

**Licensing Act 2003 – Application for a new Premises Licence**

**'The Gin Tub'**  
**10 High Street, Worthing, BN11 1NU**

**Report by the Director for Communities**

**1. Recommendation**

- 1.1 That a Sub Committee of Licensing & Control Committee “B” consider and determine the application made on behalf of :

**Brighton Bars Ltd.**

for a new Premises Licence to authorise the sale of alcohol, the provision of regulated entertainment and the sale of late night refreshment.

**2. Reasons for Hearing**

- 2.1 The application has been the subject of formal representation by a responsible authority and 6 members of the public and it therefore falls to this sub-committee to determine.

**3. Background**

- 3.1 An application was made on behalf of Brighton Bars Ltd. to the Licensing Authority, Worthing Borough Council, on 11 August 2022 for the grant of a new premises licence.
- 3.2 The application was made after the applicant secured the use of part of an established licensed premises.
- 3.3 The premises at 10 High Street has been a licensed premises for many years and traded under a premises licence [REDACTED] This licence covered the main cocktail

bar known as 'Ten Cocktail Bar' and a smaller adjoining unit known as the 'Craft Alehouse'

- 3.4 In May 2022 the premises was acquired by a new operator Saints & Sinners Bar & Club Ltd. who transferred the licence into their name and are intending to operate the cocktail bar under the name 'Saints & Sinners Bar' and are investing in a full refurbishment of the premises.
- 3.5 As part of their business model the 'ale house' is being let out to another independent operator, Brighton Bars Ltd., to be run as a completely separate business. As an independent company, rather than run the new business under the existing licence held by Saints & Sinners Bar & Club Ltd., Brighton Bars Ltd. considers it prudent and good practice to hold their own premises licence for the new separate bar they are in the process of opening. Hence this application.
- 3.6 10 High Street is an old church building that was converted into a public house over 30 years ago. Situated on the eastern side of High Street it comprises two separate but adjoining 2 floor units.
- 3.7 The road is a busy mainly commercial street running from Little High Street to the Steyne and is designated as part of the A259. There are now some residential dwellings and accommodation in what was formerly an office block next door to the premises and there are residential dwellings above some of the neighbouring shops and behind the building in Elm Road.
- 3.8 High Street contains a large multi storey car park which is situated directly opposite the licensed premises which is part of the Guildbourne shopping centre. There are a number of bars and restaurants in the vicinity.
- 3.4 Attached to the report are:
- A plan & photos of the area (Appendix A)
  - A plan of the site (Appendix B)
  - A copy of the application (Appendix C)
  - The representations made by the Responsible Authority (Appendix D)
  - The representations received from the public (Appendix E)
  - Details of the mediation conducted (Appendix F)

#### **4. The Application**

- 4.1 The Application is attached at Appendix C. However, in summary, the application is seeking authorisation for:

The sale of alcohol for consumption on the premises, the provision of late night refreshment and the provision of regulated entertainment in the form of live & recorded music.

- Sale of alcohol:
  - 11:00 hrs to 01:00 hrs (of the following morning) Monday - Wednesday
  - 11:00 hrs to 02:00 hrs (of the following morning) Thursday - Sunday

- Late Night Refreshment:
  - 23:00 hrs to 01:00 hrs (of the following morning) Monday - Wednesday
  - 23:00 hrs to 02:00 hrs (of the following morning) Thursday - Sunday
- Live Music:
  - 18:00 hrs to 23:00 hrs Monday - Sunday incl.
- Recorded Music:
  - 11:00 hrs to 01:00 hrs (of the following morning) Monday - Wednesday
  - 11:00 hrs to 02:00 hrs (of the following morning) Thursday - Sunday
- Opening to the Public:
  - 11:00 hrs to 01:00 hrs (of the following morning) Monday - Wednesday
  - 11:00 hrs to 02:00 hrs (of the following morning) Thursday - Sunday

4.2 As recommended by the Guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003 the applicant has completed an operating schedule as to how it is intended to address the Licensing Objectives if this application were granted.

4.3 The proposed designated supervisor (DPS) is Miss Francesca Green who has a Personal Licence issued by Brighton & Hove City Council.

## 5. Promotion of the Licensing Objectives

5.1 The Licensing Act 2003 and regulations require that the Council, as local licensing authority, carries out its functions with a view to promoting the four licensing objectives:

- the prevention of crime and disorder;
- public safety;
- the prevention of public nuisance;
- the protection of children from harm.

5.2 In carrying out its licensing functions, the licensing authority must also have regard to the Guidance issued by the Secretary of State and its own Statement of Licensing Policy. Members are advised that the following sections of the Worthing Borough Council's Policy may be particularly relevant to consideration of this matter, though of course the Policy in its entirety must be considered. Sections indicated relate to paragraph numbers in the Policy itself:

### ***Prevention of Crime & Disorder***

4.8 *The Council places huge importance on the prevention of crime and disorder. A high standard of control is, therefore, expected to be exercised over licensed premises.*

4.10 *In accordance with Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 the Council is under a duty to exercise its functions with due regard to the likely effect on, and the need to do all it reasonably can to prevent, crime and disorder in its areas. The possible crime and disorder implications are clearly relevant factors in the consideration of all applications and this is re-emphasised by the Licensing Act 2003 itself, the Guidance issued under section 182 to the Act and this policy. The Council will give "due regard" to all possible implications and its Licensing &*

*Control Committee will always consider all the information available and relevant representations made, including those from interested parties and the responsible authorities, particularly the Police.*

- 4.11 *In their role as a responsible authority, Sussex Police are an essential source of advice and information on the impact and potential impact of licensable activities in the borough, particularly on the crime and disorder objective. The police have a key role in managing the night-time economy and usually have good working relationships with those operating in the local area. The council recognises that Sussex Police are the licensing authority's main source of advice on matters relating to the promotion of crime and disorder, but may also be able to make relevant representations with regards to the other licensing objectives if they have evidence to support such representations. The Council will accept all reasonable and proportionate representations made by the police unless the authority has evidence that to do so would not be appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives. However, it remains incumbent on the police to ensure that their representations can withstand the scrutiny to which they would be subject at a hearing.*
- 4.16 *The Licensing Authority recognises that the Licensing Act is not the primary mechanism for the general control of nuisance and anti-social behaviour by individuals once they are away from licensed premises. Nonetheless, it is a key aspect of such control and licensing law will always be part of a holistic approach to the management of the evening and night time economy in town centres.*

#### **Prevention of Public Nuisance**

- 4.24 *Licensed premises, especially those operating late at night and in the early hours of the morning, can cause a range of disturbances impacting upon people living, working or sleeping in the vicinity of the premises or wider afield.*
- 4.25 *Noise disturbance can arise from entertainment or activities held within licensed premises and also from people or motor vehicles outside licensed premises. The Council will expect Operating Schedules to address these issues. Advice and guidance can be obtained from Licensing Officers or the Council's Environmental Protection Team. If representations are received the Council may utilise appropriate conditions to control noise disturbance and the use of such conditions will depend upon the activities/entertainment/hours of operation proposed; the nature of the locality; and existing background noise levels and ambient noise levels. Noise control conditions may include the satisfactory sound insulation of licensed premises; compliance with maximum noise levels; and limiting hours of operation.*
- 4.26 *When addressing public nuisance the applicant should initially identify any particular issues (having regard to their particular type/construction of their premises, proposed activities and nature of locality) which are likely to adversely affect the promotion of the objective to prevent public nuisance. Such steps as*

*are required to deal with these identified issues should be included within the applicant's Operating Schedule.*

- 4.27 *Anti-social behaviour such as excessive noise from access and egress or patrons littering should also be addressed in the Operating Schedule.*

### **DEMAND, SATURATION & HOURS**

- 6.1 *In accordance with the Government's guidance the Council recognises that demand is not a relevant criterion in considering an application under the Act.*
- 6.4 *Consideration will be given to imposing stricter conditions in respect of noise control where premises are situated in mainly residential areas. This will particularly apply in circumstances where, having regard to the location, size and nature of the licensed premises, it is likely that disturbance will be caused to residents in the vicinity of the premises, or its environs, by concentrations of people either present or leaving during normal night-time sleeping periods (23.00hrs to 07.00hrs).*

