; Mr Fogg's visitors have always been well mannered in their noise levels. I can concur that the establishment is respectful to both the local residents and the neighbouring area.

They have a good management team who is committed to ensuring safety to the area as well as not to cause any disturbance or inconvenience, I myself have never needed to escalate a complaint and to my best recollection neither have my neighbours. On occasion you can witness the management teams conversing with local residents, addressing any feedback and concerns to help mitigate any negativity. They've always been helpful, positive and polite during interactions.

I can conclude that Mr Fogg's is a very positive addition to the area and I offer both my recognition and support for all of their future endeavours and means for expansion and development.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you need any further information.

Yours faithfully,
Armin Loetscher

14 June 2022

Andrew Wong
Keystone Law Limited
48 Chancery Lane
London
WC2A 1JF

Our ref: 22061058

Dear Mr Wong

**Re: Mr Fogg's Society of Exploration, 1A Bedford Street, WC2E 9HD,
& Mr Fogg's Tavern, 58 St Martin's Lane, WC2N 4EA.**

Thank-you for forwarding the application papers for these two sites. Although I am familiar with both sites and their surrounding areas I carried out unannounced visits last week in anticipation of you requiring a comment from me. I can confirm that both sites were operating normally and were managed at a level that did not give me any concerns regarding noise.

The Inception Group operates six Mr Fogg's sites across London and has a further five themed premises. I have been providing guidance on the assessment and control of noise to the Group since 2014. Over the years I have advised on noise management measures for the various sites and these apply industry best-practice combined with practical experience of operating these successful premises. My records show the last noise incident that I dealt with at Mr Fogg's Tavern was in February 2016 when I provided guidance on the attenuation of noise from the cellar lift compressor. This plant noise matter was resolved and it appears that both sites have traded with no significant noise impact for some time.

I am confident that the buildings themselves contain internal noise, and operational policies are in place to manage noise from deliveries and servicing, use of outside spaces, and patron end-of-evening dispersal. The style of these two premises is neither noisy in terms of a requirement for high sound levels for amplified music, or in attracting large numbers of vertical drinkers and boisterous clientele that can be problematic to disperse at the end of the evening. As such these are relatively low-impact licensed premises in terms of noise.

It is my professional opinion that the operation of the premises has been tested under the temporary licence and not found to increase noise levels in the area, or have any negative impact on the licensing objective of the prevention of public nuisance.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Richard Vivian', with a horizontal line underneath.

Richard Vivian BEng(Hons) MIET MIOA MIOL
Director, Big Sky Acoustics Ltd

Licence & Appeal History – Premises Licence 20/00229/LIPDPS

Application	Details of Application	Date Determined	Decision
05/10572/LIPC	Conversion	05.10.2005	Granted under delegated authority
06/04810/LIPT	Transfer – Maurice Huggett to Ford and Friends Ltd	14.06.2006	Granted under delegated authority
07/00736/LIPDPS	Variation of designated premises supervisor	22.01.2007	Granted under delegated authority
17/03733/LIPT	Transfer – Ford and Friends Ltd to Legal And General Assurance (Pensions Management) Limited	27.06.2017	Granted under delegated authority
17/10495/LIPVM	Minor Variation – Change of layout	28.09.2017	Granted under delegated authority
18/00425/LIPT	Transfer – Legal And General Assurance (Pensions Management) Limited to Bedford Street Bar Ltd	07.03.2018	Granted under delegated authority
18/01178/LIPDPS	Variation of designated premises supervisor	21.05.2018	Granted under delegated authority
18/09431/LIPDPS	Variation of designated premises supervisor	31.08.2018	Granted under delegated authority
18/10182/LIPRW	Removal of works condition	10.09.2018	Granted under delegated authority
19/04191/LIPDPS	Variation of designated premises supervisor	13.06.2019	Granted under delegated authority
19/06429/LIPDPS	Variation of designated premises supervisor	14.06.2019	Granted under delegated authority
19/11347/LIPDPS	Variation of designated premises supervisor	27.09.2019	Granted under delegated authority
20/00229/LIPDPS	Variation of designated premises supervisor	27.01.2020	Licence surrendered
20/04234/LIPN	New premises licence	24.09.2020	Granted by Licensing Sub Committee
21/05025/LIPDPS	Variation of designated premises supervisor	14.06.2021	Granted under delegated authority

