



Havering

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LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE THE DRILL HOTEL

AGENDA

10.30 am	Monday 10 November 2025	Council Chamber - Town Hall
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Members 3: Quorum 2

COUNCILLORS:

Philippa Crowder (Chairman)
Jane Keane
Christine Smith

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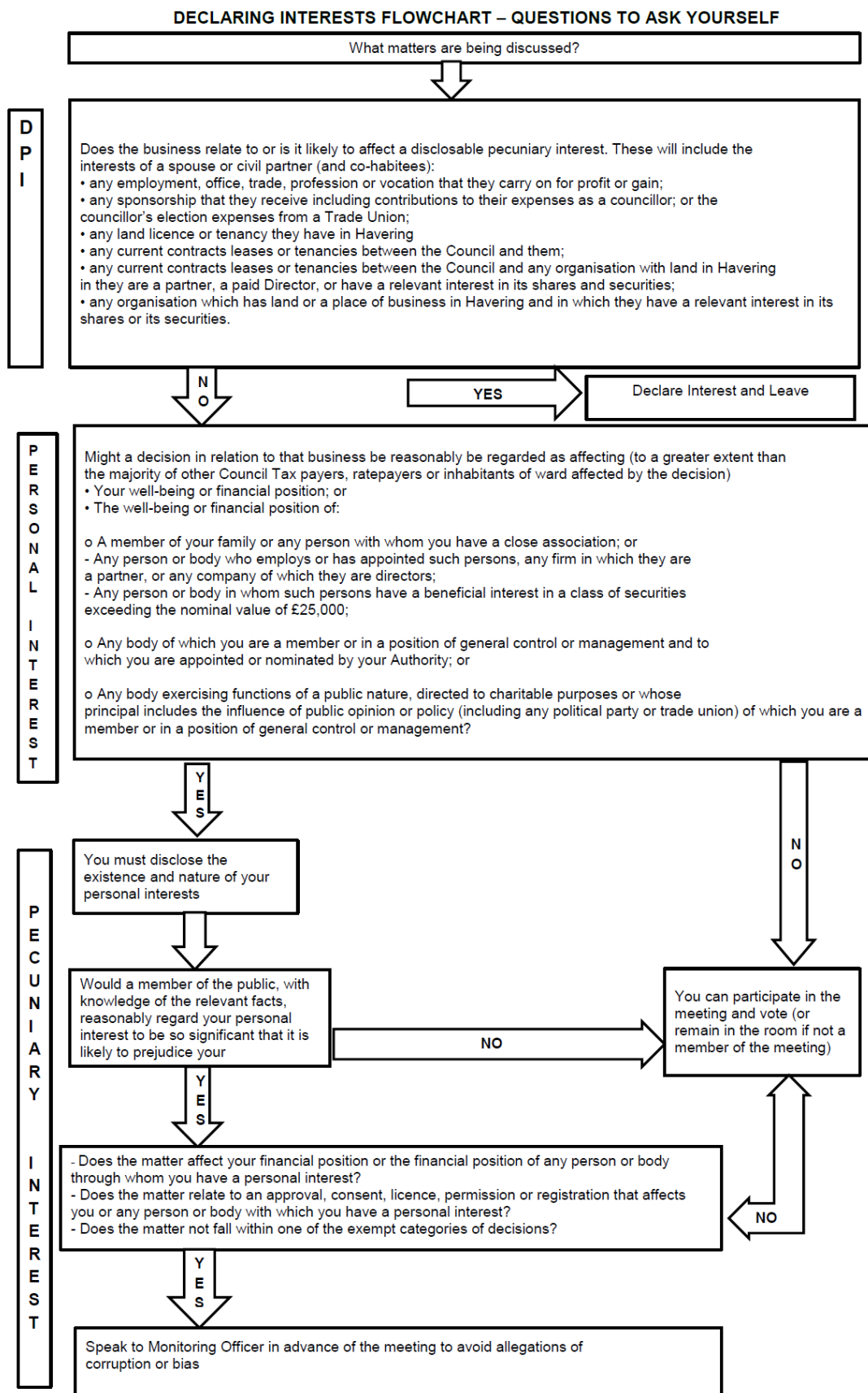
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AGENDA ITEMS

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND ANNOUNCEMENT OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

(if any) - receive

2 DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

Members are invited to disclose any interest in any of the items on the agenda at this point of the meeting.

Members may still disclose any interest in an item at any time prior to the consideration of the matter.

3 CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENT

The Chairman will announce details of the arrangements in case of fire or other events that might require the meeting room or building's evacuation.

4 REPORT OF THE CLERK (Pages 5 - 10)

Report attached – For Noting Only

5 APPLICATION TO VARY A PREMISES LICENCE - THE DRILL HOTEL (Pages 11 - 118)

This application to vary a premises licence is made by Star Pubs Trading Limited under section 34 of the Licensing Act 2003.

Zena Smith
Head of Committee and Election Services



LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

10 November 2025

REPORT

Subject Heading:

**Procedure for the Hearing:
Licensing Act 2003**

Report Author and contact details:

**Taiwo Adeoye
Committee Officer - 01708 433091**

Members are advised that, when considering an application to vary a premises licence, the following options are available to them by virtue of the Licensing Act 2003, Part 3, section 35, paragraphs 3 and 4:

"Where relevant representations are made, the authority must

- (a) hold a hearing to consider them, unless the authority, the applicant and each person who has made such representations agree that a hearing is unnecessary, and
- (b) having regard to the representations, take such steps as it considers necessary for the promotion of the licensing objectives.

The steps are:

- a) modify the conditions of the licence
- b) reject the whole or part of the application

and for this purpose, the conditions of the licence are modified if any of them is altered or omitted or any new condition is added."

The Sub-Committee will also wish to note that, if none of these steps is required, the application must be granted.

Assuming that the Sub-Committee is satisfied that a hearing is required, then the following procedural steps are recommended. The Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005 will govern the arrangements for the hearing of the application now under consideration. This report accords with the requirements of that Act and the Regulations, and in particular Regulations 21-25 (procedure at the hearing).

1. Membership of the Sub-Committee:

- 1.1 The Sub-Committee comprises three members of the Licensing Committee, with a quorum of two members. **Unless there are objections, in the absence of three members, the hearing shall proceed with the quorum of two.**
- 1.2 A members of the Licensing Committee will be excluded from hearing an application where he or she:
 - 1.2.1 has considered an application in respect of the premises in the previous 12 months as a Member of the Regulatory Services Committee; or
 - 1.2.2 is a Ward Councillor for the Ward in which the premises, subject to the application, are located; or
 - 1.2.3 is a Ward Councillor for a Ward which is likely to be affected by the application or;
 - 1.2.4 has a personal interest in the application.

2. Roles of other participants:

- 2.1 The Legal Advisor is not a party to the hearing. The role of the Legal Advisor is to provide legal advice relating to the application and submissions.
- 2.2 The Clerk is not a party to the hearing. The role of the Clerk is to record the hearing and the decisions of the Sub-Committee, and ensure efficient administration

3. Location and facilities:

- 3.1 All hearings will be heard at the Havering Town Hall unless otherwise directed.
- 3.2 Interpreters will be provided by the Council on request, provided notice is given at least five working days before the hearing.