### **SPECIFIC CONSIDERATIONS**

#### **Alcohol – On & Off Sales**

- 7.1 *It is now a mandatory condition that all licence holders selling alcohol put in place an age verification policy for the premises. In some circumstances the Licensing Authority will impose, where necessary to promote the Licensing Objectives, implicit conditions on the checking of the age of those who appear under 21 or 25 to ensure that alcohol is not sold to those under 18 years of age.*
- 7.2 *Licence holders need to have sufficient day to day control of operations at their premises. They will be held responsible for breaches of the licence and ensuring there is adequate staffing and training. The authorities will continue to use young people for the 'test purchasing' of alcohol and CCTV evidence, which has proved its usefulness in prosecutions for unlawful sales of alcohol. The likely consequences of a Review of licence for underage sales include the imposition of additional conditions such as the attendance of a personal licence holder, licence suspensions and in some cases revocation to act as deterrence.*

## **6. Consultation**

- 6.1 The application has been subject to the statutory consultation and statutory public advertisement arrangements in accordance with the provisions of the Act, in respect of which relevant representations were received from the following:
- Responsible Authorities
    - Sussex Police
  - Other Persons
    - 6 from members of the public

## **7. Relevant Representations**

- 7.1 Detail of the relevant representation received is reproduced at Appendices D & E. They are considered to relate to the statutory licensing objectives as follows:
- Prevention of Crime & Disorder
  - Prevention of Public Nuisance
- 7.2 Sussex Police made a number of comments and listed a number of conditions that they consider are required to enable this premise to meet the licensing objectives if members were of a mind to grant a licence.
- 7.3 Worthing Pubwatch highlighted the importance of membership of Pubwatch to address crime & disorder issues in and around licensed premises.
- 7.4 Five further representations were received from the public expressing concerns regarding possible crime & disorder, anti-social behaviour and public nuisance implications that can be associated with alcohol sales. These are relevant to the Licensing Authority's consideration. Some of the information included in the representations, whilst of a serious nature, is regarded as not relevant to this licensing application. This includes representations regarding the activities at 'Ten Cocktail Bar', local demand for another bar, local amenity and other planning issues etc. and these should not be considered. However, the representations have been reproduced in their entirety and it is for members to carefully decide how much weight, if any, should be attached to some of the information included.
- 7.5 The applicant and all those that made relevant representations have been formally notified of this hearing and invited to attend.

## **8. Mediation**

- 8.1 The Licensing Act 2003 encourages mediation.
- 8.2 Sussex Police expressed some concerns regarding the application and sought a number of conditions to address the licensing objectives. These have now been successfully mediated with the applicant, Brighton Bars Ltd., agreeing that if a licence were to be granted the following conditions would be placed on any licence as enforceable conditions of licence in addition to those included in the operating schedule.

### *Prevention of Crime and Disorder:*

- *Digital CCTV and appropriate recording equipment to be installed in accordance with Home Office Guidelines relating to UK Police Requirements for Digital CCTV System (PSDB Publication Number 09/05), operated and maintained throughout the premises internally and externally to cover all public areas, including the entrance to the premises. The system shall be on and recording at all times the premises licence is in operation.*

- *The CCTV cameras and recording equipment must be of sufficient quality to work in all lighting levels inside the premises at all times.*
- *CCTV footage will be stored for a minimum of 31 days.*
- *The management will give full and immediate cooperation and technical assistance to the Police in the event that CCTV footage is required for the prevention and detection of suspected or alleged crime.*
- *The CCTV images will record and display dates and times, and these times will be checked regularly to ensure their accuracy.*
- *Subject to GDPR guidance and legislation, the management of the premises will ensure that key staff are fully trained in the operation of the CCTV, and will be able to download selected footage onto a disk (or other electronic portable device acceptable to Sussex Police) for the police without difficulty or delay and without charge to Sussex Police.*
- *Any breakdown or system failure will be notified to the police immediately and remedied as soon as practicable.*
- *In the event of the CCTV system hard drive being seized as evidence as part of a criminal investigation by Sussex Police or for any other reason, the premises will be expected to install a replacement hard drive or a temporary replacement drive as soon as practicable.*
- *SIA trained & licensed door supervisors shall be deployed on the premises from 20.00hrs every Friday & Saturday evening and at other times when a documented Risk Assessment determines necessary.*
- *Whenever SIA door supervisors are on duty, they operate at a ratio of 1 per 100 customers or part thereof, although at all times with a minimum of two; be on duty until the premises has closed to the public, licensable activities has ceased and the venue is completely clear of patrons and all customers have dispersed from the immediate area.*
- *All SIA registered door supervisors wear and operate body worn video cameras with a recording facility. The body worn cameras records all the time the door supervisors are on duty. All recordings are stored for a minimum period of 31 days, with date and time stamping. Viewing of recordings is available upon the request of police, or authorised local authority officers, throughout the entire 31 days period. The premises will ensure there are sufficient spare batteries fully charged for the body worn cameras so there is no issue with cameras not recording due to flat batteries.*
- *The premises shall at all times maintain and operate a sales refusals log and an incident log will be kept to record all refusals and incidents of crime or disorder. These shall be reviewed and signed by the Designated Premises Supervisor at intervals of no more than four (4) weeks. Feedback shall be given to staff to ensure these are used on each occasion that a refusal or incident occurs at the premises. These records shall be kept for a minimum of twenty four (24) months, and made immediately available upon request to the Local Authority Licensing Officers and Sussex Police Officers or Licensing staff.*
- *The management and premises will have an absolute zero tolerance policy towards drugs and drug misuse. Any illegal drugs seized or found will be documented and stored in a lockable 'drugs box'. Management will contact police once a month to inform them of any drug seizures and request the drugs are collected.*

- *Signage stating that the premises has a zero tolerance towards drugs will be displayed prominently at all entrances to the premises, and the entrances to all toilets on all floors.*
- *Individuals found to have drugs in their possession will be banned from the premises.*
- *Staff must ensure that all empty glasses and bottles are promptly cleared away from the public areas. Regular patrols are to be conducted, at least hourly.*
- *The premises are to have a designated floorwalker at all times that the premises are open for licensable activities and a policy in relation to monitoring of patrons to prevent and to minimise intoxication.*
- *The Licensee/DPS will maintain an active membership of pub-watch and attend the regular meetings.*

*The prevention of public nuisance*

- *All windows and doors to be kept closed after 21:00 hours and/or earlier if necessary dependent on the volume of that evening's entertainment and/or advice of the local authority.*
- *A notice to be placed prominently at all exits asking customers to leave quietly; staff to monitor the situation.*
- *The supply of alcohol will cease 30 minutes prior to the closure of the premises*

*The protection of children from harm*

- *The Premises Licence Holder shall ensure that all staff members engaged, or to be engaged, in selling alcohol at the premises shall receive induction training. This training will take place prior to the selling of such products:*
  - *the lawful selling of age restricted products*
  - *refusing the sale of alcohol to a person who is drunk*
  - *The premises protocol on Drugs and Spiking*
  - *the conditions on the premises licence*
- *Further verbal reinforcement/refresher training covering the above will be carried out thereafter at intervals not to exceed three months, with the date and time of the verbal reinforcement/refresher training documented. All such training undertaken by staff members shall be fully documented and recorded and signed and dated by both the employee and the DPS. All training records shall be kept on the premises and made available to officers of any responsible authority upon request.*
- *The premises will operate an age verification policy set at a minimum of 25 years, whereby any person attempting to buy alcohol who appears to be under the specified age will be asked for photographic ID to prove their age. Signage advertising the "Challenge" policy will be displayed in prominent locations in the premises and shall include the point of sale and the area where the alcohol is displayed, as a minimum. The recommended forms of ID that will be accepted are passports, driving licences with a photograph or Citizen Card or validated proof of age cards bearing the "PASS" mark hologram.*
- *Any person under the age of 18 years must be accompanied by a responsible person aged 18 or over.*
- *Persons under 18 years of age shall not be permitted on the premises after 21:00 hours.*

As a result Sussex Police have withdrawn their objections.

