

## Off-licence in Brick Lane Prosecuted under the Licensing Act 2003

An off-licence in Brick Lane was prosecuted by the London Borough of Tower Hamlets for selling alcohol past their licensed hours. Mohammed Shilu Chowdhury pleaded guilty and fined the total of £430 including costs and Victim Surcharge. The case was heard on the 1<sup>st</sup> June 2017 at Thames Magistrates' Court.

Tower Hamlets Licensing Officers visited Cost Price at 41 Brick Lane and found them selling alcohol past their permitted hours. Under the Licensing Act 2003, the sale by retail of alcohol without a licence is a criminal offence.

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