4. Notification of attendance:

- 4.1 The Chairman will enquire of the parties who is in attendance and the parties will indicate their names (and, where relevant, whom they represent). A register will be circulated before the commencement of the hearing on which the applicant, his/her advisers and companions and all interested parties (and/or their representatives) will be asked to record their attendance.

5. Procedural matters:

- 5.1 Prior to the commencement of the hearing, the Chairman of the Sub-Committee will orally inform the parties whether their applications to have certain people attend the hearing (e.g. witnesses) have been granted or refused. Note this relates to people other than those attending on behalf of a party in the capacity as a representative of the party.
- 5.2 Prior to the commencement of the hearing the Chairman of the Sub-Committee will outline the procedure to be followed at the hearing. This will normally be as follows:

Introduction of the application:

The Licensing officer will outline:

- details of the application and relevant representations received from the parties;
- relevant legislation ;
- relevant Licensing Policy; and
- the time limit in which the Council must reach a determination.

Documentary evidence:

- Documentary or other information in support of applications, representations or notices should be provided to the Clerk of the Sub-Committee at least 5 clear working days before the hearing. If this information is produced at the hearing it will only be taken into account by the Sub-Committee if the Sub-Committee and all the parties consent to its submission. Permission to have this information included in the hearing should be requested at the beginning of the hearing before any oral submissions have been made.
- Statements made by people in support of a party's representation who are not present at the hearing, must be signed by the maker, dated and witnessed by another person. The statement must also contain the witness's full name and occupation.

Representations:

- The chairman will invite each of the parties at the hearing or their representative sequentially to address the Sub-Committee and call any person/s to whom permission has been granted to appear. Each party will be allowed a maximum period of 10 minutes in which to address the Sub-Committee and call persons on his/her behalf.
- This 10 minute period is where each party has the opportunity to orally address the Sub-Committee and clarify any points in which the Sub-Committee has sought clarification prior to the hearing. This 10 minute period should be uninterrupted unless a member of the Sub-Committee or Legal Advisor considers that the speaker is making submissions that are irrelevant, frivolous or vexatious.
- Members of the Sub-Committee may ask questions of any party, at any time during the proceedings. Time taken in dealing with a Member's question will not be taken into account in determining the length of time available to the party in question to make their representation.

The sequence in which each of the parties will be invited to address the Sub-Committee will normally be in the order of:

- the Chief Officer of Police;
- the Fire Authority;
- the Health and Safety at Work Enforcing Authority;
- the Local Planning Authority;
- the Local environmental Health Authority;
- the Local Weights and Measures Authority;
- the Authority Responsible for the Protection of Children from Harm;
- a navigation or other authority responsible for waterways; and
- any other party that has submitted representations in respect of the application, certificate, notice or other matter appearing before the Sub-Committee;
- the party that has submitted the application, certificate, notice or other matter appearing before the Sub-Committee.

At the discretion of the Sub-Committee the above order may be varied.

Cross-Examination:

Where witnesses have been permitted by the Sub-Committee to speak at the hearing on behalf of a party, permission must be sought from the Sub-Committee before another party can ask the witness questions. This process of questioning is normally referred to as cross-examination. The Sub-Committee will allow cross-examination only

where it is necessary to assist it in considering the representations or application.

Relevance:

Information submitted at the hearing must be relevant to the applications, representations, or notice and the promotion of the licensing objectives. The Chairman of the Sub-Committee is entitled to exclude any information it considers to be irrelevant whether presented in written or oral form. The licensing objectives are:

The prevention of crime and disorder;

Public safety;

The prevention of public nuisance; and

The protection of children from harm.

6. Failure of parties to attend the hearing:

- 6.1 If a party, who has not given prior notice of his/her intention not to attend the hearing, is absent from the hearing the Sub-Committee may either adjourn the hearing or hold the hearing in the party's absence. Where the hearing is held in the absence of a party, the Sub-Committee will still consider the application, representation or notice submitted by that party.

7. Adjournments and extension of time:

- 7.1 The Sub-Committee may adjourn a hearing to a specified date or extend a notice period except where it must make a determination within certain time limits in the following specific applications:
- Review of premises licences following closure orders where the Sub-committee must make a determination within 28 days of receiving notice of the closure order.

8. Sub-Committee's determination of the hearing:

- 8.1 At the conclusion of the hearing the Sub-Committee will deliberate in private accompanied by the Clerk and the Legal Advisor who will be available to assist the Sub-Committee with any legal problems but will not participate in any decision making of the Sub-Committee.
- 8.2 The Sub-Committee will normally make its determination and announce its decision at the end of the hearing.

- 8.3 Where all parties have notified the Sub-Committee that a hearing is not required the Sub-Committee must make its determination within 10 working days of being given notice that the hearing is not required.

9. Power to exclude people from hearing:

- 9.1 The public are entitled to attend the hearing as spectators. However, the Sub-Committee may exclude any person from the hearing including any person assisting or representing a party where:
- it considers that the public interest would be best served by excluding the public or the individual person from the hearing; or
 - that person is behaving in a disruptive manner. This may include a party who is seeking to be heard at the hearing. In the case where a party is to be excluded, the party may submit to the Sub-Committee in writing any information which they would have been entitled to give orally had they not been required to leave the hearing.

10. Recording of proceedings:

- 10.1 A written record of the hearing will be produced and kept for 6 years from the date of the determination of the hearing.

11. Power to vary procedure:

- 11.1 The Sub-committee may depart from following any of the procedures set out in this document if it considers the departure to be necessary in order to consider an application, notice or representation.



Licensing Officer's Report

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LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

10 November 2025

REPORT

Subject heading:

**The Drill Hotel
Brentwood Road Romford RM2 5TD
Premises licence variation application
Mr P Jones, Public Protection Officer
c/o Town Hall Main Road Romford
licensing@havering.gov.uk
01708 432777**

Report author and contact details:

This application to vary a premises licence is made by Star Pubs Trading Limited under section 34 of the Licensing Act 2003. The application was received by Havering's Licensing Authority on 25th September 2025.

Geographical description of the area and description of the building

The Drill Hotel is located at the intersection of Brentwood Road and Slewins Lane. The premises has parking space available for approximately twenty cars. A beer garden is located to the rear of the property. There are commercial and residential properties in the immediate area.



View from Brentwood Road

Details of the application

The application is to permit the following amendments to the licence:

- To extend all licensable activities permitted internally to 00:00 Monday to Thursday and 01:00 Friday and Saturday. (NB These hours do not include the shed bar which will continue to operate under the existing permitted hours, i.e. Monday to Thursday 10:00 to 23:00, Friday and Saturday 10:00 to 00:00 and Sunday 12:00 to 22:30.)
- To permit the licensable activities authorised by this licence to continue on New Year's Eve until the end of permitted hours on New Year's Day, i.e. thirty-nine hours from 10:00 on 31st December until 01:00 2nd January.
- To increase the terminal hours the premises closes to the public following the above changes to Monday to Thursday 08:00 to 00:20 and Friday and Saturday 08:00 to 01:20.
- To add the following condition to the licence:

Notices will be displayed at all exits reminding customers to leave the area quietly and respecting the needs of local residents.