- 8.3 As a result of the conditions the applicant has agreed with Sussex Police Worthing Pubwatch have had their concerns addressed and consequently withdrawn their representation.
- 8.4 No information regarding any mediation between the applicant and other parties has been provided to date. Members will be informed if there are any developments.

## **9. Consideration**

- 9.1 Members must take into consideration the following when determining this application:
- The four statutory licensing objectives.
  - Worthing Borough Council's Statement of Licensing Policy
  - Guidance issued by the Home Secretary
  - The relevant representations from all parties and any mediated agreements reached.
- 9.2 These are the only matters to be addressed by the authority when considering this application. The statutory Licensing objectives are the only grounds on which representations can be made, and the only grounds on which an authority will be able to refuse an application or impose conditions in addition to statutory conditions and those proposed by the applicant in the Operating Schedule.
- 9.3 When considering this application for a premises licence the following options are available to the Sub-Committee:
- Grant the licence, as requested,
  - Grant the licence, as requested, with additional conditions appropriate to the promotion of the specific licensing objectives on which relevant representations have been received.
  - Reject the whole or part of the application.

Members may also:

- Grant the licence but exclude certain licensable activities from the licence,
- Refuse to specify a particular person as a premises supervisor,
- Approve different parts of the premises for different activities.

- 9.4 Members are required to give reasons for their decision.

## **10. Legal Implications**

- 10.1 Under Section 181 and Schedule 5 of the Act, the following rights of appeal to the Magistrates' Court in respect of applications for a premises licence includes:
- (1) The applicant may appeal against any decision to modify the conditions of the licence.

- (2) The applicant may appeal against a rejection in whole or part of an application.
- (3) A person who has made relevant representations may appeal against a licence being granted, or against the modification or lack of modification of any conditions.

10.2 The Act allows for the local licensing authority to undertake a review following the grant of a premises licence, when requested to do so by a responsible authority, such as the police or the fire authority, or any other party, such as a resident living in the vicinity of the premises. The government's guidance states:

*The proceedings set out in the 2003 Act for reviewing premises licences represent a key protection for the community where problems associated with licensing objectives are occurring after the grant or variation of a premises licence.*

*At any stage, following the grant of a premises licence, a responsible authority, or any other person, may ask the licensing authority to review the licence because of a matter arising at the premises in connection with any of the four licensing objectives.*

10.3 In determining this application, the principles of the Human Rights Act 1998 must be taken into consideration and the convention rights of both individuals and businesses will be given due weight.

10.4 Members must consider each application on its own merits, and in accordance with the principles of natural justice, as well as the provisions of the Licensing Act 2003. All relevant factors must be taken into account, and all irrelevant factors must be disregarded.

10.5 All applications, before the Sub-Committee, must be considered against the backdrop of anti-discriminatory legislation, such as the Equality Act 2010 and also in accordance with the Council's stated policy on Equal Opportunities.

10.6 In accordance with Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 the Council is under a duty to exercise its functions with due regard to the likely effect on, and the need to do all it reasonably can to prevent, crime and disorder in its areas. The possible crime and disorder implications are clearly relevant factors in the consideration of all applications and this is re-emphasised by the Licensing Act 2003 itself. In giving "due regard" to these possible implications members will consider and weigh up all the information available and representations made, including those from interested parties and the responsible authorities particularly the Police.

## **11. Other Implications**

11.1 Any decision taken will have regard for the local environment and, in particular, any conditions attached for the purposes of preventing public nuisance will take this principle

into account. There are no significant direct race relations or equal opportunity implications that have been identified.

## **12. Recommendation**

- 12.1 Members are requested to determine the application for a new Premises Licence made on behalf of Brighton Bars Ltd. for its planned new bar to be known as the 'Gin Tub' situated at 10 High Street, Worthing and give reasons for that determination.**

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### **Background Papers:**

- Licensing Act 2003  
<https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2003/17/contents>
- Guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003  
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/licensing-act-2003-amended-guidance-issued-under-section-182>
- Worthing Borough Council's Statement of Licensing Policy  
<http://www.adur-worthing.gov.uk/licensing-and-permits/consultations-policy-forum/policy-and-forum/>

### **Appendices:**

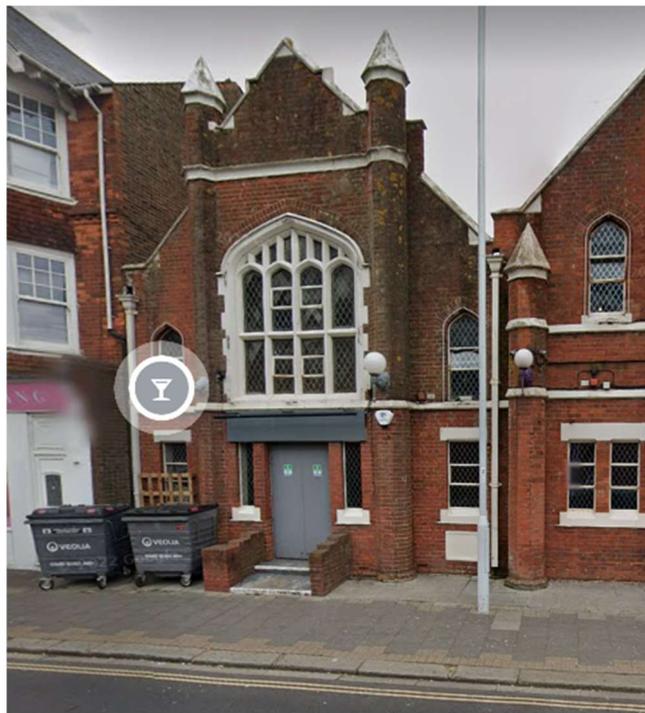
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- Appendix B - Plan of the site.
- Appendix C - The Application Form.
- Appendix D - Representation received from the Responsible Authority
- Appendices E - Representations received from the public objecting to the application
- Appendix F - Details of the mediation conducted

Portland House, Worthing

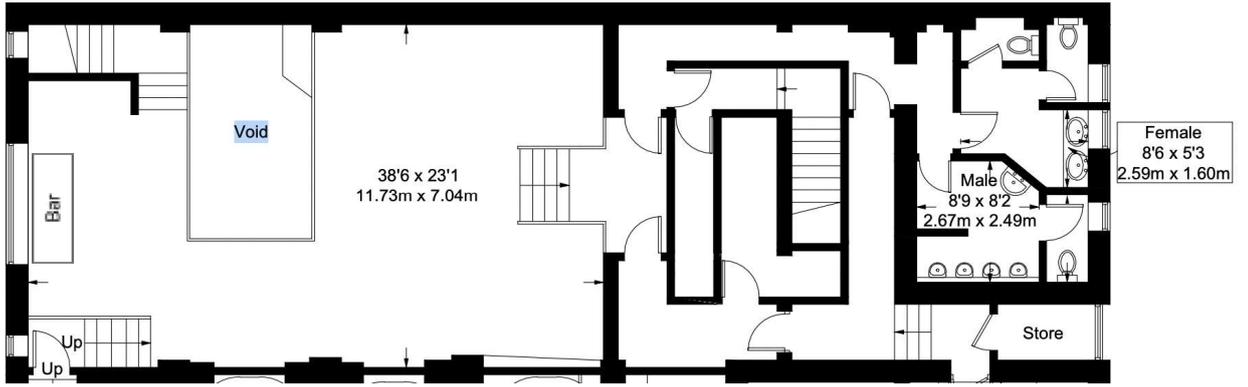
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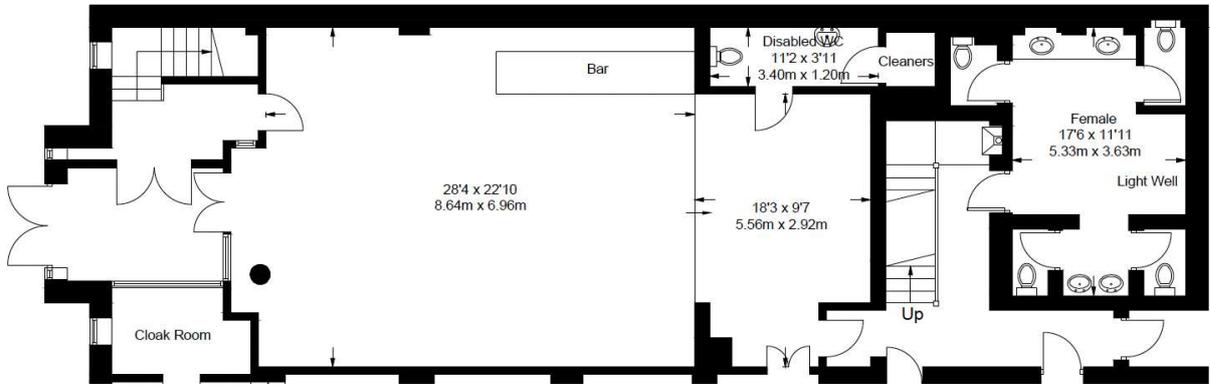
Appendix A  
Plan & Photos of the Area







**First Floor**



**Ground Floor**

\* required information

**Section 1 of 21**

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System reference

Not Currently In Use

This is the unique reference for this application generated by the system.

