# **ROTHERHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL - REPORT TO MEMBERS**

1.	Meeting:	Licensing Board
2.	Date:	16 February 2011
3.	Title:	Determination of Licensing Issues - House to House Collections
4.	Programme Area:	Neighbourhoods and Adult Services

# 5. Summary

This report concerns applications made for proposed House to House collection Promoters permits in or about the Borough of Rotherham.

Where a person who is promoting, or proposes to promote, a collection in any locality for a charitable purpose makes an application to the authority for the area in the prescribed manner specifying the purpose of the collection and the locality within which the collection is to be made, and furnishes them with the prescribed information, the authority shall, subject to the provisions of the act, grant to them a licence authorising them to "promote" a collection within that locality for that purpose.

"Promoter" means, in relation to a collection, a person who causes others to act as collectors for the purposes of the collection.

#### 6. Recommendations

THAT MEMBERS INFORM THE LICENSING OFFICER OF THEIR DECISION ON EACH CASE.

### 7. Proposals and Details

The following application for a promoters permit has been received by the Licensing Office for consideration of a House to House collection:-

1. Charity/Charitable Purpose: <u>Tree of Hope – Charity Reg. 1043092</u>

Permit Applicant V Stanikunas – (Manager for Alra Clothing Ltd)

Permit Collection Area Whole Area of Borough

Collection Dates/times February 2011 to 31 December 2011

Further details and the application for this permit, are attached at "Appendix A" of this report.

Should the licence be granted at the hearing any permit would only run from the date the Members of the board approve the grant to the requested expiry date unless otherwise granted by members.

### 8. Finance

Permits for House to House collections in or about the Borough of Rotherham are provided free of charge to applicants. Any relating enforcement and other matters of application processing are financed through the authority's normal budgeting methods.

#### 9. Risks and Uncertainties

Failure to consider each application to the extent that members feel necessary to satisfy themselves they have reached a reasoned decision could lead to inappropriate collections being made within the Borough.

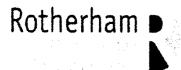
# 10. Policy and Performance Agenda Implications

The granting of House to House permits is consistent with the Corporate Plan and community strategy as it ensures the deliver under the themes of a Safer and Fairer Rotherham; also ensuring that the Council continues to maintain its statutory functions and undertakes appropriate enforcement to support the delivery of safe communities in Rotherham.

# 11. Background Papers and Consultation

Applications received, as detailed in section 7 of this report and associated appendices.

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# **Neighbourhood and Adult Services**

# <u>Application for a House to House Collections Permit</u>

House to House Collections Act 1939
House to House Collections Regulations 1947 (as amended)

Grant For office use only				
Date				
Fee	Free of Charge			
Permit number				

Use this form to apply for a house to house promoters collection permit. The licence will allow you to authorise collectors to collect from door to door for charitable purposes only. No collection for a charitable purpose may be made in the locality unless the applicant is an appropriately licensed promoter by this authority, or holds an exemption granted by the Secretary of State from obtaining a licence from this authority.

The attention of applicants for licences under the House to House Collections Act 1939 is drawn to Paragraph 4 of the House to House Collections Regulations 1947 (as amended) made by the Secretary of State on the 12 December 1947. This paragraph provides that ordinarily an application for licence shall be made not later than the first day of the month preceding that in which it is proposed to commence the collection.

### Data Protection Act, 1998

I understand that RMBC is required to use information provided by me to carry out cross system and cross authority comparisons for the prevention and detection of fraud or crime. I understand that information I have provided may be used in this way or for connected purposes, and that this information may also be shared with certain third parties who administer or protect public funds. We may use the information you have provided in this form to carry out checks to prevent and detect fraud or crime. We may alsouse the information share the inf in this way or for connected purposes, and we may also share the information with certain other people or organisations who manage handle or protect public funds. By signing this application, you are agreeing to us using your information in this way.

Please answer all the questions on this form in BLOCK CAPITALS and in ink.