There is no appeal history

Temporary Event Notices	Date of Event	Activities/Hours	Decision
21/08023/LITENP	30.08.2021	Regulated Entertainment, Late night refreshment and Supply of Alcohol – 00:00 to 03:00	Event permitted
21/12465/LITENP	15.11.2021	Regulated Entertainment, Late night refreshment and Supply of Alcohol – 00:00 to 02:30	Event permitted
21/12866/LITENP	04.12.2021 to 05.12.2021	Regulated Entertainment, Late night refreshment and Supply of Alcohol – 02:30 to 03:30	Event permitted
21/12871/LITENP	11.12.2021 to 12.12.2021	Regulated Entertainment, Late night refreshment and Supply of Alcohol – 02:30 to 03:30	Event permitted
21/12872/LITENP	18.12.2021 to 19.12.2021	Regulated Entertainment, Late night refreshment and Supply of Alcohol – 02:30 to 03:30	Event permitted
22/03372/LITENP	18.04.2022	Regulated Entertainment, Late night refreshment and Supply of Alcohol – 00:00 to 03:30	Event permitted

CONDITIONS CONSISTENT WITH THE OPERATING SCHEDULE AND CONDITIONS PROPOSED BY A PARTY TO THE HEARING

When determining an application for a new premises licence under the provisions of the Licensing Act 2003, the licensing authority must, unless it decides to reject the application, grant the licence subject to the conditions which are indicated as mandatory in this schedule.

At a hearing the licensing authority may, in addition, and having regard to any representations received, grant the licence subject to such conditions which are consistent with the operating schedule submitted by the applicant as part of their application, or alter or omit these conditions, or add any new condition to such extent as the licensing authority considers appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives.

This schedule lists those conditions which are consistent with the operating schedule, or proposed as appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives by a responsible authority or an interested party as indicated. These conditions have not been submitted by the licensing service but reflect the positions of the applicant, responsible authority or interested party and have not necessarily been agreed

Conditions: On Current Licence -

Mandatory:

1. No supply of alcohol may be made at a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of this licence.
2. No supply of alcohol may be made at a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or the personal licence is suspended.
3. Every supply of alcohol under this licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.
4.
 - (1) The responsible person must ensure that staff on relevant premises do not carry out, arrange or participate in any irresponsible promotions in relation to the premises.
 - (2) In this paragraph, an irresponsible promotion means any one or more of the following activities, or substantially similar activities, carried on for the purpose of encouraging the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises—
 - (a) games or other activities which require or encourage, or are designed to require or encourage, individuals to;
 - (i) drink a quantity of alcohol within a time limit (other than to drink alcohol sold or supplied on the premises before the cessation of the period in which the responsible person is authorised to sell or supply alcohol), or
 - (ii) drink as much alcohol as possible (whether within a time limit or otherwise);
 - (b) provision of unlimited or unspecified quantities of alcohol free or for a fixed or discounted fee to the public or to a group defined by a particular characteristic in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;

- (c) provision of free or discounted alcohol or any other thing as a prize to encourage or reward the purchase and consumption of alcohol over a period of 24 hours or less in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
 - (d) selling or supplying alcohol in association with promotional posters or flyers on, or in the vicinity of, the premises which can reasonably be considered to condone, encourage or glamorise anti-social behaviour or to refer to the effects of drunkenness in any favourable manner;
 - (e) dispensing alcohol directly by one person into the mouth of another (other than where that other person is unable to drink without assistance by reason of a disability).
5. The responsible person must ensure that free potable water is provided on request to customers where it is reasonably available.
6. (1) The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.
- (2) The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licence must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.
- (3) The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either—
- (a) a holographic mark, or
 - (b) an ultraviolet feature.
7. The responsible person must ensure that—
- (a) where any of the following alcoholic drinks is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises (other than alcoholic drinks sold or supplied having been made up in advance ready for sale or supply in a securely closed container) it is available to customers in the following measures—
 - (i) beer or cider: ½ pint;
 - (ii) gin, rum, vodka or whisky: 25 ml or 35 ml; and
 - (iii) still wine in a glass: 125 ml;
 - (b) these measures are displayed in a menu, price list or other printed material which is available to customers on the premises; and
 - (c) where a customer does not in relation to a sale of alcohol specify the quantity of alcohol to be sold, the customer is made aware that these measures are available.

A responsible person in relation to a licensed premises means the holder of the premise licence in respect of the premises, the designated premises supervisor (if any) or any individual aged 18 or over who is authorised by either the licence holder or designated premises supervisor.

