

PARISH OF ST BRELADE

PARISH ASSEMBLY

Minutes of an Assembly of Principals and Electors of the Parish of St Brelade held at the Parish Hall, St Aubin, St Brelade on Thursday 29 May 2014 commencing at 19.00 hours.

**President of
Assembly:**

Connétable, Mr Steve Pallett, presided.

**Convening
Notice:**

The Convening Notice was read by the Parish Secretary.

**Minutes of
Previous
Assembly:**

The minutes of the previous Assembly of Principals and Electors of the Parish of St Brelade held on Tuesday 1 April 2014, were adopted, and signed, following a proposition by Mr Peter Norman, which was seconded by Mr Michael Jackson.

Licensing:

In accordance with Article 5 (1) of the Licensing (Jersey) Law, 1974, as amended, the following application was considered for recommendation to the Licensing Assembly:

Name:	La Belle Gourmande Ltd
Categories:	3 rd Category (Restaurant)
Secretary:	Nigel Arnold Huelin
Address:	La Belle Gourmande Surrey House Charing Cross St Brelade

The Connétable explained that all reports had been obtained. N V Bate Associate engineers report commented that the 3rd Category licence application applies to the basement of the premises. That the upper floors of the building are residential. The premises were in good order and are clearly well looked after. With regard to noise it was reported that with the dining to be carried out in the basement the chance of noise affecting residents of the building is minimal, however the premises should still be run in a careful and considerate manner. The area surrounding the premises is leisure oriented with other restaurants and public houses.

Health and Social Services reported that the condition of the premises were found to be satisfactory although the degree of sanitary accommodation is presently insufficient for their figures as 1 – 60 persons require one female and one male

water closet and wash hand basin.

Jersey Fire and Rescue reported several lighting, signage and other requirements and the property assessed for the occupancy of 15 persons.

The Connétable then invited Miss Sophie Huelin to advise the Assembly of the reason for the application.

Miss Huelin the Director of the Deli stated that in the last 18 months the Deli had grown in its popularity. Customers had suggested that it would be nice to sit in with their food from what was described as a basic menu and be able to enjoy a glass of wine.

Miss Huelin advised that there would be a maximum of 15 covers, with a menu consisting of food which is already sold in the Deli such as cheese platters, charcuteries, antipasti, tapas etc.

She had spoken with the Licensing Unit who were happy that there was no bar proposed. The Health Department had also been spoken to regarding the sanitary requirement and were satisfied that other properties had overcome the situation as public facilities were nearby.

The Connétable asked if there were any questions from the floor. There were no questions or comments.

Recommendation of the application to the Licensing Assembly was proposed by Mr David Baker, seconded by Mr Robert Jones and following a vote by a show of hands was supported by 11 votes in favour with no members of the Assembly voting against.

The Connétable advised the Assembly that the Licensing Bench was to be held on the 19 June, however as there were no questions asked, no members of the Assembly were permitted to speak at the Assembly.

All voting was by a show of hands.

In thanking the remaining 11 persons for their attendance the Connétable declared the meeting closed at 19.10 hours.

Signed: _____

Steve Pallett
Connétable

Dated: _____