Applicants personal details (Promoter)				
Your Title (Mr, Mrs	s, Miss and so on):  \[ \rac{\gamma\Q}{}			
Surname: 5	TANIKUNAS First names: VYTAUTAS			
Home Address	225 BRISCOE LANE MANCHESTER			
	MANCHESTER			
	Post code M40 2 ST			
E-mail address:	INFO@ALRACLOTHING.60.44 Home phone number: 08443814720			
	Mobile phone number: 07586425275			
Any other sumamon have used in the				

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Previous Addresses in the last 5 years					
(use another piece of paper if needed)					
Post code					
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Details of Society/Organisation Responsible for Collection					
Name of Society/Organisation to conduct the collection $ALRA$ $CLOTHING$ $LTD$ .					
Address of the 225 BRISCOE LANE					
Society/Organisation MAN CHESTER					
Post code M40 25T					
E-mail address: INFO@ALRACLOTHING.CO.Uk Contact phone number: 0844 381 4720					
Mobile phone number: 07586 425275					
Are you a member or employee of this Society/Organisation YES No Member Employee / Both					
If YES, please state your position within the Society/Organisation MANAGER					
If NO, you must supply a letter, with this application form, from the Society/Organisation to benefit from the collection and which is authorising you to organise collections on their behalf.					
Licensing history					
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Objective/aims of the Society/Charity/Fund to benefit from the proceeds of this collection.  Please attach recent literature, & accounts etc.				
Is the Society/Charity/Fund a registered charity  Yes  No  Registered Charity  Number 1043092				
Collection Details - Continued				
Over what parts of the licensing area is it proposed that collections will be made?  ALL ROTHERHAM BOROUGH				
Over what periods in the year (dates & times) is it proposed that collections will be made?  FEB 2011 - DEC 2011  Saam - 4.20 pm.				
How many collectors will be permitted to make these collections				
Is it proposed to collect money  Yes  No				
Is it proposed to collect other types of property  Yes  No				
If Yes, what type(s) of property will be collected SECOND HAND CLOTHES, SHOES ETC				
Is it proposed to Sell, Give Away, or Use this property  Sell Give Away Use				
Are applications being made for licences for collections for the same purposed in other areas  Yes  No				
If Yes, which other licensing authorities  ALL NORTH WEST ENGLAND COUNCILS				
How many collectors will be permitted to make these collections				
Will these collectors be the same collectors as those you intend to use in this authority  Yes  No				
Is it proposed to promote this collection in conjunction with a street collection  Yes  No				
If Yes, is it proposed to combine wholly or in part the accounts or submit separate accounts  Combined accounts  Separate accounts				
If the collection is for a War Charity, state if the charity has been registered or exempted from registration under the War Charities Act 1940, and give the name of the registration authority and date of registration or exemption in the box below.				
Proceeds of Collections Details				
Are the whole of the receipts to be paid over to the Society/Charity/Fund  Yes  No				
If NO, please state the purposes for which deductions will be made MAINTENANCE, RENT AND BUSINESS SURVINAL				
Please state how much will be deducted for expenses or other purposes 75%				
Is it proposed to use some of the proceeds for the remuneration of any persons Yes No				

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If YES; is it to Colle	ctors Yes	No	is it to Othe	r Persons Ye	es No
Please state details, how much will be deducted, for what reasons and if applicable what "other persons"					
Applicants "Cri	ninal Records'	history reques	st		
Convictions, Caution In this box list any con Act 1974". If you have	victions you may have	e which are not consi	dered as "spent" witi	h in the terms of	the "Rehabilitation of Offenders
Are you waiting to he	ar about any prose	cutions or other acti	ions of any type, p	ending against	you? Yes No
If 'Yes' please give d	etails in this box.				
If known, name of co hearing the case:	urt			If known dat	te of court / / hearing:
Have you ever been convicted of any criminal offence, or received any police cautions, warnings or reprimands? (If you have answered YES to this question give details in the box below)					
Date of conviction(s)	De	tails of Offence(s) a	nd Conviction(s)		Sentence Or Penalty
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Declaration					
I am aware that should a House to House Collection Licence be granted to me the collection must take place in strict compliance with the House to House Regulations, which I have read and fully understand. I am aware that it is also necessary for me to submit a certified form of statement within 28 days of the collection taking place.  In pursuance of Section 2 of the House to House Collections Act 1939, I hereby apply for a licence allowing me to promote the collection, of which particulars are given in this form.  My Signature  Date form signed by me					
For office use only					
Date form received in Licensing Office		Refer to licensing board for consideration	Yes  No	Date of Board Meeting Heari application	ng
		Decision of Licensing Board	Grant L	Comments:	