For premises with a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity that which enables him to prevent the supply of alcohol.

8(i) A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.

8(ii) For the purposes of the condition set out in paragraph 8(i) above -

(a) "duty" is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979;

(b) "permitted price" is the price found by applying the formula -

$$P = D+(D \times V)$$

Where -

(i) P is the permitted price,

(ii) D is the amount of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and

(iii) V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol;

(c) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence -

(i) the holder of the premises licence,

(ii) the designated premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or

(iii) the personal licence holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence;

(d) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and

(e) "value added tax" means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994.

8(iii). Where the permitted price given by Paragraph 8(ii)(b) above would (apart from this paragraph) not be a whole number of pennies, the price given by that sub-paragraph shall be taken to be the price actually given by that sub-paragraph rounded up to the nearest penny.

8(iv). (1) Sub-paragraph 8(iv)(2) below applies where the permitted price given by Paragraph 8(ii)(b) above on a day ("the first day") would be different from the permitted price on the next day ("the second day") as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax.

(2) The permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.

9. All persons guarding premises against unauthorised access or occupation or against outbreaks of disorder or against damage (door supervisors) must be licensed by the Security Industry Authority.

Annex 2 – Conditions consistent with the operating Schedule

None

Annex 3 – Conditions attached after a hearing by the licensing authority

10. Substantial food and non-intoxicating beverages shall be available throughout the permitted hours in all parts of the premises where alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises.
11. Notices shall be prominently displayed at exits requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to leave the premises and the area quietly.
12. Notices shall be prominently displayed at any area used for smoking requesting patrons to respect the needs of local residents and use the area quietly.
13. No entertainment, performance, service, or exhibition involving nudity or sexual entertainment shall be provided except under the authority of a Sexual Entertainment Venue licence pursuant to the Local Government Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1982 as amended.
14. All staff engaged outside the entrance to the premises, or supervising or controlling queues, shall wear high visibility yellow jackets or vests or distinctive uniform that is easily identifiable (e.g. butler's uniform/top hat/tails). SIA must wear the approved SIA registered identification.
15. During busy times door staff shall ensure that the footway outside is not obstructed by the venue's customers
16. There shall be no payment made by or on behalf of the licence holder to any person for bringing customers to the premises directly off the street.
17. All door staff employed at the venue shall be accredited to the Security Industry Authority
18. No noise shall emanate from the premises nor vibration be transmitted through the structure of the premises which gives rise to a nuisance.
19. No waste or recyclable materials, including bottles shall be moved, removed or placed in outside areas between 23:00 hours and 07:00 hours.
20. No deliveries to the premises shall be arranged between 23:00 and 07:00 hours.
21. All waste shall be properly presented and placed out for collection no earlier than 30 minutes before the scheduled collection times.
22. All windows and external doors shall be kept closed after 23:00 hours, except for the immediate access and egress of persons.
23. Any special effects or mechanical installations shall be arranged and stored so as to minimise any risk to the safety of those using the premises. The following special effects will only be used on 10 days prior notice being given to the Licensing Authority where consent has not previously been given:-
 - a) dry ice and cryogenic fog (except for food presentations)
 - b) smoke machines and fog generators
 - c) pyrotechnics including fire works

- d) firearms
- e) lasers
- f) explosives and highly flammable substances.
- g) real flame (except for candles)
- h) strobe lighting.

24. No person shall give at the premises any exhibition, demonstration or performance of hypnotism, mesmerism or any similar act or process which produces or is intended to produce in any other person any form of induced sleep or trance in which susceptibility of the mind of that person to suggestion or direction is increased or intended to be increased.

NOTE: (1) This rule does not apply to exhibitions given under the provisions of Section 2(1A) and 5 of the Hypnotism Act 1952.

25. The approved arrangements at the premises, including means of escape provisions, emergency warning equipment, the electrical installation and mechanical equipment, shall at all material times be maintained in good condition and full working order.

26. The means of escape provided for the premises shall be maintained unobstructed, free of trip hazards, be immediately available and clearly identified in accordance with the plans provided.

27. All exit doors on designated escape routes shall be available at all material times without the use of a key, code, card or similar means.