Your reference

THEGINTUB

You can put what you want here to help you track applications if you make lots of them. It is passed to the authority.

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

- Yes  No

Put "no" if you are applying on your own behalf or on behalf of a business you own or work for.

**Applicant Details**

\* First name

\* Family name

\* E-mail

Main telephone number

Include country code.

Other telephone number

- Indicate here if you would prefer not to be contacted by telephone

Are you:

- Applying as a business or organisation, including as a sole trader  
 Applying as an individual

A sole trader is a business owned by one person without any special legal structure. Applying as an individual means you are applying so you can be employed, or for some other personal reason, such as following a hobby.

**Applicant Business**

Is your business registered in the UK with Companies House?

- Yes  No

Note: completing the Applicant Business section is optional in this form.

Registration number

Business name

VAT number

Legal status

If your business is registered, use its registered name.

Put "none" if you are not registered for VAT.

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Your position in the business

Home country

**Registered Address**

Building number or name

Street

District

City or town

County or administrative area

Postcode

Country

The country where the headquarters of your business is located.

Address registered with Companies House.

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**PREMISES DETAILS**

I/we, as named in section 1, apply for a premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in section 2 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.

**Premises Address**

Are you able to provide a postal address, OS map reference or description of the premises?

- Address     OS map reference     Description

**Postal Address Of Premises**

Building number or name

Street

District

City or town

County or administrative area

Postcode

Country

**Further Details**

Telephone number

Non-domestic rateable  
value of premises (£)

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#### APPLICATION DETAILS

In what capacity are you applying for the premises licence?

- An individual or individuals
- A limited company / limited liability partnership
- A partnership (other than limited liability)
- An unincorporated association
- Other (for example a statutory corporation)
- A recognised club
- A charity
- The proprietor of an educational establishment
- A health service body
- A person who is registered under part 2 of the Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respect of an independent hospital in Wales
- A person who is registered under Chapter 2 of Part 1 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 in respect of the carrying on of a regulated activity (within the meaning of that Part) in an independent hospital in England
- The chief officer of police of a police force in England and Wales

#### Confirm The Following

- I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves the use of the premises for licensable activities
- I am making the application pursuant to a statutory function
- I am making the application pursuant to a function discharged by virtue of Her Majesty's prerogative

### Section 4 of 21

#### NON INDIVIDUAL APPLICANTS

Provide name and registered address of applicant in full. Where appropriate give any registered number. In the case of a partnership or other joint venture (other than a body corporate), give the name and address of each party concerned.

#### Non Individual Applicant's Name

Name

Details

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Registered number (where applicable)

Description of applicant (for example partnership, company, unincorporated association etc)

**Address**

Building number or name

Street

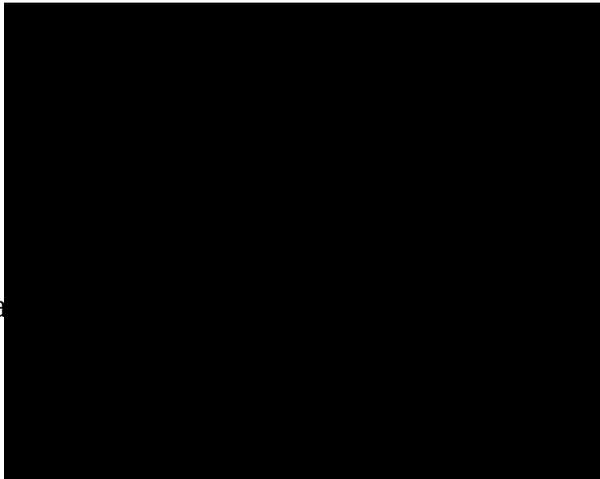
District

City or town

County or administrative area

Postcode

Country



**Contact Details**

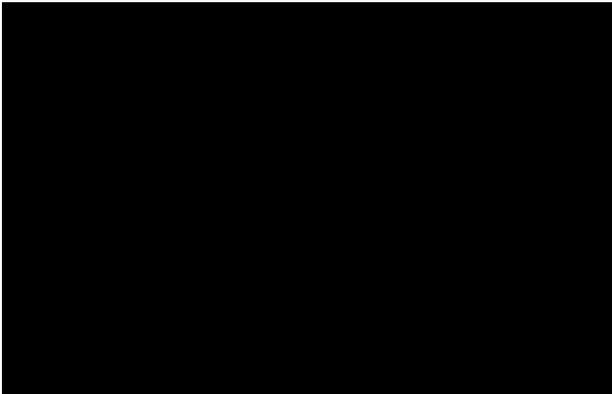
E-mail

Telephone number

Other telephone number

\* Date of birth

\* Nationality



[Documents that demonstrate entitlement to work in the UK](#)

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**OPERATING SCHEDULE**

When do you want the premises licence to start?



If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, when do you want it to end

 /  /   
dd mm yyyy

Provide a general description of the premises

For example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.

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Type of Premises- Cocktail Bar (over 18 only after 9pm)

The layout is predominantly seating, with limited bar service. Door supervisors every Friday and Saturday during peak periods and late nights.

If 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, state the number expected to attend

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#### PROVISION OF PLAYS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing plays?

- Yes  No

### Section 7 of 21

#### PROVISION OF FILMS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing films?

- Yes  No

### Section 8 of 21

#### PROVISION OF INDOOR SPORTING EVENTS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing indoor sporting events?

- Yes  No

### Section 9 of 21

#### PROVISION OF BOXING OR WRESTLING ENTERTAINMENTS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing boxing or wrestling entertainments?

- Yes  No

### Section 10 of 21

#### PROVISION OF LIVE MUSIC

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing live music?

- Yes  No

#### Standard Days And Timings

MONDAY

Start

End

Start

End

Give timings in 24 hour clock. (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.

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TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

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THURSDAY

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FRIDAY

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SATURDAY

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SUNDAY

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Will the performance of live music take place indoors or outdoors or both?

- Indoors       Outdoors       Both

Where taking place in a building or other structure tick as appropriate. Indoors may include a tent.

State type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.

Singers

State any seasonal variations for the performance of live music

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

Bank Holidays

Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the performance of live music at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

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For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

N/A

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### PROVISION OF RECORDED MUSIC

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing recorded music?

Yes  No

#### Standard Days And Timings

MONDAY

Start

End

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End

Give timings in 24 hour clock.  
(e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days  
of the week when you intend the premises  
to be used for the activity.

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Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both?

Indoors  Outdoors  Both

Where taking place in a building or other  
structure tick as appropriate. Indoors may  
include a tent.

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State type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.

State any seasonal variations for playing recorded music

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the playing of recorded music at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

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**PROVISION OF PERFORMANCES OF DANCE**

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing performances of dance?

- Yes                       No

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**PROVISION OF ANYTHING OF A SIMILAR DESCRIPTION TO LIVE MUSIC, RECORDED MUSIC OR PERFORMANCES OF DANCE**

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing anything similar to live music, recorded music or performances of dance?

- Yes                       No

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**LATE NIGHT REFRESHMENT**

Will you be providing late night refreshment?

- Yes                       No

**Standard Days And Timings**

MONDAY

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Give timings in 24 hour clock. (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.

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Will the provision of late night refreshment take place indoors or outdoors or both?

