

**GENERAL MARKET
SEVERN SIDE SOUTH, BEWDLEY
CONDITIONS**

1 Licensed Traders

- 1.1 A licensed trader is a stallholder who has registered annually with the Bewdley Development Trust, and who has been allocated a reserve pitch for each market day within the licensed period, which shall be a period determined by the Trust.
- 1.2 The rights and obligations conferred and imposed by the Licence are personal to the named licensed traders, referred to hereafter as the Licensee and shall not be assigned, sold or parted with in any manner whatsoever.

2 Market conditions

- 2.1 Market traders must undertake:-
- a to pay the said stallage charges as directed by the Bewdley Development Trust;
 - b to observe and perform all the statutes and byelaws relating to the Market and the market rules and regulations from time to time made by the Bewdley Development Trust for the management of the Market;
 - c to permit the authorised officers or servants of the Bewdley Development Trust to examine the condition of any stall erected on the stallage space;
 - d not to display or store goods outside the lines showing the outer limits of the stall, nor to have any part of the erected stall protruding outside the marked boundary of the stall;
 - e to use the said stallage space in a businesslike manner and not to do or allow to be done anything which, in the opinion of the Bewdley Development Trust, may cause a nuisance or annoyance to the public or to the occupiers of neighbouring stalls or which may be detrimental to the Market;
 - f not to attract persons by pitching or hand selling goods by elevating himself upon a platform or upon anything raised above the floor level of the Market area or by using audio or mechanical means unless authorised by the Bewdley Development Trust. Such authorisation may be granted subject to specified conditions;

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- g to observe the opening and closing times, and not to enter the Market or allow contractors to enter for the purpose of storing or for the purpose of commencing the erection of stalls at times other than those authorised by the Bewdley Development Trust;
 - h to switch off the engine of any vehicle while discharging or loading goods to the Market;
 - i not to bring into the Market any electricity generating equipment or heating and lighting systems used in conjunction with his/her stall which shall not have been approved beforehand by the Bewdley Development Trust or an authorised representative, and all fuel for such systems shall be carried in appropriate containers of no more than 3 litres capacity to be approved by the Bewdley Development Trust or an authorised representative, and they shall remove forthwith from the Market all other dangerous inflammable liquids or substances which shall be a fire risk upon being requested to do so by the Bewdley Development Trust;
 - j not to bring any dogs, cats or any other animals or birds into the Market whether as pets or for sale;
 - k not to erect any stalls or place any goods or equipment on the said stallage space or any part of the Market the day preceding Market Day or before 7.00am on the Market Day;
 - l to give evidence of identification to the Bewdley Development Trust if called upon to do so of him/her self and any person employed by him/her in the Market;
 - m to conform to statutory standards of fair-trading. Allegations of unfair trading will be referred to the appropriate Trading Standards Department. Substantiated complaints shall be deemed to be a breach of the licence.
 - n to dispose of litter and all other refuse in such manner and in such places as may from time to time be directed by the Bewdley Development Trust;
- 2.2 No Market Stall shall be in excess of 10 metres in length, and shall not have a depth in excess of 2.5 metres, unless the Bewdley Development Trust has provided appropriate consent, and applied any necessary additional charge.
- 2.3 All lorries, vans cars and similar vehicles, other than those specifically allowed to remain on the Market by written consent of the Bewdley Development Trust must be unloaded immediately prior to

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commencement of business and removed from the Market before 8.45am and not returned until 4.00pm. The only exception to this rule is due to adverse weather conditions or in a case of emergency and this will be at the discretion and with the approval of the Bewdley Development Trust.

- 2.4 No large vehicles(s) may block the avenues and cause inconvenience to other stallholder, shopkeepers or members of the public or will be allowed on the Market area, and the trader concerned must make other arrangements for unloading and loading such vehicles.
- 2.5 All stalls are to close and trading must cease by 4.00pm and all stall vehicles, materials etc. must be removed from the market immediately afterwards.
- 2.6 The Licensee must at all times insure himself and any other person employed by him on the market against liability to the public and any liability reasonably foreseeable in the course of his trade to the minimum sum of £2,000,000 or such higher figure as may from time to time be prescribed.
- 2.7 As often as may be necessary during the Market Day to cause litter and all other refuse to be removed from the licensed stallage area so as to prevent the accumulation of such litter and refuse in the licensed stallage area.
- 2.8 The sale of dangerous weapons is prohibited.
- 2.9 Acupuncture, ear piercing, tattooing or electrolysis will not be permitted from any stall within the Bewdley Development Trust's Market.
- 2.10 No radio, loudspeaker or other audio equipment is to be played or broadcast before 09.00 am, from any stall or vehicle or otherwise within the permitted Market area.
- 2.11 Between the hours of 09.00 am and 4.00 pm, audio equipment should be set at a volume so as to cause no annoyance or nuisance to the public or owners/occupiers of adjoining or neighbouring premises.
- 2.12 Traders shall not use for the purposes of erecting/securing stalls, any street furniture, including seats, flower beds, lampposts, trees or any other structure within the permitted market area.
- 2.13 The sale of any foodstuffs in the Market is subject to the provisions of The Food Hygiene (Market, Stalls and Delivery Vehicles) Regulations 1966 or any amendment thereto or re-enactment thereof. Further information as to such requirements can be obtained from the Wyre Forest District Council's Director of Planning and Regulatory Services.

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- 2.14 Bewdley Development Trust shall have the right to temporarily suspend the holding of the market in the event that the land is temporarily required for an alternative purpose or in the event that the holding of the market would conflict with the holding of another event in the town.
- 2.15 The conditions that form part of this document are subject to change, and may be reviewed at anytime, at the discretion of the Bewdley Development Trust.