

**RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY RESPONSE TO LICENSING APPLICATIONS**

**RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY – Children’s Services.**

<b>Name of Applicant</b>	20 K J Convenience store
<b>Premises</b>	The Green, Abertysswg, Rhymney, NP22 5AA

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<b>Which of the four Licensing Objectives does your representation relate to?</b>	
<b>The Prevention of Crime and Disorder</b>	
<b>Public Safety</b>	
<b>The Prevention of Public Nuisance</b>	
<b>The Protection of Children from Harm</b>	✓

<b>Please outline the reasons for your Representations</b>
<p>Kajanthan Nagaratnam is seeking a license for the sale of alcohol by way of sales at KJ Convenience Store.</p> <p>The applicant has provided some conditions at the application stage that will promote the licensing objectives for the protection of children from harm. However, children’s services would suggest the following wording is adopted to strengthen the application.</p>

<b>What conditions could be added to the licence to remedy your representation that the Licensing Sub-Committee could take into account</b>	<p><b>SAO1</b> All staff/members who serve alcohol to be trained in the prevention of underage sales to a level commensurate with their duties. All such training to be updated as necessary, for instances when legislation changes, and should include training on how to deal with difficult customers. The training should be clearly documented and signed and dated by both the trainer and the member of staff receiving it. The documentation shall be available for inspection on request by an authorised officer of the Licensing Authority or a constable.</p>
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	<p><b>SA02</b> (a) An approved proof of age scheme shall be adopted, implemented and advertised within the premise such as 'Challenge 25' whereby an accepted form of photographic identification shall be requested before any alcohol is sold to any person who appears to be under 25 years of age. Acceptable proof of age shall include identification bearing the customers photograph, date of birth and integral holographic mark or security measure. Suitable means of identification would include PASS approved proof of age card, photo-card driving licence and passport.</p> <p><b>SA06</b> All staff with a responsibility for supplying or selling alcohol shall be vigilant in preventing adults buying alcohol on behalf of persons who are under 18 and will refuse such sales where they suspect that this may be about to occur.</p>
<p><b>Are you prepared to discuss these representations with the applicant by way of mediation?</b></p>	<p>Yes.</p>

**N.B.** If you make a representation you will be expected to attend the Licensing Sub-Committee and any subsequent appeal proceeding.

Please remember if you intend to make representations to copy this file to all other RA's