

APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE TO BE GRANTED
UNDER THE LICENSING ACT 2003

If you wish to make representations in relation to this application, please do so in writing by midnight on the 25.01.2026 to the following address:

**London Borough of Croydon
Streets and Environmental Department, Licensing Team,
3rd Floor, Zone B
Bernard Weatherill House
8 Mint Walk
Croydon, CR0 1EA**

Or by email to: licensing@croydon.gov.uk

It is an offence to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with an application. The maximum fine on summary conviction for such an offence is unlimited.

New Premises Licence

Premises Details

Premises Address *

65 CHURCH STREET CROYDON CROYDON CR0 1RH

Telephone number at premises (if any)

Non-domestic value of premises. *

£ 3000

Applicant Details

I/We apply for a premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below (the premises) and I/we are making this application to you as the relevant licensing authority in accordance with section 12 of the Licensing Act 2003.

Please state whether you are applying for a premises licence as:

a person other than an individual -as a limited company/
limited liability partnership

Applicant Details

If you are applying as a person described in one of the above please confirm: *

I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves the use of the premises for licensable activities; or

Other Applicant (Non Individual)

Name *

Fresh Oriental Foods Express Ltd (Trading as: Wu's Dumpling Express)

Registered Address *

65 church street

Town/City *

croydon

Other Applicant (Non Individual)

County	
Postcode *	CR0 1RH
Registered Number (where applicable)	
Description of applicant (for example partnership, company, unincorporated association, etc) *	Company (Private Limited Company)
Telephone Number	
Email *	

Operating Schedule

When do you want the premises licence to start? *	15/01/2026
If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, when do you want it to end?	
Please give a general description of the premises. *	<p>The premises is a ground-floor restaurant and takeaway unit trading as Wu's Dumpling Express, located at 65 Church Street, Croydon, CR0 1RH. The premises comprises a customer seating and service area at the front and a fully equipped kitchen and food preparation area to the rear. Alcohol will be sold ancillary to food and consumed on the premises by seated customers only. The business operates as a food-led restaurant and not as a bar or late-night drinking venue. A Designated Premises Supervisor (DPS) holding a valid Personal Licence will be in place at all times when alcohol is sold. The premises is managed by trained staff and operated in compliance with all relevant licensing, health and safety, and food hygiene regulations.</p>
If 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend.	

Operating Schedule

What licensable activities do you intend to carry on from the premises? * (Please see sections 1 and 14 of the Licensing Act 2003 and Schedules 1 and 2 to the Licensing Act 2003)
Provision of regulated entertainment (please read guidance note 2) *
<input type="checkbox"/> Plays

Operating Schedule

- Films
- Indoor Sporting Events
- Boxing or Wrestling
- Live Music
- Recorded Music
- Performances of Dance
- Anything of a similar description falling under Music or Dance
- Provision of late night refreshment
- Supply of Alcohol

Late Night Refreshment Standard Times

Standard days and timings, where you intend to use the premises for late night refreshment.(please read guidance note 7) *

Please enter times in 24hr format (HH:MM)

Day *

Every Day

12:00

23:00

Late Night Refreshment

Will the provision of late night refreshment take place indoors or outdoors or both? (please read guidance note 3) *

Indoors

Please provide further details.(please read guidance note 4)

Late night refreshments will be provided indoors only at the premises. Customers will consume food and drink while

Late Night Refreshment

State any seasonal variations for the provision of late night refreshment.(please read guidance note 5)

Please state any non-standard timings, where you intend to use the premises for late night refreshment at different times from the Standard days and times listed?(please read guidance note 6)

seated. All food is prepared and served in accordance with food hygiene and health & safety regulations. No outdoor service or consumption of alcohol is permitted.

There is no seasonal variation in the provision of late night refreshments. The premises operates year-round with the same hours and service arrangements.

There are no non-standard operating hours; late night refreshments are provided only during standard operating hours of 12:00–23:00, Monday to Sunday.

Supply of Alcohol Standard Times

Standard days and timings, where you intend to use the premises for the supply of alcohol. (please read guidance note 7)*
Please enter times in 24hr format (HH:MM)

Day *

Every Day

12:00

23:00

Supply of Alcohol

Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption on premises or off premises or both? (please read guidance note 8) *

Is the premises used exclusively or primarily for supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises? *

State any seasonal variations for the supply of alcohol. (please read guidance note 5)

Please state any non-standard timings, where you intend to use the premises for the supply of alcohol at different times from the Standard days and times listed?(please read guidance note 6)

On the premises

Yes

There is no seasonal variation in the provision of late night refreshments. The premises operates year-round with the same hours and service arrangements.

There are no non-standard operating hours; late night refreshments are provided only during standard operating hours of 12:00–23:00, Monday to Sunday.

