

HEDDLU GWENT POLICE

OBJECTION NOTICE - TEMPORARY EVENT NOTICE

S. 104 LICENSING ACT 2003

Where a chief officer of police who receives a copy notice under subsection (1) is satisfied that allowing the premises to be used in accordance with the notice would undermine one or more of the licensing objectives, he must give a notice stating the reasons why he is so satisfied (an "objection notice")-

- (a) to the relevant licensing authority, and
- (b) to the premises user.

The objection notice must be given no later than **3 Working Days** after the chief officer of police is given a copy of the temporary event notice under subsection (1).

Date TEN Received: 19/04/18

(Must be at least 10 working days before event for **TEN**, 5-9 working days for **Late TEN**)

Time TEN Received: 14:56

Location of Event: Bedwelty House and Park, Morgan Street, Tredegar, NP22 3XN

Date of Proposed Event: 04/05/18 – 05/05/18

Premises User Name and Address: Steven HUGHES (26 Fields Road, Tredegar) submitting for a DJ event by DJ Dan NEWMAN

Circumstances to Objection to the undermining of the Licensing Objective(s):

The above application was received today. Gwent Police formally object to this event taking place on the grounds of all 4 Licensing Objectives, namely Prevention of Crime & Disorder, Public Nuisance, Public Safety & Prevention of Children from Harm.

Whilst a TEN has been submitted, at this moment in time we do have concerns in relation to the organisation of this event and the potential detrimental effect it could have in the area. It is recommended that the Safety Advisory Group (SAG) is informed of such an event.

The concerns of Gwent Police are as follows:

The event is advertised as a 'secret event' on Facebook that mentions only 100 people will be allowed entry into the event by ticket only. However many more people have 'liked' it or said they are 'going'. The location of the event is announced to the ticket holders on the day of the event. What is preventing them from telling other people about the location and then many more people turning up? What are the parking provisions for potentially 100 cars?

There needs to be more information on the TEN application in relation to the ID of minors who may try and gain access and purchase alcohol as well as the prevention of proxy sales.

The location of the event is inside the building but what is stopping others from accessing the grounds during the event and causing problems?

Restricted When Completed

The event is scheduled to end at 03:00 hours. This is a very late time with 100 people (and potentially associates) filtering out of the venue and heading into Tredegar town centre which is only a very short walk away. This has the potential for disorder.

At this time we believe that the event organiser and the applicant attend a SAG hearing to address the above concerns and any other concerns that may arise in the interim from the other responsible authorities.

Many thanks and kind regards,

Authorising Officer: PC 531 Simon AUSTIN
Gwent Police Licensing & Harm Prevention
Ystrad Mynach Police Station

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