- Indoors       Outdoors       Both

Where taking place in a building or other structure tick as appropriate. Indoors may include a tent.

State type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.

State any seasonal variations

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

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Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the supply of late night refreshments at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

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**SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL**

Will you be selling or supplying alcohol?

- Yes                       No

**Standard Days And Timings**

MONDAY

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Give timings in 24 hour clock.  
(e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days  
of the week when you intend the premises  
to be used for the activity.

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Will the sale of alcohol be for consumption:

- On the premises       Off the premises       Both

If the sale of alcohol is for consumption on the premises select on, if the sale of alcohol is for consumption away from the premises select off. If the sale of alcohol is for consumption on the premises and away from the premises select both.

State any seasonal variations

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the supply of alcohol at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as premises supervisor

**Name**

First name

Family name

Date of birth

**Enter the contact's address**

Building number or name

Street

District

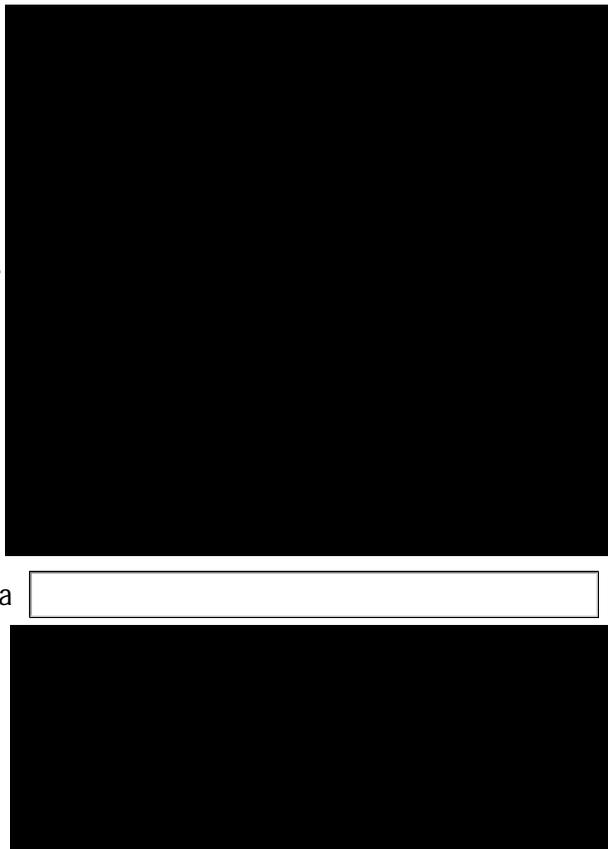
City or town

County or administrative area

Postcode

Country

Personal Licence number  
(if known)



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Issuing licensing authority  
(if known)

Brighton & Hove City Council

**PROPOSED DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR CONSENT**

How will the consent form of the proposed designated premises supervisor be supplied to the authority?

- Electronically, by the proposed designated premises supervisor
- As an attachment to this application

Reference number for consent form (if known)

If the consent form is already submitted, ask the proposed designated premises supervisor for its 'system reference' or 'your reference'.

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**ADULT ENTERTAINMENT**

Highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, or other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children

Give information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises which may give rise to concern in respect of children, regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises, for example (but not exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups etc gambling machines etc.

NA

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**HOURS PREMISES ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

**Standard Days And Timings**

MONDAY

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End

Start

End

Give timings in 24 hour clock. (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.

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State any seasonal variations

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises to be open to the members and guests at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

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**LICENSING OBJECTIVES**

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

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e)

List here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.

All staff will be trained on all four licensing objectives every month.

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

Door supervisors every Friday and Saturdays from 8pm until close. During the week we will have supervisors on shift. Random bag searches. All staff to be trained in drug use and spike use protocols which we have introduced into our training programme. Refresher training will be given every single month with any relevant advise provided by the police and licensing. All new staff will be aware of how to prevent crime and disorder. Signage will be provided on the exit of the venue to ensure that customers leaving the venue late at night will not cause a nuisance to neighbors, door staff and supervisors will encourage guests to leave the building quietly and respectfully. Mobile response unit.

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c) Public safety

Building checks, toilet checks and surrounding properties checks to be carried out everyday by supervisor on shift. All fire regulations to be maintained by relevant authorities. First aid trained supervisors on shift.

d) The prevention of public nuisance

Signage outside and inside the building to prevent noise and nuisance. No drinks to be taken outside after 10pm and all outside furniture to be taken in at 10pm. Door staff will ID and random bag search guests.

e) The protection of children from harm

Challenge 25 training provided every week to all staff. No unaccompanied under 18's allowed in the premises. Challenge 25 posters displayed at the venue and online. Relevant ID will need to be provided and UV light used to check authenticity.

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**NOTES ON DEMONSTRATING ENTITLEMENT TO WORK IN THE UK**

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### **Entitlement to work/immigration status for individual applicants and applications from partnerships which are not limited liability partnerships:**

A licence may not be held by an individual or an individual in a partnership who is resident in the UK who:

- does not have the right to live and work in the UK; or
- is subject to a condition preventing him or her from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.

Any premises licence issued in respect of an application made on or after 6 April 2017 will become invalid if the holder ceases to be entitled to work in the UK.

Applicants must demonstrate that they have an entitlement to work in the UK and are not subject to a condition preventing them from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity. They do this in one of two ways: 1) by providing with this application copies or scanned copies of the documents listed below (which do not need to be certified), or 2) by providing their 'share code' to enable the licensing authority to carry out a check using the Home Office online right to work checking service (see below).

### **Documents which demonstrate entitlement to work in the UK**

- An expired or current passport showing the holder, or a person named in the passport as the child of the holder, is a British citizen or a citizen of the UK and Colonies having the right of abode in the UK [please see note below about which sections of the passport to copy].
- An expired or current passport or national identity card showing the holder, or a person named in the passport as the child of the holder, is a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A Registration Certificate or document certifying permanent residence issued by the Home Office to a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A Permanent Residence Card issued by the Home Office to the family member of a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A **current** Biometric Immigration Document (Biometric Residence Permit) issued by the Home Office to the holder indicating that the person named is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK, or has no time limit on their stay in the UK.
- A **current** passport endorsed to show that the holder is exempt from immigration control, is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK, has the right of abode in the UK, or has no time limit on their stay in the UK.
- A **current** Immigration Status Document issued by the Home Office to the holder with an endorsement indicating that the named person is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK or has no time limit on their stay in the UK, **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A birth or adoption certificate issued in the UK, **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A birth or adoption certificate issued in the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man or Ireland **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A certificate of registration or naturalisation as a British citizen, **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.

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- A **current** passport endorsed to show that the holder is allowed to stay in the UK and is currently allowed to work and is not subject to a condition preventing the holder from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.
- A **current** Biometric Immigration Document (Biometric Residence Permit) issued by the Home Office to the holder which indicates that the named person can currently stay in the UK and is allowed to work relation to the carrying on of a licensable activity.
- A **current** Residence Card issued by the Home Office to a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights or residence.
- A **current** Immigration Status Document containing a photograph issued by the Home Office to the holder with an endorsement indicating that the named person may stay in the UK, and is allowed to work and is not subject to a condition preventing the holder from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A Certificate of Application, **less than 6 months old**, issued by the Home Office under regulation 18(3) or 20(2) of the Immigration (European Economic Area) Regulations 2016, to a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights of residence.
- Reasonable evidence that the person has an outstanding application to vary their permission to be in the UK with the Home Office such as the Home Office acknowledgement letter or proof of postage evidence, or reasonable evidence that the person has an appeal or administrative review pending on an immigration decision, such as an appeal or administrative review reference number.
- Reasonable evidence that a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights of residence in exercising treaty rights in the UK including:-
  - evidence of the applicant's own identity – such as a passport,
  - evidence of their relationship with the European Economic Area family member – e.g. a marriage certificate, civil partnership certificate or birth certificate, and
  - evidence that the European Economic Area national has a right of permanent residence in the UK or is one of the following if they have been in the UK for more than 3 months:
    - (i) working e.g. employment contract, wage slips, letter from the employer,
    - (ii) self-employed e.g. contracts, invoices, or audited accounts with a bank,
    - (iii) studying e.g. letter from the school, college or university and evidence of sufficient funds; or
    - (iv) self-sufficient e.g. bank statements.