Summary

There were no representations against this application from residents or businesses in the vicinity of the premises.

There were three representations against this application from responsible authorities, namely the Licensing Authority, Havering's Environmental Health Service and the Police.



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Copy of Application

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Application to vary a premises licence under the Licensing Act 2003

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form.
If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

I/WE Star Pubs Trading Limited

(Insert name(s) of applicant)

Being the premises licence holder, apply to vary a premises licence under S34 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below.

Premises Licence Number

Part 1 – Premises Details

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description

Drill Hotel
Brentwood Road
Romford

Post Town Romford

Postcode RM2 5TD

Telephone number at premises

Non-domestic rateable value of premises

Part 2 - Applicant Details

Daytime contact telephone number 0345 878 7076

E-mail address (optional)

Current postal address if different from premises address
45 Mortimer Street
London

Post Town London

Postcode W1W 8HJ

Part 3 - Variation

Do you want the proposed variation to have effect as soon as possible? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If not do you want the variation to take effect from

Day		Month		Year	

Do you want the proposed variation to have effect in relation to the introduction of the late night levy? (Please see guidance note 1) ☐ Yes ☒ No

Please describe briefly the nature of the proposed variation (please read guidance note 1)

To extend all licensable activities permitted internally by the Premises Licence to 00.00 Monday to Thursday and 01.00 Fridays and Saturdays. For the avoidance of doubt this variation is not required for the shed bar and this will continue to operate under the existing hours permitted by the Premises Licence for the sale of alcohol (Monday to Thursday – 10:00 to 23:00, Friday & Saturday – 10:00 to 00:00 and Sunday – 12:00 to 22:30).

To permit licensable activities authorised by this licence to continue on New Years Eve until the end of permitted hours on New Years Day.

Increase the timings the premises closes to the public following the above change to
Monday to Thursday – 08:00 to 00:20
Friday & Saturday – 08:00 to 01:20

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

Part 4 Operating Schedule

Please complete those parts of the Operating Schedule below which would be subject to change if this application to vary is successful

Provision of regulated entertainment

Please tick yes

- | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| a) plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A) | ☐ |
| b) films (if ticking yes, fill in box B) | ☐ |
| c) indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C) | ☐ |
| d) boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D) | ☐ |
| e) live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E) | ☒ |
| f) recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F) | ☒ |
| g) performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G) | ☐ |
| h) anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g)
(if ticking yes, fill in box H) | ☐ |

<u>Provision of late night refreshment</u> (if ticking yes, fill in box I)	☐
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<u>Supply of alcohol</u> (if ticking yes, fill in box J)	☒
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In all cases complete boxes K, L and M

A

Plays Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			<u>Will the performance of a play take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	☐
				Outdoors	☐
				Both	☐
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Mon					
Tue					
Wed					
Thur			<u>State any seasonal variations for performing plays</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Fri					
Sat					
Sun					
			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of plays at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 7)		

B

Films Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			<u>Will the exhibition of films take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	☐
				Outdoors	☐
Day	Start	Finish		Both	☐
Mon			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Tue					
Wed			<u>State any seasonal variations for the exhibition of films</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Thur					
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the exhibition of films at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 7)		
Sat					
Sun					

C

Indoor sporting events Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			<u>Please give further details</u> (please read guidance note 5)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon			
Tue			<u>State any seasonal variations for indoor sporting events</u> (please read guidance note 6)
Wed			
Thur			
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for indoor sporting events at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 7)
Sat			
Sun			

D

Boxing or wrestling entertainments Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			<u>Will the boxing or wrestling entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	☐
				Outdoors	☐
Day	Start	Finish		Both	☐
Mon			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Tue					
Wed			<u>State any seasonal variations for boxing or wrestling entertainment</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Thur					
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for boxing or wrestling entertainment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 7)		
Sat					
Sun					

E

Live music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			<u>Will the performance of live music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	☒
				Outdoors	☐
				Both	☐
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Mon		00.00			
Tue		00.00			
Wed		00.00	<u>State any seasonal variations for the performance of live music</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Thur		00.00			
Fri		01.00			
Sat		01.00	<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of live music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 7) To permit licensable activities authorised by this licence to continue on New Years Eve until the end of permitted hours on New Years Day.		
Sun					

F

Recorded music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			<u>Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	☒
				Outdoors	☐
Day	Start	Finish		Both	☐
Mon		00.00	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Tue		00.00			
Wed		00.00	<u>State any seasonal variations for the playing of recorded music</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Thur		00.00			
Fri		01.00	<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the playing of recorded music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 7) To permit licensable activities authorised by this licence to continue on New Years Eve until the end of permitted hours on New Years Day.		
Sat		01.00			
Sun					

G

Performances of dance Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			<u>Will the performance of dance take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	☐
				Outdoors	☐
Day	Start	Finish		Both	☐
Mon			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Tue					
Wed			<u>State any seasonal variations for the performance of dance</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Thur					
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of dance at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 7)		
Sat					
Sun					

H

Anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			<u>Please give a description of the type of entertainment you will be providing</u>		
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Will this entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	☐
Mon				Outdoors	☐
				Both	☐
Tue			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Wed					
Thur			<u>State any seasonal variations for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g)</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Fri					
Sat			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 7)		
Sun					

Late night refreshment Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			Will the provision of late night refreshment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	☐
				Outdoors	☐
				Both	☐
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Mon					
Tue					
Wed			<u>State any seasonal variations for the provision of late night refreshment</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Thur					
Fri					
Sat			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of late night refreshment at different times, to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 7)		
Sun					

J

Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			<u>Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption (Please tick box)</u> (please read guidance note 9)	On the premises	☐
				Off the premises	☐
Day	Start	Finish		Both	☒
Mon		00.00	<u>State any seasonal variations for the supply of alcohol</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Tue		00.00			
Wed		00.00			
Thur		00.00	<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the supply of alcohol at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 7) To permit licensable activities authorised by this licence to continue on New Years Eve until the end of permitted hours on New Years Day.		
Fri		01.00			
Sat		01.00			
Sun					

K

Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 10) NONE

L

Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			<u>State any seasonal variations</u> (please read guidance note 6)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon		00.20	
Tue		00.20	
Wed		00.20	
Thur		00.20	<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend the premises to be open to the public at different times from those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 7)
Fri		01.20	
Sat		01.20	
Sun			

Please identify those conditions currently imposed on the licence which you believe could be removed as a consequence of the proposed variation you are seeking

- I have enclosed the premises licence ☒
- I have enclosed the relevant part of the premises licence ☐

If you have not ticked one of these boxes please fill in reasons for not including the licence, or part of it, below

Reasons why I have failed to enclose the premises licence or relevant part of premises licence

M- Describe any additional steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives as a result of the proposed variation

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e) (please read guidance note 11)

The premises already has a number of measures in place which are conditioned that mitigate against noise and disturbance to residents which include the below and these will remain:-

The premises licence holder shall check sound levels outside the premises on a regular basis.

Customers are to be shown off the premises and encouraged to disperse in an orderly manner.