28. All self-closing doors shall be effectively maintained and not held open other than by an approved device.

29. The edges of the treads of steps and stairways shall be maintained so as to be conspicuous.

30. Curtains and hangings shall be arranged so as not to obstruct emergency signs.

31. The certificates listed below shall be submitted to the Licensing Authority upon written request.

- a) Any emergency lighting battery or system
- b) Any electrical installation
- c) Any emergency warning system.

32. The air conditioning units operating within the premises must be switched off when licensable activities have ceased for the day.

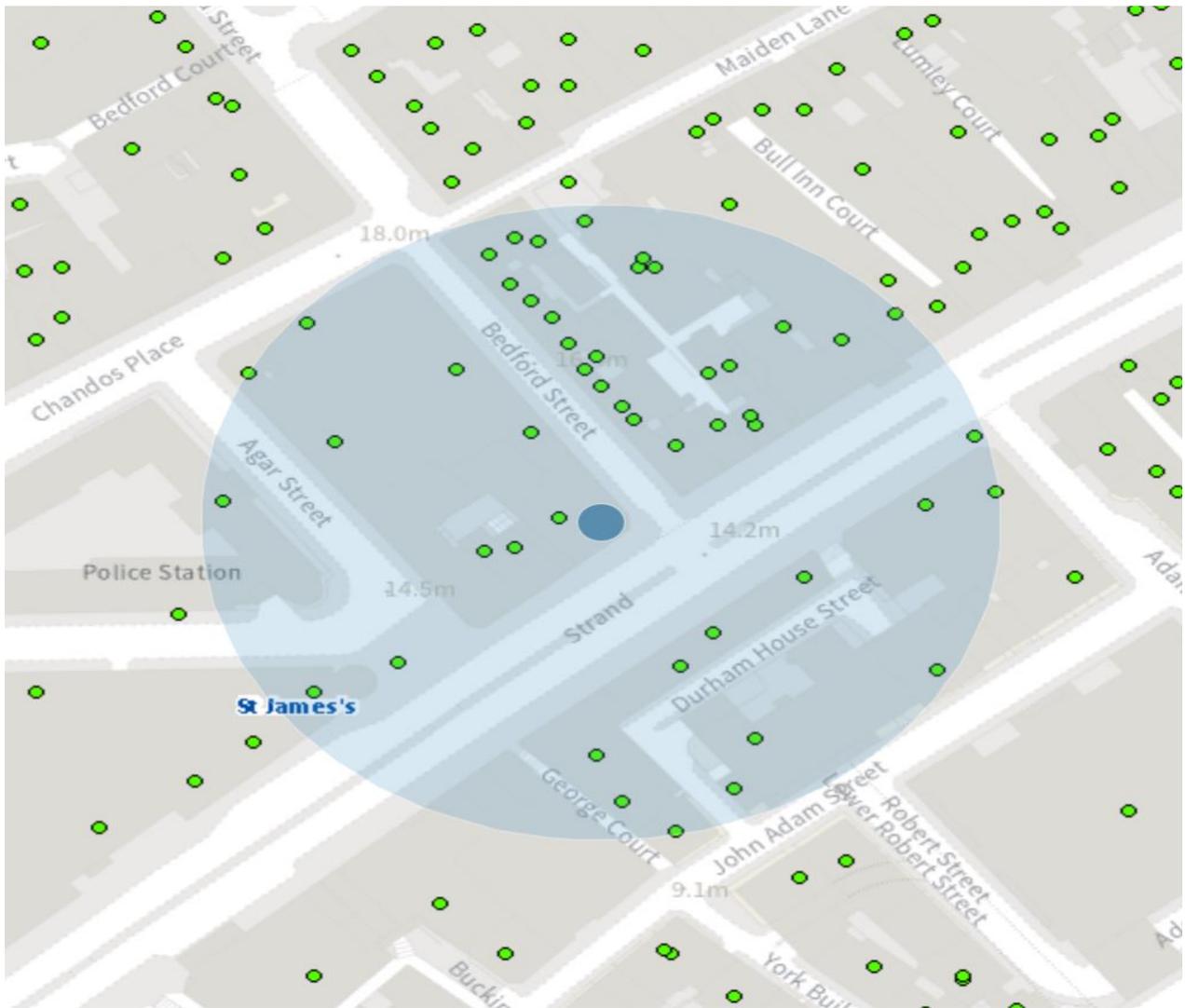
33. A noise limiter must be fitted to the musical amplification system set at a level determined by and to the satisfaction of an authorised officer of the Environmental Health Service, so as to ensure that no noise nuisance is caused to local residents or businesses. The operational panel of the noise limiter shall then be secured by key or password to the satisfaction of officers from the Environmental Health Service and access shall only be by persons authorised by the Premises Licence holder. The limiter shall not be altered without prior agreement with the Environmental Health Service. No alteration or modification to any existing sound system(s) should be effected without prior knowledge of an authorised Officer of the Environmental Health Service. No additional sound generating equipment shall be used on the premises without being routed through the sound limiter device.