Family members of European Economic Area nationals who are studying or financially independent must also provide evidence that the European Economic Area national and any family members hold comprehensive sickness insurance in the UK. This can include a private medical insurance policy, an EHIC card or an S1, S2 or S3 form.

**Original documents must not be sent to licensing authorities.** If the document copied is a passport, a copy of the following pages should be provided:-

- (i) any page containing the holder's personal details including nationality;
- (ii) any page containing the holder's photograph;
- (iii) any page containing the holder's signature;
- (iv) any page containing the date of expiry; and
- (v) any page containing information indicating the holder has permission to enter or remain in the UK and is permitted to work.

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If the document is not a passport, a copy of the whole document should be provided.

Your right to work will be checked as part of your licensing application and this could involve us checking your immigration status with the Home Office. We may otherwise share information with the Home Office. Your licence application will not be determined until you have complied with this guidance.

### **Home Office online right to work checking service**

As an alternative to providing a copy of the documents listed above, applicants may demonstrate their right to work by allowing the licensing authority to carry out a check with the Home Office online right to work checking service.

To demonstrate their right to work via the Home Office online right to work checking service, applicants should include in this application their 9-digit share code (provided to them upon accessing the service at <https://www.gov.uk/prove-right-to-work>) which, along with the applicant's date of birth (provided within this application), will allow the licensing authority to carry out the check.

In order to establish the applicant's right to work, the check will need to indicate that the applicant is allowed to work in the United Kingdom and is not subject to a condition preventing them from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.

An online check will not be possible in all circumstances because not all applicants will have an immigration status that can be checked online. The Home Office online right to work checking service sets out what information and/or documentation applicants will need in order to access the service. Applicants who are unable to obtain a share code from the service should submit copy documents as set out above.

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### **NOTES ON REGULATED ENTERTAINMENT**

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In terms of specific **regulated entertainments** please note that:

- Plays: no licence is required for performances between 08:00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
- Films: no licence is required for 'not-for-profit' film exhibition held in community premises between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day provided that the audience does not exceed 500 and the organiser (a) gets consent to the screening from a person who is responsible for the premises; and (b) ensures that each such screening abides by age classification ratings.
- Indoor sporting events: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000.
- Boxing or Wrestling Entertainment: no licence is required for a contest, exhibition or display of Greco-Roman wrestling, or freestyle wrestling between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000. Combined fighting sports – defined as a contest, exhibition or display which combines boxing or wrestling with one or more martial arts – are licensable as a boxing or wrestling entertainment rather than an indoor sporting event.
- Live music: no licence permission is required for:
  - o a performance of unamplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, on any premises.
  - o a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
  - o a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a workplace that is not licensed to sell alcohol on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
  - o a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
  - o a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.
- Recorded Music: no licence permission is required for:
  - o any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
  - o any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
  - o any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school proprietor or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.

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- Dance: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500. However, a performance which amounts to adult entertainment remains licensable.
- Cross activity exemptions: no licence is required between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, with no limit on audience size for:
  - o any entertainment taking place on the premises of the local authority where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the local authority;
  - o any entertainment taking place on the hospital premises of the health care provider where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the health care provider;
  - o any entertainment taking place on the premises of the school where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the school proprietor; and
  - o any entertainment (excluding films and a boxing or wrestling entertainment) taking place at a travelling circus, provided that (a) it takes place within a moveable structure that accommodates the audience, and (b) that the travelling circus has not been located on the same site for more than 28 consecutive days.

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### PAYMENT DETAILS

This fee must be paid to the authority. If you complete the application online, you must pay it by debit or credit card.

Premises Licence Fees are determined by the non&nbsp;domestic rateable&nbsp;value of the premises.

To find out a premises non domestic rateable value go to the Valuation Office Agency site at [http://www.voa.gov.uk/business\\_rates/index.htm](http://www.voa.gov.uk/business_rates/index.htm)

Band A - No RV to £4300 £100.00

Band B - £4301 to £33000 £190.00

Band C - £33001 to £8700 £315.00

Band D - £87001 to £12500 £450.00\*

Band E - £125001 and over £635.00\*

\*If the premises rateable value is in Bands D or E and the premises is primarily used for the consumption of alcohol on the premises then your are required to pay a higher fee

Band D - £87001 to £12500 £900.00

Band E - £125001 and over £1,905.00

There is an exemption from the payment of fees in relation to the provision of regulated entertainment at church halls, chapel halls or premises of a similar nature, village halls, parish or community halls, or other premises of a similar nature. The costs associated with these licences will be met by central Government. If, however, the licence also authorises the use of the premises for the supply of alcohol or the provision of late night refreshment, a fee will be required.

Schools and sixth form colleges are exempt from the fees associated with the authorisation of regulated entertainment where the entertainment is provided by and at the school or college and for the purposes of the school or college.

If you operate a large event you are subject to ADDITIONAL fees based upon the number in attendance at any one time

Capacity 5000-9999 £1,000.00

Capacity 10000 -14999 £2,000.00

Capacity 15000-19999 £4,000.00

Capacity 20000-29999 £8,000.00

Capacity 30000-39000 £16,000.00

Capacity 40000-49999 £24,000.00

Capacity 50000-59999 £32,000.00

Capacity 60000-69999 £40,000.00

Capacity 70000-79999 £48,000.00

Capacity 80000-89999 £56,000.00

Capacity 90000 and over £64,000.00

\* Fee amount (£)

190.00

### DECLARATION

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\* I/we understand it is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to level 5 on the standard scale, under section 158 of the licensing act 2003, to make a false statement in or in connection with this application.

Ticking this box indicates you have read and understood the above declaration

This section should be completed by the applicant, unless you answered "Yes" to the question "Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?"

\* Full name

\* Capacity

\* Date



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Once you're finished you need to do the following:

1. Save this form to your computer by clicking file/save as...

2. Go back to <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-a-licence/premises-licence/worthing/apply-1> to upload this file and continue with your application.

Don't forget to make sure you have all your supporting documentation to hand.

**IT IS AN OFFENCE LIABLE TO SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE OF ANY AMOUNT UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION**

**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**

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Licensing Unit,  
Adur and Worthing Councils  
Portland House,  
Richmond Road,  
Worthing,  
BN11 1LF



## West Sussex Division Neighbourhood Licensing Team

24<sup>th</sup> August 2022

**RE: APPLICATION FOR THE GRANT OF A NEW PREMISES LICENCE UNDER THE LICENSING ACT 2003 FOR THE GIN TUB, 10 HIGH STREET, WORTHING, BN11 1NU.**



I write on behalf of the Chief Officer of Police for Sussex to raise a representation against the grant of the above application on the grounds of the licensing objective(s) of the Prevention of Crime and Disorder, the Prevention of Public Nuisance and the Protection of Children from Harm.

The application is for a Cocktail bar with in the town center of Worthing to provide on sales only. The application is for the provisions of live music, Recorded music, late night refreshments and the supply of alcohol **on the Premises**.

Hours open to the public: Monday to Wednesday – 11:00 to 01:00hrs. Thursday to Sunday – 11:00 to 02:00hrs.

Supply of alcohol: Monday to Wednesday – 11:00 to 0100hrs. Thursday to Sunday – 11:00 to 0200hrs.

Sussex Police have no objection to the principal of the application, however while the operating schedule provided identifies a number steps to address the licensing objectives, it is considered that additional measures are necessary. Sussex Police propose the following additional, amended conditions which should not prove onerous on the day-to-day operation of the premises:

### **Prevention of Crime and Disorder:**

1. Digital CCTV and appropriate recording equipment to be installed in accordance with Home Office Guidelines relating to UK Police Requirements for Digital CCTV System (PSDB Publication Number 09/05), operated and maintained throughout the premises internally and externally to cover all public areas, including the entrance to the premises. The system shall be on and recording at all times the premises licence is in operation.
  - The CCTV cameras and recording equipment must be of sufficient quality to work in all lighting levels inside the premises at all times.