A noise limiter shall be installed where live or recorded amplified music is to be played. Details of the noise limiter shall be submitted to the local authority (Public Protection) for approval prior to its installation.

All external doors and windows on the Slewins Lane elevations of the Premises must be kept closed after 19:00 other than for access and egress.

A Public Nuisance Policy is to be agreed between the Premises Licence Holder (PLH) and/or the DPS and the Environmental Health Officer of Havering LBC(EHO). The Policy or any variations thereto that may be agreed between the PLH, DPS or EHO will be adhered to at all times.

No customers are to be admitted to the venue after 23:00.

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

c) Public safety

d) The prevention of public nuisance

Notices will be displayed at all exits reminding customers to leave the area quietly and respecting the needs of local residents.

e) The protection of children from harm

Checklist:

Please tick to indicate agreement

- I have made or enclosed payment of the fee; or ☒
- I have not made or enclosed payment of the fee because this application has been made in relation to the introduction of the late night levy. ☐
- I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable ☒
- I understand that I must now advertise my application
- I have enclosed the premises licence or relevant part of it or explanation ☒
- I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected ☒

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

Part 5 – Signatures (please read guidance note 12)

Signature of applicant (the current premises licence holder) or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (See guidance note 13). If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.

Signature	
Date	25/09/2025
Capacity	Solicitors for and on behalf of the applicant

Where the premises licence is jointly held, signature of 2nd applicant (the current premises licence holder) or 2nd applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent. (please read guidance note 14). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

Signature	
Date	
Capacity	

Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 13)	
Zoe Bull Flint Bishop Limited Pinnacle House 2 Prospect Place Derby DE24 8HG	
Telephone number (if any)	01332 340 211
If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail your e-mail address (optional) zoe.bull@flintbishop.co.uk	

Notes for Guidance

This application cannot be used to vary the licence so as to extend the period for which the licence has effect or to vary substantially the premises to which it relates. If you wish to make that type of change to the premises licence, you should make a new premises licence application under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003.

1. You do not have to pay a fee if the only purpose of the variation for which you are applying is to avoid becoming liable for the late night levy
2. Describe 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 of consumption of these off-supplies of alcohol, you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.

3. 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:
 - a performance of unamplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, on any premises.
 - 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.
 - 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.
 - 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.
 - 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:
 - 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.
 - 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.
 - 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.

- 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:
 - any entertainment taking place on the premises of the local authority where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the local authority;
 - 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;
 - any entertainment taking place on the premises of the school where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the school proprietor; and
 - 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.
4. Where taking place in a building or other structure please tick as appropriate (indoors may include a tent).
 5. For example 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.
 6. For example (but not exclusively), where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.
 7. For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.
 8. Please 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.
 9. If you wish people to be able to consume alcohol on the premises, please tick 'on the premises'. If you wish people to be able to purchase alcohol to consume away from the premises, please tick 'off the premises'. If you wish people to be able to do both, please tick 'both'.
 10. Please 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 or the presence of gaming machines.
 11. Please list here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.
 12. The application form must be signed.
 13. An applicant's agent (for example solicitor) may sign the form on their behalf provided that they have actual authority to do so.
 14. Where there is more than one applicant, each of the applicants or their respective agents must sign the application form.
 15. This is the address which we shall use to correspond with you about this application. to correspond with you about this application.

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Part A

Premises licence number

1237

Part 1 – premises details

Postal address of premises

**The Drill Hotel
Brentwood Road Romford RM2 5TD**

Where the licence is time limited the dates

Not applicable

Licensable activities authorised by the licence

Live music, recorded music, supply of alcohol

The times the licence authorises the carrying out of licensable activities

**Monday to Thursday – 10:00 to 23:00, Friday & Saturday – 10:00 to 00:00
Sunday – 12:00 to 22:30**

The licensed house will be extended on Sundays before Bank Holiday Monday, Christmas Eve and Boxing Day to 12 midnight.

The opening hours of the premises

**Monday to Thursday – 08:00 to 23:20, Friday & Saturday – 08:00 to 00:20
Sunday – 08:00 to 22:50**

The opening hours will be extended on Sundays before Bank Holiday Monday, Christmas Eve and Boxing Day to 00:20hrs.

Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol whether these are on and/ or off supplies

On and off supplies

Part 2

Name, (registered) address, telephone number and email (where relevant) of holder of premises licence

**Star Pubs Trading Limited
45 Mortimer Street, London, W1W 8HJ**

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Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

03512363

Name and address of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol

Ms Kimberley Fitzgibbon

Personal licence number and issuing authority of personal licence held by designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol

Mandatory conditions

1. No supply of alcohol may be made under the premises licence:
 - (a) at a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of the premises licence, or
 - (b) at a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or his personal licence is suspended.
2. Every supply of alcohol under the premises licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.
3. (1) The responsible person must ensure that staff on relevant premises do not carry out, arrange or participate in any irresponsible promotions in relation to the premises.
(2) In this paragraph, an irresponsible promotion means any one or more of the following activities, or substantially similar activities, carried on for the purpose of encouraging the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises—
 - (a) games or other activities which require or encourage, or are designed to require or encourage, individuals to—
 - (i) drink a quantity of alcohol within a time limit (other than to drink alcohol sold or supplied on the premises before the cessation of the period in which the responsible person is authorised to sell or supply alcohol), or
 - (ii) drink as much alcohol as possible (whether within a time limit or otherwise);
 - (b) provision of unlimited or unspecified quantities of alcohol free or for a fixed or discounted fee to the public or to a group defined by a particular characteristic in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
 - (c) provision of free or discounted alcohol or any other thing as a prize to encourage or reward the purchase and consumption of alcohol over a period of 24 hours or less in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
 - (d) selling or supplying alcohol in association with promotional posters or flyers on, or in the vicinity of, the premises which can reasonably be considered to condone, encourage or glamorise anti-social behaviour or to refer to the effects of drunkenness in any favourable manner;

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- (e) dispensing alcohol directly by one person into the mouth of another (other than where that other person is unable to drink without assistance by reason of disability).
- 4. The responsible person must ensure that free potable water is provided on request to customers where it is reasonably available.
- 5. (1) The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.
(2) The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licence must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.
(3) The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either—
 - (a) a holographic mark, or
 - (b) an ultraviolet feature.
- 6. The responsible person must ensure that—
 - (a) where any of the following alcoholic drinks is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises (other than alcoholic drinks sold or supplied having been made up in advance ready for sale or supply in a securely closed container) it is available to customers in the following measures—
 - (i) beer or cider: ½ pint;
 - (ii) gin, rum, vodka or whisky: 25 ml or 35 ml; and
 - (iii) still wine in a glass: 125 ml;
 - (b) these measures are displayed in a menu, price list or other printed material which is available to customers on the premises; and
 - (c) where a customer does not in relation to a sale of alcohol specify the quantity of alcohol to be sold, the customer is made aware that these measures are available.
- 7. A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.
- 8. For the purposes of the condition set out in paragraph 7 —
 - (a) “duty” is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979;
 - (b) “permitted price” is the price found by applying the formula —
$$P=D+(D \times V)$$
where —
 - (i) P is the permitted price,
 - (ii) D is the amount of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and

- (iii) V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol;
 - (c) “relevant person” means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence —
 - (i) the holder of the premises licence,
 - (ii) the designated premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or
 - (iii) the personal licence holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence;
 - (d) “relevant person” means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and
 - (e) “value added tax” means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994.
9. Where the permitted price given by paragraph (b) of paragraph 8 would (apart from this paragraph) not be a whole number of pennies, the price given by that sub-paragraph shall be taken to be the price actually given by that sub-paragraph rounded up to the nearest penny.
10. (1) Sub-paragraph (2) applies where the permitted price given by paragraph (b) of paragraph 8 on a day (“the first day”) would be different from the permitted price on the next day (“the second day”) as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax.
- (2) The permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.