34. The premises will operate a Dispersal Policy and all relevant staff will be trained in its Implementation. At a minimum it will include the requirement that customers will be encouraged to disperse via the Strand and not North along Bedford Street.
35. The premises will operate a Policy regarding the management of the outside area and all relevant staff will be trained in its implementation. At a minimum it will include the requirement that customers outside the premises, whether queuing or smoking, will be managed in such a way that they do not cause a nuisance, including by way of noise or by restricting movement along the footway.
36. The premises shall only be permitted to carry out licensable activities after midnight if it operates as a Phileas Fogg themed lounge and wine bar.
37. The terminal hour for Licensable Activities authorised by this licence shall be 02:00 Monday to Saturday and 00:00 on Sundays until the 24 September 2022 upon which the terminal hours will reduce to 00:00 Monday to Saturday and 23:30 on Sundays unless this condition is otherwise removed or varied by a subsequent variation application.

The applicant is seeking to remove condition 37

38. The premises shall install and maintain a comprehensive CCTV system as per the minimum requirements of the Westminster Police Licensing Team. All entry and exit points will be covered enabling frontal identification of every person entering in any light condition. The CCTV system shall continually record whilst the premises are open for licensable activities and during all times when customers remain on the premises. All recordings shall be stored for a minimum period of 31 days with date and time stamping. Viewing of recordings shall be made available immediately upon the request of Police or authorised officer throughout the entire 31-day period.
39. A staff member from the premises who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system shall be on the premises at all times when the premises are open. This staff member must be able to provide a Police or authorised council officer copies of recent CCTV images or data with the absolute minimum of delay when requested.
40. A Challenge 25 proof of age scheme shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are recognised photographic identification cards, such as a driving licence, passport or proof of age card with the PASS Hologram.
41. An incident log shall be kept at the premises and made available on request to an authorised officer of the City Council or the Police. It must be completed within 24 hours of the incident and will record the following:
 - (a) all crimes reported to the venue
 - (b) all ejections of patrons
 - (c) any complaints received concerning crime and disorder
 - (d) any incidents of disorder
 - (e) all seizures of drugs or offensive weapons
 - (f) any faults in the CCTV system, searching equipment or scanning equipment
 - (g) any refusal of the sale of alcohol
 - (h) any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.
42. There shall be a minimum of (2) SIA licensed door supervisors after 10:00 pm until 30 mins past close on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. At all other times the management must complete a written risk assessment to be kept at the venue and made available on request of Police or authorised officials from Westminster City Council.
43. There shall be no sales of hot food or hot drink for consumption off the premises after 23.00 hours.

44. For the period in which the terminal hour for licensable activities is provided until 02:00 Monday to Saturday there shall be no admittance or re-admittance to the premises after 01:00 hours except for patrons permitted to temporarily leave the premises to smoke.
45. Patrons permitted to temporarily leave and then re-enter the premises, e.g. to smoke, shall not be permitted to take drinks or glass containers with them.
46. There shall be no sales of alcohol for consumption off the premises after 23.00 hours.
47. The supply of alcohol shall be ancillary to food after 23:00 hours.
48. All sales of alcohol for consumption off the premises shall be in sealed containers only and shall not be consumed on the premises.
49. The number of persons accommodated at the premises (excluding staff) shall not exceed 250.
50. No licensable activities shall take place at the premises until premises licence 20/00229/LIPDPS (or such other number subsequently issued for the premises) has been surrendered and is incapable of resurrection.