Sussex Police, Neighbourhood Licensing Team  
Centenary House, Durrington Lane, Worthing,  
West Sussex. BN13 2PQ  
Telephone: 01273 404030

- CCTV footage will be stored for a minimum of 31 days.
  - The management will give full and immediate cooperation and technical assistance to the Police in the event that CCTV footage is required for the prevention and detection of suspected or alleged crime.
  - The CCTV images will record and display dates and times, and these times will be checked regularly to ensure their accuracy.
  - Subject to GDPR guidance and legislation, the management of the premises will ensure that key staff are fully trained in the operation of the CCTV, and will be able to download selected footage onto a disk (or other electronic portable device acceptable to Sussex Police) for the police without difficulty or delay and without charge to Sussex Police.
  - Any breakdown or system failure will be notified to the police immediately and remedied as soon as practicable.
  - In the event of the CCTV system hard drive being seized as evidence as part of a criminal investigation by Sussex Police or for any other reason, the premises will be expected to install a replacement hard drive or a temporary replacement drive as soon as practicable.
2. SIA trained & licensed door supervisors shall be deployed on the premises from 20.00hrs every Friday & Saturday evening and at other times when a documented Risk Assessment determines are necessary.
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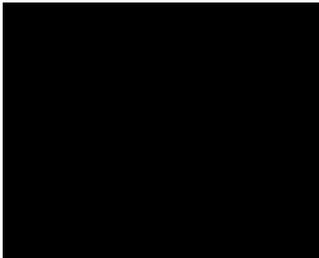
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If the applicant is agreeable to the proposed conditions, Sussex Police can resolve this representation subject to these conditions being attached to the premises licence.

Please contact this office on the number below or via email to [ws\\_licensing\\_wor@sussex.pnn.police.uk](mailto:ws_licensing_wor@sussex.pnn.police.uk) should you wish to discuss this representation.



**Sussex Police, Neighbourhood Licensing Team  
Centenary House, Durrington Lane, Worthing,  
West Sussex. BN13 2PQ  
Telephone: 01273 404030**



Dear Members of the Licensing Committee

I am writing in regard to a New Premises Licence Application made by Brighton Bars Ltd for a cocktail bar to be known as 'The Gin Tub'. The bar is to be situated at 10 High Street, Worthing, BN11 1NU.

I consider that granting a new premises licence to undermine the licensing objectives for the following reasons:

1. The business known as 'The Gin Tub' (previously of Church Road, Hove) has a track record of being poorly managed, criminal activity and antisocial behaviour.
2. Swab tests carried out by Sussex Police indicated that a bulk amount of cocaine had been in the premises prior to the tests being carried out.
3. Brighton and Hove City Council Licensing Committee revoked the alcohol licence in December 2019, stating that: "We are not confident that the management will sustain lasting improvement and compliance as they do not appear to have understood their responsibilities and responded effectively at the appropriate stage."

I would respectfully request that the above points are given serious and full consideration by the current Licensing Committee.

It seems nonsensical that a business can have a licence revoked for criminal activity by a local authority and continue to be eligible to make an application to a neighbouring local authority.

Yours Faithfully,





## License Application 'The Gin Tub' at 10 High Street Worthing OBJECTION

1 message

Dear Licencing team,

I am writing on behalf of myself and other residents of [REDACTED]

We are a residential building comprising of ten fully occupied flats adjacent to [REDACTED] [Worthing BN11 1NU](#) and are a mix of owner/occupiers and rentals these are 1–2-bedroom dwellings I have the consent of those who have not written to you individually to represent their objections, concerns and views on the proposed plans for The Gin Tub in addition to my own.

The occupants of [REDACTED] [Worthing BN111NU](#) are predominantly working people Most of us work at Worthing Hospital, due to the nature of our occupations we (including myself) do not hold traditional working 9-5 hrs . Other occupants include a retired couple in their 80's , a young child with special needs (attends a special needs school locally) and a young baby

At this point I would like to acknowledge the courteous, approachable manor of the new bar Manager, He has made adjustments to the noise levels of the existing Friday and Saturday nights although these are not ideal there has been a vast improvement. He has tried his best to limit our disturbance from live bands prior to this application, we do appreciate this, but given the new application we are left wondering what new noise levels we can expect.

### 1) Week Day Licensing Hours (noise objection)

[REDACTED] to the front of the building overlooking [REDACTED] My lounge shares a party wall with [REDACTED] High Street. Our bedroom is also adjacent to our lounge to the front of the building with a second bedroom at the rear of the dwelling.

I have already experienced the volume of the live entertainment and I refer to the drumming which sounds like it is actually in my lounge! This was despite my windows and the doors of [REDACTED] High street doors being shut we were still unable to watch our TV uninterrupted or hear it at a reasonable level . I am sure you will also appreciate there will be times we would like to open our windows of an evening and are unable to predict when this may be necessary to attain comfort, especially during the recent heatwave, the noise levels in this instance more than likely will become totally intolerable either musically or vocally, also due to the design of the rear of [REDACTED] High Street it is essentially a sound box amplifying the volume at the rear of all surrounding properties, which become even louder when the rear emergency exits are opened which happens frequently, it also prevents me personally from having visitors stay over for the weekend due to being unable to sleep due to the noise level.

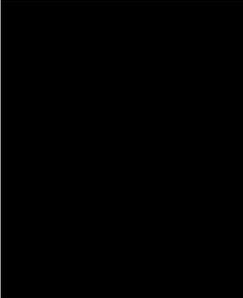
There has been no indication of the level or nature of pre-recorded music Mon - Sunday, I would like to point out it is not unusual for the working residences here to have early shifts or to be on call overnight a good night's sleep is required to perform our duties safely.

### 2) Weekday licensing hours ( general objection )

My fellow residences and myself feel that given the application until 1am is later than most establishments within the area this will only serve to encourage those already intoxicated .We already experience the effects of this over Friday and Saturday and are aware of the implications on us and the residential area in general by way of people shouting, vomiting, urinating and the obvious use of substances within the local area (in Elm Road and the 'alley' connecting Elm Road and Warwick Gardens as well as High Street). We have also suffered from verbal abuse whilst entering and exiting our own

building . The ramp directly outside our front door and surrounding wall are our private property and the doorman are powerless to stop loitering customers trespassing and often come across the remnants of their night out in the immediate vicinity. We have been privy to or woken up by many an argument between drunken patrons and or staff/Doormen. Understandably we view the prospect of having this seven days a week is unacceptable. Also, just to remind all concerned when [REDACTED] (Bar Ten) and previous similar incarnations were granted licences [REDACTED] was still a commercial property this status changed nearly 6 years ago with its conversion to wholly residential.

Kind regards



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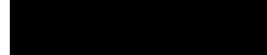
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New premises Licence at the Gin Tub

24 August 2022 at 23:06



Dear Committee,

write to you as residents of in objection to the application for new premises licence for a cocktail bar to be known as "The Gin Tub" situated at Please find our reasoning below:

1.- The application aims to create a new and separate business, from the current Night club "Ten Cocktail Bar", which will operate from Monday until Sunday; The disruption to everyday life, including, loud music, screams, fights, and drunken people in our building door, was something my husband and I considered when buying the above mentioned flat. However, given "Ten Cocktail Bar" 's operating times, Thursdays (7 pm -2 am), Fridays (7 pm -2:30 am), and Saturdays (7 pm -3 am), we decided the compromise was acceptable, This said, according to the information included in the application pack, the new license and business, will operate practically from Monday to Monday with just a daily pause between 2:00 am and 11:00 am, Please find below a timetable created with the information available on the application:

Table with columns for days of the week (Monday to Sunday) and rows for hours (01:00 to 23:00). Each cell contains 'x' or is blank, indicating the presence of specific activities like Sale Alcohol, Late night Refreshment, Live Music, and Recorded Music.

We hope the table helps visualize the committee the enormous difference and detrimental impact the new business will have on the life of the residents and neighbors of this potential new business High Street, Worthing BN11 1NU. Our building is home to children, the elderly, and people who, given the current circumstances, work from home. We beg the committee to take into consideration the impact that a practically always open bar will have on the residents of the building. Loud music leaking into our flats (due to poor isolation of the premises at High Street, Worthing), could result in sleep deprivation, stress, depression, and many other illnesses. Please review the article published by the "National Library of Medicine" available at https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC4608916/#:~:text=Nocturnal%20noise%20has%20been%20shown,Basner%20et%20al, for your reference. Drunk and disorderly people on our doorsteps during the day could affect our young residents and have a negative impact on those of us who currently work from our homes as the sound can easily travel into our homes. A potential "cocktail bar", that might be quiet and sedate during the day, can suddenly come alive with music bursting out and those who have had a little too much to drink spilling out onto the streets and raising their voices. Furthermore, the smoking ban introduced in 2007 means more people will hang around outside the "bar". The noise of just a handful of conversations can easily travel on disturbing our peace and quiet.