Annex 2 – conditions consistent with the operating schedule

1. The premises licence holder shall attend Safe and Sound meetings and act on recommendations from local Police.
2. Toilets shall be checked regularly for drug usage, a log shall be made of the staff member checking and at what time. This log shall be available to view by authorities when requested.
3. The premises licence holder shall check sound levels outside the premises on a regular basis.
4. Customers are to be shown off the premises and encouraged to disperse in an orderly manner.
5. Alcohol is permitted to be supplied from the end of permitted hours on New Year’s Eve to the start of permitted hours on the following day.
6. All staff shall be suitably trained for their job function for the premises. The training shall be written into a programme ongoing and under constant review and must be made available to a relevant responsible authority when called upon.

7. A proof of age scheme namely “Challenge 25” shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are a recognised photographic identification card such as a driving licence or a passport.
8. All occasions when persons have been refused service shall be recorded in written form and kept at the premises for six months. If no refusals have been made records shall still be kept. Prominent clear notices shall be displayed at the premises about the supply of alcohol to minors and the relevant offences involved.
9. A person aged less than 18 years of age must only be permitted on the premises when accompanied by a responsible adult (a person over 18).
10. No person aged less than 18 years of age may remain on the premises after 20:00 unless attending a pre-booked function.
11. A noise limiter shall be installed where live or recorded amplified music is to be played. Details of the noise limiter shall be submitted to the local authority (Public Protection) for approval prior to its installation.
12. Entertainment shall be held internally only and no music or speakers shall be provided to external areas of the premises.
13. All external doors and windows on the Slewins Lane elevations of the Premises must be kept closed after 19:00 other than for access and egress.
14. A properly specified and fully operational CCTV system shall be installed and maintained to a satisfactory standard. The system shall incorporate a camera covering each of the entrance doors to the premises. CCTV must be capable of providing an image which is regarded as identification standard of all persons entering and/or leaving the premises. All other areas of risk identified in the operational requirements shall have coverage appropriate to the risk. Management to be on call to provide further information as required.
15. The CCTV system shall incorporate a recording facility and all recordings shall be securely stored for a minimum of one calendar month. A system shall be in place to maintain the quality of the recorded image and a complete audit trail maintained. The system shall comply with other essential legislation and all signs as required shall be clearly displayed. The system shall be maintained and fully operational throughout the hours that the premises are open for any licensable activity.
16. A staff member from the premises who can operate the CCTV system shall be on the premises at all times when the premises are open for business. This staff member shall be able to show Police recent data or footage with the absolute minimum of delay when requested. Training of staff shall be undertaken to enable on the spot playback.
17. Recordings shall be made available to an authorised person of the Licensing Authority or Havering Police together with facilities for viewing. The recordings for the proceeding two events shall be made available immediately on request and recordings outside this period shall be made available within 24 hours.

Annex 2 – conditions consistent with the operating schedule – contd.

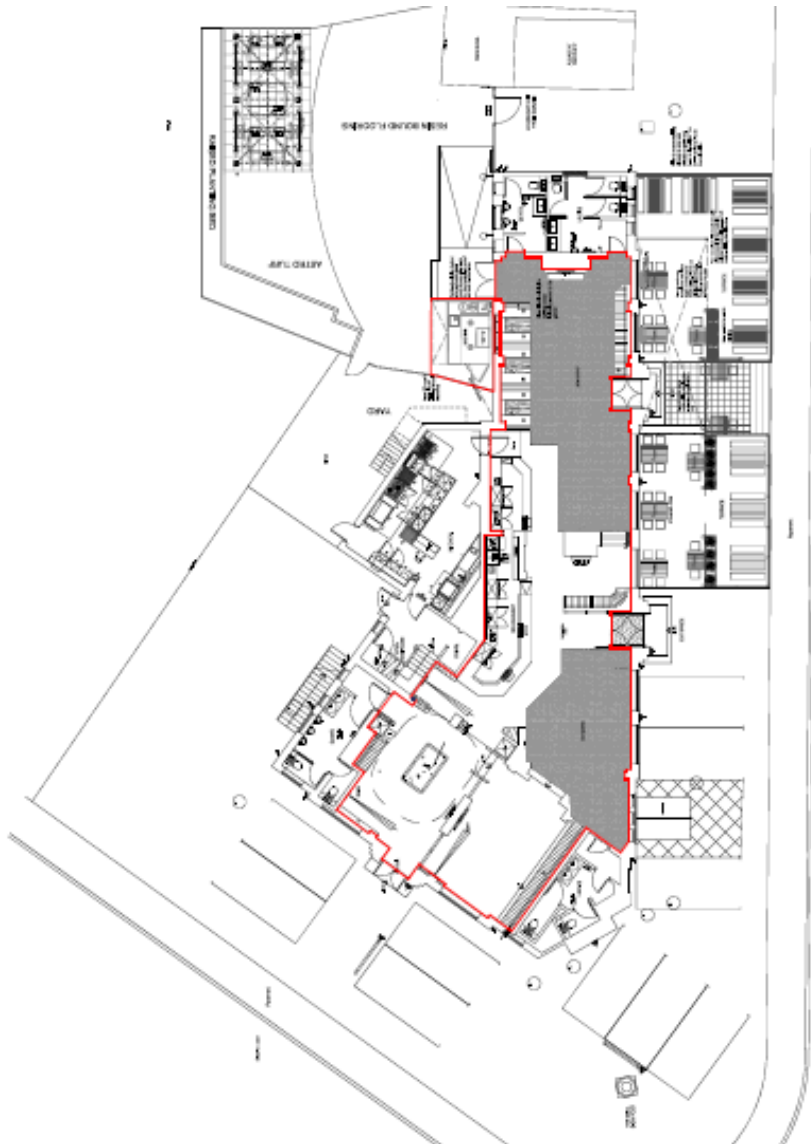
- 18. A Public Nuisance Policy is to be agreed between the Premises Licence Holder (PLH) and/or the DPS and the Environmental Health Officer of Havering LBC(EHO). The Policy or any variations thereto that may be agreed between the PLH, DPS or EHO will be adhered to at all times.**

Annex 3 – conditions attached after a hearing by the Licensing Authority

- 1. No customers are to be admitted to the venue after 23:00.**

Annex 4 – premises plan

Original premises plans are held by the Licensing Authority of the London Borough of Havering.



