
Subject:	Highways Act 1980 – Section 115E – The Bar, 152 High Street, Deal
Meeting and Date:	Regulatory Committee – 19 April 2022
Report of:	Rebecca Pordage, Licensing Manager
Classification:	Unrestricted

Purpose of the report: Permission to site street furniture on the highway

1. Summary

The regulation of the placing of tables and chairs on a highway is a statutory function of the Council under the Section 115E, of the Highways Act 1980.

2. Introduction and Background

2.1 Sarah Cox has applied for a Street Furniture permit to allow the placement of 3 tables and 6 chairs outside The Bar, 152 High Street, Deal. The applicant has requested they be placed between 14:00hrs to 20:00hrs every day.

2.2 A copy of the application form and an email from the applicant giving some additional information is shown at **Appendix A**. A plan of the proposal and some photographs of the frontage of the bar and the type of furniture is shown at **Appendix B**. A map of the area can be found at **Appendix C**.

2.3 As part of the consultation process views have been sought from local businesses, Kent Highway Services, Police, Town Council, Fire Service, Planning, and other internal departments within Dover District Council as appropriate, and none have made representation. The application was also advertised at the site by way of a Notice and copies were delivered to nearby frontagers.

2.4 One representation was received in respect of this application (see **Appendix D**), as follows:

Peter Greensmith objects as he states that the noise outside is unbearable with people standing outside with their pints and shouting. He says that he has to clear up cigarette ends and urine and his window ledge is used as a chair.

3 Options available to the Committee:

- (1) To allow the application as applied for
- (2) To allow the application but with additional conditions
- (3) To reject the application.

Appendices

Appendix A – Application form

Appendix B – Plan of the proposed siting and photos

Appendix C – Map of the area

Appendix D - Representation

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