Designated Premises Supervisor

State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as designated premises supervisor
(Please see declaration about the entitlement to work in the checklist at the end of the form)

Title *

Mrs

Designated Premises Supervisor

First name *

Surname *

Street address *

Town/City *

County

Postcode *

Personal Licence Number (if known)

Issuing Licensing Authority (if known)

Adult Entertainment

Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 9).

The premises does not provide any adult entertainment, services, or activities. There is no entertainment or other matter ancillary to the use of the premises that could give rise to concern in respect of children. The premises operates as a family-friendly food-led restaurant and takeaway business.

Opening Hours Standard Times

Standard days and timings, where the premises are open to the public. (please read guidance note 7) * Please enter times in 24hr format (HH:MM)

Day *

Opening Hours

Opening Hours

State any seasonal variations. (please read guidance note 5)

There is no seasonal variation in the provision of late night refreshments. The premises operates year-round with the same hours and service arrangements.

Please state any Non-standard timings, where you intend the premises to be open to the public at different times from the Standard days and times listed? (please read guidance note 6)

There are no non-standard operating hours; late night refreshments are provided only during standard operating hours of 12:00–23:00, Monday to Sunday.

Licensing Objectives

Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General - all four licensing objectives (b, c, d and e)
(please read guidance note 10) *

The premises will be operated in a responsible and professional manner to promote all four licensing objectives:

b) The prevention of crime and disorder *

Alcohol will only be served to seated customers. Staff are trained in responsible alcohol service. A refusals log will be maintained to record any attempts by underage or intoxicated individuals. CCTV is installed to monitor the premises.

c) Public safety *

The premises complies with all fire safety regulations and health & safety requirements. Emergency exits are clearly marked and accessible. Staff are trained in fire safety and first aid procedures.

d) The prevention of public nuisance *

Customers are seated when consuming food and alcohol; no loud music will be played. Waste is regularly collected and disposed of responsibly to prevent litter. The premises will operate within the stated hours of 12:00–23:00, minimizing disturbance to neighbours.

e) The protection of children from harm *

A Challenge 25 policy will be implemented; alcohol will not be sold to anyone under 18. Staff are trained in age verification procedures. No adult entertainment or activities will take place on the premises.

Declarations

Declaration Type *

Sole Applicant - Individual or Other

Declarations

I have uploaded a copy of the plan of the premises. I have uploaded a copy of the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be designated premises supervisor, if applicable. I understand I must now advertise my application. I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected. Applicable to all individual applicants, including those in partnership which is not a limited liability partnership, but not companies or limited liability partnerships I have included documents demonstrating my entitlement to work in the United Kingdom (please read note 15)

Declarations

IT IS AN OFFENCE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION. THOSE WHO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT MAY BE LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE OF ANY AMOUNT. IT IS AN OFFENCE UNDER SECTION 24B OF THE IMMIGRATION ACT 1971 FOR A PERSON TO WORK WHEN THEY KNOW, OR HAVE REASONABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE, THAT THEY ARE DISQUALIFIED FROM DOING SO BY REASON OF THEIR IMMIGRATION STATUS. THOSE WHO EMPLOY AN ADULT WITHOUT LEAVE OR WHO IS SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS AS TO EMPLOYMENT WILL BE LIABLE TO A CIVIL PENALTY UNDER SECTION 15 OF THE IMMIGRATION, ASYLUM AND NATIONALITY ACT 2006 AND PURSUANT TO SECTION 21 OF THE SAME ACT, WILL BE COMMITTING AN OFFENCE WHERE THEY DO SO IN THE KNOWLEDGE, OR WITH REASONABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE, THAT THE EMPLOYEE IS DISQUALIFIED.

Signature/Declaration of applicant or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (see Guidance Note 11 & 12). If signing/applying on behalf of the applicant, please state your name and in what capacity you are authorised to sign/apply. When submitting an on-line application form the 'Declaration made' checkbox must be selected.

I understand I am not entitled to be issued with a licence if I do not have the entitlement to live and work in the UK (or if I am subject to a condition preventing me from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity) and that my licence will become invalid if I cease to be entitled to live and work in the UK (please read guidance note 15).

The DPS named in this application form is entitled to work in the UK (and is not subject to conditions preventing him or her from doing work relating to a licensable activity) and I have seen a copy of his or her proof of entitlement to work, if appropriate (please see note 15).

Full Name *

Date *

Capacity *

Declaration made

Do you wish to provide alternative correspondence details? *

Alternative Correspondence

Please provide Contact Name and postal address for correspondence associated with this application.

Title

First name

Surname

Street address *

Alternative Correspondence

Town/City *

County

Postcode *

Telephone Number

Email *

Email confirmation

On submission an email confirmation will be sent using the details below

Forename

Surname /Company Name

Email *

Telephone