2.- Previous poor management of "The Gin Tub" and criminal behavior: This business has a record of being poorly managed attracting therefore criminal behavior. The management was given multiple opportunities to correct its shortcomings but did close to nothing to correct them. Especially concerning are the comments raised by the panel of councillors who decided to withdraw the license away from the business "The panel is very concerned that the management has not taken the issue of class A drug use in their premises seriously enough despite the evidence, interventions and warnings from the police...We are not confident that the management will sustain lasting improvement and compliance as they do not appear to have understood their responsibilities and responded effectively at the appropriate stage". If this business has failed to comply and was denied a license in Hove, why should it be granted in Worthing? Are our residents less worthy of a tranquil life?. For more information on this subject, we would like to ask the committee to check the multiple news articles regarding the poor management of the business, Please also review the map of criminal activities of Worthing available at https://www.pdl.co.uk/pu/you-area/sussex-pdl/worthing-central/?tab=CrimeMap when taken your decision.

3.- Devaluation of our property's price: Our "life's investment" could be damaged by the potential opening of a second and separate business opening next door to our building at High Street, Worthing BN11 1NU most likely due to the potential for noise and general disruption of the peace and quiet as well as the potential increase of criminal activities.

We greatly ask the committee to consider this email, our voices, and our points of view carefully when taking its decision,

We thank you in advance for allowing us to express ourselves and our objections.

Yours Faithfully,



The Licensing Unit

ADUR-WORTHING Adur & Worthing Co  
TOWN HALL Licensing Unit  
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5<sup>th</sup> September '22.

Re ~~New premises~~ ~~renewal~~ application

Dear Sirs,

Do WE\* really want to encourage a business with 'an appalling track record of noise and criminal behaviour' to set up here in WORTHING?

My wife and I are proud to live here and be part of the vibrant Worthing scene and this application will do nothing to contribute and improve what is now a much sought after living experience.

There is an abundance of similar businesses in the town for the revellers to enjoy, so please can we have a few more years of peace and tranquility at this end of town.

Yours sincerely,

\* Our residential neighbours to the rear of the said premises, and  
Our friends at Adur-Worthing Council to whom we are indebted.

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## The Gin Tub situated and 10 High Street Worthing BN11 1NU

1 message

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17 August 2022 at 21:12

[REDACTED]

Good Evening,

We have noticed a new application has been made for the The Gin Tub situated and [REDACTED] [High Street Worthing BN11 1NU](#)

I, as the Chairman of Worthing Pubwatch would like to make a representation. We as Worthing Pubwatch would like to add to the conditions of its licence if granted

1) Be an active member of Worthing Pubwatch and attend regular meetings during such time that a scheme remains in existence.

With these conditions added to the licence we feel this will help minimise crime and Disorder within Worthing.

Kind regards

[REDACTED]

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## Objection to licence application for The Gin Tub

1 message

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

I wish to outline my objections to the New Premises Licence application made by The Gin Tub situated at [REDACTED] [High Street, Worthing BN11 1NU](#).

As I understand it, the application is for 7 nights per week, allowing the sale of alcohol , recorded music and live music until either 1am or 2am each night.

I am a local resident, I live at the rear of the premises and already have a lot of disruption, noise, and unhygienic waste to deal with as a result of the current situation. Currently the nightclub is only open on Friday and Saturday evenings and I have made numerous complaints about noise and mess to the manager.

I consider this application to be completely unnecessary and in conflict with the needs of the local residents. This application is potentially very disruptive to the residents of the surrounding area. It is very difficult to sleep when the business is in operation so I am often trying to catch up with sleep during the week due to weekend disturbance.

My flat in [REDACTED] is my sole residence, and I work locally contributing to the local economy, culture and tourist offer in Worthing. I am extremely concerned about how the increased disturbance will affect my mental health and ability to work. In addition to the noise disturbance there is often urine, blood, broken glass or vomit in front of my front door after the nightclub is open.

The area adjacent and behind this business is fundamentally a residential area so I feel very strongly that the detrimental effect on quality of life for local residents should be understood when considering this application.

As per the council's policy I am giving my personal details as requested below:

[REDACTED]

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## Re: LA 2003 Premises Licence Hearing - The Gin Tub

1 message

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[REDACTED]

Good Morning [REDACTED]

I have noted that Sussex Police has withdrawn their application. However point 11 under the crime and disorder. It states

The Licensee/DPS will maintain an active membership of pub-watch and attend the regular meetings.

If the applicant has agreed to the condition then I am willing to withdraw my objection too.  
I hope this is okay?

Kind regards

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Consultation on the above application has now closed. Six representations regarding the application were received during the consultation period from members of the public and one from a Responsible Authority, in this case Sussex Police.

In such circumstances the Licensing Act 2003 encourages mediation and if agreement cannot be reached then the application is referred to a Licensing & Control Sub-Committee to consider at hearing. Your representation has been forwarded to the applicant and you may be contacted directly to discuss your concerns.

I have scheduled a hearing to consider the application for **Tuesday 4 October 2022 at 18:30hrs.** The hearing, if required, will be held online via Zoom and details to join the meeting will be forwarded in due course.

Under the Licensing Act 2003 the Licensing & Control Sub-Committee that will determine the application can only consider matters that relate to the licensable activities proposed by this application and consider if the licensable activities carried out in the way proposed would undermine the Licensing Objectives. These being:

- The Prevention of Crime & Disorder
- Public Safety
- The Prevention of Public Nuisance
- The Protection of Harm to Children

The Sub-Committee cannot consider, under the Licensing Act, issues such as public amenity, congestion, parking, road safety, need or demand or even, as in this case, that the area is predominantly residential. Whilst such representations highlight serious concerns these are planning matters that have been considered by the Planning Committee and a Licensing Committee cannot consider.

As I have stated, mediation is encouraged and I am aware that the applicant and Sussex Police have mediated successfully. As a result a comprehensive set of conditions have been agreed and would become enforceable conditions of any licence granted and added to those already volunteered by the applicant in the application. Consequently, Sussex Police have withdrawn their objections to a licence being granted subject to the conditions being imposed on any licence granted and I enclose a copy of them.

In case further mediation with those making representation is unsuccessful or considered impractical a hearing has been scheduled and you will find attached the formal hearing notice relating to the Sub-Committee hearing that may sit to consider the above application.

At any hearing all written representations are considered and the applicant and those that have made representation, and expressed their intention in advance, are given an opportunity to address members if they wish. Having registered to address the committee you will be able to highlight any relevant points you have made in your written representation but will not be able to introduce any new arguments or evidence.

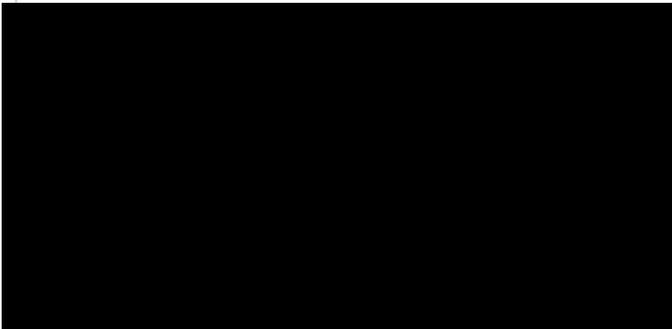
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The Committee papers relating to this application will be published 5 working days prior to the hearing on the A&W Councils' website at:  
<https://democracy.adur-worthing.gov.uk/ieListMeetings.aspx?Committeed=171>

If you have any queries regarding this matter please do not hesitate to contact the licensing unit at: [licensing.unit@adur-worthing.gov.uk](mailto:licensing.unit@adur-worthing.gov.uk)

The formal hearing notice is attached.

Regards



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