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Part B

Premises licence summary

Premises licence number

1237

Premises details

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On and off supplies

Name, (registered) address of holder of premises licence

Star Pubs Trading Limited
45 Mortimer Street, London, W1W 8HJ

Registered number of holder

03512363

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Name of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol

Ms Kimberley Fitzgibbon

State whether access to the premises by children is restricted or prohibited

Restricted

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Representations from Responsible Authorities

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Licensing Act 2003 Responsible Authority representation

This representation is made by a responsible Authority for the London Borough of Havering concerning an application for a premises licence variation for the premises as detailed below.

Premises Name and address: The Drill Hotel Brentwood Road Romford RM2 5TD

Your Name: Oisin Daly

Organisation name/name of body you represent: London Borough of Havering/Licensing

Your Address: C/O, Town Hall, Main Road, Romford, Essex, RM1 3BD

Email: Oisin.daly@haverling.gov.uk

Contact telephone number: 01708 432555

Summary of Objection: Objection to an application for a variation to a premises licence as if granted likely to undermine the licensing objectives of the prevention of crime and disorder and public nuisance.

Policy Considerations:

12. Licensing Hours

12.1 When dealing with new and variation applications the Licensing Authority may give more favourable consideration to applications with the following closing times: Public Houses and Bars 23:00 hours Sunday to Thursday Midnight Friday and Saturday Nightclubs 01:00 hours Sunday to Thursday 02:00 hours Friday and Saturday Restaurants and Cafes 23:00 hours Sunday to Thursday Midnight- Friday and Saturday Off licences 23:00 Monday to Sundays Hot food and drink supplied by takeaways, fast food premises Midnight- Sunday to Thursdays 01:00 Friday and Saturday Hotel residents only 24 hours sale of alcohol for on sales only

12.2 Consideration will also be given to the type of area that the premises is located in with regulated activities normally being permitted until 23.30 in residential areas and 00.30 in mixed use areas.

12.3 The above hours are a guide and each application will be considered on it's own merits.

12.4 The above hours are intended to guide applicants on the Licensing Authority's expectations when preparing their operating schedules.

12.5 For applications within the above hours there is no presumption that the application will automatically be granted in all cases where a relevant representation has been made. If no representations are received, the application will be granted by the licensing authority

under delegated powers.

12.6 Applicants who wish to provide licensable activities outside the hours specified above should ensure where relevant the operating schedule specifies detailed measures to militate against crime, disorder and public nuisance etc. taking into account:

- The location of the premises and the character of the area in which they are situated
- The proposed hours during which licensable activities will take place
- The adequacy of the applicant's proposals to prevent crime and disorder and prevent public nuisance
- Whether customers have access to public transport when arriving at or leaving the premises
- The proximity of the premises to other licensed premises in the vicinity and the hours of operation of those other premises policies and proposals for the orderly dispersal of customers.

17. Noise

17.1 The Licensing Authority is committed to protecting the amenity of residents and businesses in the vicinity of licenced premises, particularly when late hours have been sought. Where relevant representations are received, the Licensing Authority will request appropriate restrictions or controls on the licence to support the prevention of undue noise disturbance from licensed premises.

17.2 The Licensing Authority will seek to balance the protection of residents from undue disturbance against noise and the activity that is the natural by-product of people going about their business, entertainment or leisure.

17.3 The Licensing Authority expects that premises intended for the provision of noise-generating licensable activities are acoustically controlled and engineered to a degree where the noise from the premises when compared to the ambient noise level will not cause undue disturbance. The Licensing Authority recognises specific difficulties associated with premises structurally linked to would be licensed premises and the limit of sound insulation performance that can be achieved. In some circumstances licensed premises adjoining residential properties may not be appropriate.

Representation

This representation against the application is primarily based on the fact that the premises is situated within a residential area and the public nuisance licensing objective is likely to be undermined.

The Authority recognises that the premises is on a busy roundabout and close to a mixed-use commercial area, however, there have been issues in the past with patrons congregating in the area upon egress causing noise nuisance to neighbours.

The authority also recognise that the current tenants are good operators and have a good working relationship with the council. Unfortunately, the location does lend itself to being a premise with a presence in the late night economy. The commercial value of trading later has to be balanced with the needs of local residents reflected in the local licensing policy.

The hours requested sit outside the recommended policy hours for licensed premises in a residential area. The current licence already authorises licensable activities until 00:00 on Friday and Saturday nights.

Any further extension of hours is likely to increase noise nuisance, specifically from regulated entertainment and live music. Whilst residents in the vicinity may have become accustomed to the current noise levels, any extension could cause additional disturbance. The background noise levels from traffic would be lower at 01:00hrs and as a result the noise from those levels would be heard more acutely.

Dispersal from the premises would also be later. It is conceivable that a customer could get their last order at 01:00hrs, exit the premises at 01:20 and congregate externally, awaiting a taxi or speaking to friends before departing. Whilst the request for later hours for licensable activity is until 01:00, there is a risk that disturbance and nuisance could continue far beyond those hours.

Considering the risk of undermining the crime and disorder licensing objective, with increased hours of the sale of alcohol comes higher levels of intoxication. This can impact on an individual's decision making abilities and become a risk factor in issues of anti-social behaviour and violence.

It can cause customers to be louder and more boisterous, again having the potential for disturbance to residents. Previous incidents at the premises have been at dispersal where fights have occurred in the street.

Conclusion

The Licensing Authority respectfully requests that the licensing sub-committee refuse the extension of licensable activities at the premises as it is against the recommendations with the Authority's policy hours and is likely to undermine the licensing objectives.

Complaint and Inspection History (if applicable)

N/A

Other documents attached

N/A

Signed

Oisín Daly

Dated: 02nd October 2025

From: Mike Richardson <[REDACTED]>
Sent: 20 October 2025 17:57
To: Zoe Bull <[REDACTED]>
Cc: Oisin Daly <[REDACTED]>; Licensing <Licensing@haverling.gov.uk>;
Stockman Chris J - EA-CU <[REDACTED]>; Grote Ellis N - EA-CU
<[REDACTED]>
Subject: SRU154341 - Drill Variation, Brentwood Road Romford

Dear Sirs

I refer to the recent application for a variation to the premises licence at The Drill, to extend the hours of the premises licence until 00.00 hours Monday-Thursday and 01.00 hours Friday and Saturday. I am assuming that the terminal hour on a Sunday will remain until 22.30 hours. I am commenting on the application regarding the Prevention of Public Nuisance.

Whilst I appreciate that the use of the shed bar will continue to be used under the hours permitted by the current licence (until 23.00 hours Monday-Thursday and 00.00 Friday and Saturday, 22.30 Sunday) I have concerns regarding the proposals, particularly around the use of the beer garden (irrespective of the time of closing of the shed bar) and the noise from customers as they leave the premises in the early hours of the morning.

I note that the current conditions indicate that a Public Nuisance Policy is to be agreed between the premises licence holder/DPS and the Environmental Health team at the Council. I cannot find any records that this has agreed by the Council, and would be grateful if a copy of this agreement can be provided. I would also be grateful if you could provide details of the noise limiter installed and used at the premises.