Resident count: 130

Licensed premises within 75m of 1A Bedford Street London WC2E 9HD				
Licence Number	Trading Name	Address	Premises Type	Time Period
20/00229/LIPDPS	Bedford And Strand	1A Bedford Street London WC2E 9HD	Wine bar	Sunday; 12:00 - 00:00 Monday to Saturday; 10:00 - 00:30
15/03758/LIPN	The Whisky Exchange	2 Bedford Street London WC2E 9HD	Shop	Sunday; 10:00 - 22:30 Monday to Saturday; 08:00 - 23:00

19/14676/LIPV	Not Recorded	50 Bedford Street London WC2E 9HA	Hotel, 3 star or under	Monday; 00:00 - 00:00 Tuesday; 00:00 - 00:00 Wednesday; 00:00 - 00:00 Thursday; 00:00 - 00:00 Friday; 00:00 - 00:00 Saturday; 00:00 - 00:00 Sunday; 00:00 - 00:00
19/14898/LIPT	Garfunkels Restaurants	Basement To Ground Floor 419 - 420 Strand London WC2R 0PT	Restaurant	Sunday; 12:00 - 00:00 Monday to Saturday; 10:00 - 00:30
21/07321/LIPDPS	Not Recorded	419 - 420 Strand London WC2R 0PT	Restaurant	Sunday; 12:00 - 22:00 Monday to Saturday; 11:00 - 23:00
19/00356/LIPN	Kalamaki Street Greek	Basement And Ground Floor 49 Bedford Street London WC2E 9HA	Restaurant	Monday to Sunday; 11:00 - 23:00
21/03825/LIPDPS	Pizza Hut	59 Strand London WC2N 5LR	Restaurant	Sunday; 12:00 - 00:00 Monday to Saturday; 10:00 - 00:30
18/14542/LIPDPS	Carbon (Bedford Street)	46 Bedford Street London WC2E 9HA	Restaurant	Sunday; 11:00 - 23:00 Monday to Thursday; 11:00 - 23:00 Friday to Saturday; 11:00 - 00:00
12/09819/LIPVM	The Port House	417 Strand London WC2R 0PD	Restaurant	Sunday; 12:00 - 00:00 Monday to Saturday; 10:00 - 00:30
21/09030/LIPN	Shadow Licence	Ground Floor 6 Bedford Street London WC2E 9HZ	Restaurant	Sunday; 12:00 - 00:00 Monday to Thursday; 10:00 - 00:30 Friday to Saturday; 10:00 - 01:30

21/00270/LIPCH	TGI Fridays	Ground Floor 6 Bedford Street London WC2E 9HZ	Restaurant	Sunday; 12:00 - 00:00 Monday to Thursday; 10:00 - 00:30 Friday to Saturday; 10:00 - 01:30
17/08375/LIPT	Strand Tandoori	45 Bedford Street London WC2E 9HA	Not Recorded	Sunday; 12:00 - 00:00 Monday to Sunday; 10:00 - 00:30
20/11850/LIPN	Z Hotels Strand, Heathcock Court, 415 Strand	Ground Floor Rear 1 Heathcock Court London WC2R 0NT	Hotel, 4+ star or major chain	Sunday; 09:00 - 22:30 Monday to Thursday; 09:00 - 23:03 Friday to Saturday; 09:00 - 00:00 Sundays before Bank Holidays; 09:00 - 00:00
21/06831/LIPDPS	Bella Italia	Unit 5 65-72 Strand London WC2N 5LR	Restaurant	Sunday; 12:00 - 00:00 Monday to Saturday; 10:00 - 00:30
20/10533/LIPCH	Retro Bar	2 George Court London WC2N 6HH	Public house or pub restaurant	Sunday; 12:00 - 23:00 Monday to Saturday; 10:00 - 23:30
17/14664/LIPDPS	Ping Pong	23 - 24 Maiden Lane London WC2E 7NP	Restaurant	Sunday; 12:00 - 00:00 Monday to Saturday; 10:00 - 00:30
14/06782/LIPVM	The Porterhouse Public House	21-22 Maiden Lane London WC2E 7NA	Restaurant	Sunday; 12:00 - 23:00 Monday to Saturday; 09:00 - 00:30
18/07773/LIPN	Royal Society Of Arts	Royal Society Of Arts 8 John Adam Street London WC2N 6EZ	Office	Monday to Sunday; 08:00 - 22:00
22/01142/LIPDPS	Byron	409 - 410 Strand London WC2R 0NS	Restaurant	Sunday; 12:00 - 23:00 Monday to Thursday; 12:00 - 23:30 Friday to Saturday; 12:00 - 00:00

17/09999/LIPV	Bakery Covent Garden	Basement And Ground Floor 6 - 7 Chandos Place London WC2N 4HU	Cafe	Not Recorded; XXXX - XXXX
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