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NEIGHBOURHOOD

12 JAN 2011

SERVICES

Registered Charity No: 1043092

10th December 2010

To whom it may concern,

The TREE of HOPE offers 'HOPE' to the families of Sick

<u>UK</u> Children who need

Specialist Medical Surgery, Treatment and Therapy
in order to free them from suffering, giving a better Quality to their

young Lives.

Reg. No. 1043092

We can confirm that Alra Clothing Ltd of 225 Briscoe lane, Manchester M40 2ST have a contract with us to collect second clothing and will be making us a donation of £2000 per month.

Best wishes

Jeremy Marris

Finance and Administration Officer



The Regulator for Charities in England and Wales

1043092 - THE TREE OF HOPE CHILDREN'S CHARITY

DUE DOCUMENTS RECEIVED

# **Charity overview**

# **Activities**

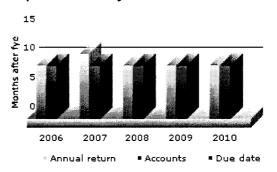
HELPING UK CHILDREN FIND APPROPRIATE TREATMENTS FOR CONDITIONS NOT NORMALLY GIVEN BY THE NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE

# **Financial history**

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# **Compliance history**



# **Financial summary**

Financial year end (FYE)	Income	Spending	Accounts received	Annual Return/Annual Update received
31 Mar 2010	£82,453	£49,727	23 Dec 2010	24 Dec 2010
31 Mar 2009	£32,270	£17,745	14 Dec 2009	14 Dec 2009
31 Mar 2008	£15,840	£25,755	13 Dec 2008	13 Dec 2008
31 Mar 2007	£25,289	£28,074	12 Dec 2007	21 Feb 2008 (21 days late)
31 Mar 2006	£28,628	£11,943	28 Dec 2006	28 Dec 2006

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#### Contact & trustees

# Contact

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Tel: 01424 224656

Email: cgardener@treeofhope.org.uk Website: www.treeofhope.org.uk

### Charity trustees

MRS CORINNE GARDNER MR JASON GARDNER MRS JEANNIE PONTET MRS ANTONIA CHITTY

MRS DAWN FOWLER MR SCOTT BURNS MR ALASTAIR HAZELL MRS JOANNE BAZNEH

# **Charity framework**

### Date of registration

05 Jan 1995

# Other names

- THE TREE OF HOPE (Old Name)
- THE TREE OF HOPE CHILDRENS CHARITY (Working Name )

# Governing document

CONSTITUTION ADOPTED 9 DECEMBER 1994 AND AMENDED 1ST APRIL 2004.

# Charitable objects

THE RELIEF OF SICK CHILDREN PARTICULARLY BUT NOT EXCLUSIVELY THOSE RESIDENT IN THE UNITED KINGDOM BY PROVIDING OR ASSISTING IN THE PROVISION OF GRANTS TO ENABLE THEM TO OBTAIN MEDICAL TREATMENT WHICH WOULD NOT OTHERWISE BE AVAILABLE TO THEM, AND IN SUCH OTHER WAYS AS THE COMMITTEE HEREINAFTER CONSTITUTED SHALL DETERMINE.

# Classification

# What

- THE ADVANCEMENT OF HEALTH OR SAVING OF LIVES
- DISABILITY

#### Who

- CHILDREN/YOUNG PEOPLE
- PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

#### How

• MAKES GRANTS TO ORGANISATIONS

#### Area of benefit

NOT DEFINED IN PRACTICE EAST SUSSEX

# Where the charity operates

THROUGHOUT ENGLAND AND WALES
 SCOTLAND

Note: This report is compiled from public information that the Charity Commission holds on the Register of

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