I note that music and speakers are not to be provided to the external areas of the venue (as required by the current licence) which does address some of my concerns, however it does not address the concerns that I have regarding customer noise in the outside areas (particularly in the summer months) until the early hours will cause a public nuisance to those neighbouring residents. This from the front of the pub (facing Tesco and the flats above the shops opposite the venue on Brentwood Road), as well as those properties on Slewins Lane, which overlook the beer garden. No measures to address these concerns have been put forward, to ensure that customer noise does not cause a public nuisance.

Similarly, as customers leave and congregate as they leave, in what is a predominantly residential area in the early hours of the morning, residents will be affected by this noise.

My final concern is that the proposed hours are in excess of the Council's licencing policy, of 23.00 hours Sunday-Thursday, and 00.00 hours Friday and Saturday. No specific measures have been made to address these concerns.

I do appreciate that the Environmental Health team have not received any complaints in the last year regarding the premises, and this could indicate that the pub is well run, and is complying with the licencing objectives, however the extension of hours will inadvertently increase the noise in the area in the early hours, primarily from customer

noise. Whilst I do appreciate that the current conditions of the licence will remain, the control of customer noise has not been adequately addressed, and the application is at odds with the Council's licencing policy. As such I am unable to support the requested application.

I would welcome any comments you may wish to make, and additional measures to be added to the operating schedule to address these concerns. In order for me to address any comments you may wish to make before the consultation period ends, I would welcome your comments by 17 October 2025.

Regards

Mike

Mike Richardson

Team Leader, Environmental Health (Environmental Protection)

Environmental Health

Place Directorate

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20/10/2025

Police Representation - Premises Licence Variation Application - Drill Brentwood Road Romford RM25TD

Dear Licensing Authority

Police acknowledge receipt of a Premises Licence Variation Application for the Drill Brentwood Road Romford RM25TD which we received by email on the 25th September 2025.

The application states the venue wish to extend the hours for **regulated entertainment & the supply of alcohol** to:- **Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday till 0000 hours & Friday & Saturday till 0100 hours**

The applicants states the **opening hours** will be:- **Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 0800 - 0020 hours & Friday & Saturday 0800 - 0120 hours**

On behalf of the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis, consideration has been given to this application and Police object to the application under the following licensing objectives:-

The prevention of public nuisance & the prevention of crime and disorder

The Drill Public House is located within a predominantly residential area, surrounded by private dwellings & small local businesses. The premises currently benefits from a licence permitting the supply of alcohol & regulated entertainment until 2300 hours Monday to Thursday, midnight Friday & Saturday & 2230 hours on Sunday. These hours are consistent with other similar premises located in residential areas & reflect the area's quiet, residential character.

Whilst the premises is generally well managed, Police have concerns that an extension of trading hours to 0120 hours is likely to have an adverse impact on the local community and undermine the above licensing objectives.

Extending the supply of alcohol until 0100 hours will extend the consumption period and may lead to increased levels of intoxication potentially resulting in disturbances & crime & disorder. This will in turn cause the safety of the public to be at risk because of violent crime & the injuries associated with such offences. Intoxication, particularly from alcohol, is frequently associated with violent crime.

Previous experience in Policing has established drunkenness can reduce inhibitions, impair judgment, and increase aggression, making individuals becoming more violent likely.

At around 0015 hours on Christmas Day in 2022 patrons from the venue were involved in a large scale physical altercation in the street (**report 5422534/22 refers & attached as appendix I**). Whilst Police acknowledge this isn't a regular occurrence it does none the less demonstrate that violent offences involving intoxicated patrons have occurred at such hours.

The area surrounding The Drill is not a late night economy zone and lacks the infrastructure such as permanent door staff presence, external CCTV coverage & taxi ranks to safely support premises operating until 0120 hours.

The proposed extension will likely result in increased disturbance to local residents, including noise from customers leaving late at night with some possibly loitering in the area, patrons waiting for taxis, car doors slamming & raised voices. An increase in toxication can result in patrons becoming louder, some using foul language which may cause a nuisance to nearby residents.

Later hours can increase the likelihood of incidents involving intoxicated persons especially when patrons disperse into quiet residential streets. The Police are concerned that operating until 0120 hours could place additional demands on emergency services during a period of reduced staffing and coverage.

If the sub-committee were minded to grant the application Police would seek additional conditions around a requirement for permanent SIA-licensed door supervisors to be employed & the use of an ID scan machine to prevent crime & disorder from occurring.

In conclusion The Drill Public House is situated in a residential location that is not designed to support late-night premises. The proposed extension of regulated entertainment & the supply of alcohol until 0100 hours would likely lead to increased noise, nuisance, and disorder, and is therefore not considered appropriate for the setting.

Police believe that maintaining current hours strikes a fair balance between the interests of the business and the rights of residents to quiet enjoyment of their homes.

Accordingly, the Police cannot support the application & respectfully request that the Licensing Sub-Committee refuse the application.

Submitted respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. Stockman', written in a cursive style.

PC Chris Stockman - East Area Licensing Team

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 Allocated Date/Time: 25/12/2022 16:28
 Allocation Noted? Y Noted Date/Time: 26/12/2022 15:16
 BWV Noted? Y BWV Noted Date/Time: 26/12/2022 15:16

Previous OIC Details

Usual Relief	Duty	Station Branch	Allocated Date/Time	Noted Date/Time	BWV Noted Date/Time
PC 255587	J READ AA Borough Uniform	EAEREAE	25/12/2022 01:23	25/12/2022 08:38	25/12/2022 08:38

OIC Supervisor: DS3875EA/232485 C WHISTON

Press

Suitable for Press? N
 Restrictions:
 Is this a Specrim? N
 Date/Time:
 Was a Firearm Used? N
 Was other Weapon Used? N
 Are there Terrorist Implications? N
 Was a Suspect present on Police arrival? Y
 No. of Suspects Present: 3

Was the Suspect(s) arrested? Y
No. of Suspects Arrested: 3

Source System References

Source System Name	Source System Reference	Entered Date/Time	Entered By
CAD	000016/25DEC22	25/12/2022 01:15	PC /256721 T LANGHAM

Totals

Total Values:

Stolen £:	Outstanding £:	Damaged £:
Recovered £:		Damaged On Recovery £:

Total:

VIW(s):	2	Property	0	Vehicles(s):	0
Accused:	0	Suspect(s):	4	CAIT Subject(s):	0

Drugs/Fraud

Is this CR for an arrest for possession etc. (not theft) of controlled drugs?
If Fraudulent Use-Item Used: N

DV/Hate Crime

Is this a Hate Crime/Domestic Incident/Carer Abuse? N

Domestic Incident? Forced Marriage?

Honour Based Violence? Hate Crime?
Carer Abuse?

Initial Risk Assessment (SPECSS+):

Completed by:

Initial Risk Assessment Management Supervised?
Completed by:

Current Risk Assessment (SPECSS+):

Completed by:

Form 124D Completed?

Completed by:

Form124D Supervised?

Completed by:

Received by the CSU?

CSU Reference

Completed by:

LGBT Relationship?

Category of Hate Crime

Race?

Faith/Religion/Belief?
Homophobia?

Religion Name:

Transphobia?

