

## **POLICY ON LICENSING OF LATE HOURS CATERING PREMISES**

### **PREMISES IN CITY CENTRE**

At its meeting on 5<sup>th</sup> September 2013, the Licensing Committee adopted a new policy for the licensing of late hours catering premises in Dundee City Centre. **The policy states that premises will generally be allowed to remain open until 0330hrs Mondays to Sundays.** The geographical area to which this applies is as shown on the attached map. (*The Committee also decided that any existing premises with closing times outwith the policy would be allowed to retain these hours provided the business remains in the ownership of the current licence holder. Should these businesses change hands, then any new applicant would be subject to the policy unless they can convince the Committee not to apply the policy in their case.*)

### **PREMISES OUTWITH CITY CENTRE**

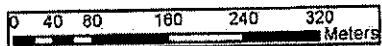
For premises outwith the City Centre, the Committee decided the following at its meeting on 26<sup>th</sup> August 2014 – **that late hours catering premises should close no later than midnight Sundays to Thursdays and 0100 hrs Friday/Saturday.** The Committee also decided that the following categories of premises be considered as general exemptions from this policy-

- supermarkets and superstores (other food shops can apply on a case-by-case basis for inclusion in this exempt category);
- petrol station/filling station shops;
- “drive-thru” outlets; and,
- existing premises with hours outwith the policy which remain under their current ownership (*as in the City Centre policy outlined above*).

For the purposes of the policy outwith the City Centre, the definition of “*supermarket*” is the same as contained in the Dundee Local Development Plan 2014, namely, “*single level self-service store selling mainly food, with a trading floorspace of 500 – 2 500 square metres, often with its own car park*” and similarly “*superstore*” means “*single level self-service store selling mainly food, or food and non-food goods, with in excess of 2 500 square metres floorspace with dedicated car parking at surface level*”.



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## Proposed City Centre Late Hours Catering Extension