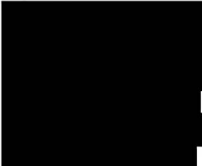
Disability?

Targeted because of Vulnerability?

Digital Evidence

Is there Body Worn Video content in this case? Y

Audio/Visual Content

#	AV Type	WtNo	Exhibit No	Evidential	Master	Link/66	Content shows
1	BWV Footage	255587		Y			Attendance, Arrest Suspect

#	AV Type	WtNo	Exhibit No	Evidential	Master	Link/66	Content shows
2	BWV Footage	255812		Y		[REDACTED]	Attendance, Arrest Suspect
3	BWV Footage	255923		Y		[REDACTED]	Locating Injured Suspect
4	BWV Footage	238624		N		[REDACTED]	Police engagement with [REDACTED] which shows injury to his left arm
5	BWV Footage	255587		Y		[REDACTED]	Further arrest for affray

Location

OMPD?

Address:

Ginger Spice Restaurant,UNIT 1,395-405,BRENTWOOD ROAD,
ROMFORD,ESSEX,RM2 5TH

Location Text:

GLU: KD Local Id: KD17 Grid Ref: 553133,189229
Watch Area:

Main

Location Type(s): FA Street

Is the Venue covered by CCTV or in a CCTV Area? U

CCTV Options:

Approach:

Entry Method:

Entry Point:

Exit Point:

Security:

Person On Premises?

Other Info:

Internal Transfer

Date/Time	Transferred By	Previous GLU	Previous IU
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Transfer From MPS

Transfer from Met To:-

Service:

Station:

Their Reference:

Received By:-

Rank:

Number:

Surname:

Data Protection Act - Dispose Of As Confidential Waste
PC CJ STOCKMAN 2212EA 215349
CR:5422534/22 CrType:C Notifiable/MPS/Other:N-9 Status:U Press:N Class:S/ABH GLU:KD
Victim/Informant/Witness
Details

VIW No: 1 Of: 2
Role(s): I

Total - Victims: 1
Total Witness: 1

CAIT Subject No:

Personal Details

Co/Public Body? Title: MS
Surname: [REDACTED]
Co./Forenames: [REDACTED]
Date of Birth: WITHHELD Age Estimated:
App. Age or From: Over 18 To:
Sex: F
Ethnic Appearance: 1 Self Class Ethnicity: W1 White - British
Occupation: BAR STAFF Occupation relevant to offence: N
School or College:

GLU: Local ID: GridRef:
National of 1: UNITED KINGDOM
Passport No 1:
National of 2:
Passport No 2:
Religion:

Address Details

VIW's Address is same as VEN?

Address:

WITHHELD

GLU: WITHHELD Local ID: WITHHELD GridRef: WITHHELD

Home Intelligence Unit: WITHHELD

PCM: P CNAA Reason:

Contact Details:

Home: WITHHELD Business: WITHHELD

Mobile: WITHHELD Other: WITHHELD

Email: WITHHELD

Data Protection Act - Dispose Of As Confidential Waste
PC CJ STOCKMAN 2212EA 215349
CR:5422534/22 CrType:C Notifiable/MPS/Other:N-9 Status:U Press:N Class:S/ABH GLU:KD
**Victim/Informant/Witness
Details**

Injury Details

Injury Degree:
Injury Description:
Description/Dress:

Vulnerable/intimidated Victim/Witness? WITHHELD
Reason for Vulnerability/Intimidation: WITHHELD

Victim Interviews

Interview Type	Date of Interview	Start Time	Location	Other Persons Present	Interviewing Officer	eStatement Ref No
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Actions

MG11 Taken?	Witness Albums Visited?	N
Victim of Reported Crime to Police in last 12 months?		
Is V willing for VSS to be informed?		
V Code of Practice Applicable?		

Changed To	Entered By	Date
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VCOP Actn Compl?

Fraud Cl'rurp
NFRC

Date:

Knows Suspect No.	How Known
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Aware of Suspect No.	How Victim or Witness aware of Arrest
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Knows Accused No. **How Known**

Needs

Does anyone perceive VIW to be Deaf and/or Disabled? N
If Yes, who? VIW/Other:

Details of Disability:

Physical Access Needs:

Personal Care Needs:

Medical Needs:

Communication Needs:

Sexual Orientation:

Gender Identity:

Officer's Notes:

Data Protection Act - Dispose Of As Confidential Waste
PC CJ STOCKMAN 2212EA 215349
CR:5422534/22 CrType:C Notifiable/MPS/Other:N-9 Status:U Press:N Class:S/ABH GLU:KD
Victim/Informant/Witness
Details

VIW No: 2 Of: 2
Role(s): V W

Total - Victims: 1
Total Witness: 1

CAIT Subject No:

Personal Details

Co/Public Body? [REDACTED] Title: MR
Surname: [REDACTED]
Co./Forenames: [REDACTED]
Date of Birth: WITHHELD Age Estimated:
App. Age or From: Over 18 To:
Sex: M
Ethnic Appearance: 1 Self Class Ethnicity: W1 White - British
Occupation: Occupation relevant to offence: N
School or College:

GLU: Local ID: GridRef:
National of 1:
Passport No 1:
National of 2:
Passport No 2:
Religion:

Address Details

VIW's Address is same as VEN?
Address:
WITHHELD
GLU: WITHHELD Local ID: WITHHELD GridRef: WITHHELD
Home Intelligence Unit: WITHHELD

PCM: P CNAAC Reason:

Contact Details:
Home: WITHHELD Business: WITHHELD
Mobile: WITHHELD Other: WITHHELD
Email: WITHHELD

Data Protection Act - Dispose Of As Confidential Waste
PC CJ STOCKMAN 2212EA 215349
CR:5422534/22 CrType:C Notifiable/MPS/Other:N-9 Status:U Press:N Class:S/ABH GLU:KD
**Victim/Informant/Witness
Details**

Injury Details

Injury Degree: HC Minor
Injury Description:
Description/Dress:
Swelling to right eye
Vulnerable/intimidated Victim/Witness? WITHHELD
Reason for Vulnerability/Intimidation: WITHHELD

Victim Interviews

Interview Type	Date of Interview	Start Time	Location	Other Persons Present	Interviewing Officer	eStatement Ref No
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Actions

MG11 Taken?	Witness Albums Visited?	N
Victim of Reported Crime to Police in last 12 months?	N No	
Is V willing for VSS to be informed?	Y Yes	
V Code of Practice Applicable?	Y	
237340 PC	BALL M	25/12/2022

Changed To	Entered By	Date
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VCOP Actn Compl?	Y	
256147 PC	DANIEL L	18/02/2023
Fraud Cl'rurp NFR		Date:

Knows Suspect No.	How Known
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Aware of Suspect No.	How Victim or Witness aware of Arrest
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Knows Accused No. **How Known**

Needs

Does anyone perceive VIW to be Deaf and/or Disabled? N
If Yes, who? VIW/Other:

Details of Disability:

Physical Access Needs:

Personal Care Needs:

Medical Needs:

Communication Needs:

Sexual Orientation:

Gender Identity:

Officer's Notes:

Data Protection Act - Dispose Of As Confidential Waste
PC CJ STOCKMAN 2212EA 215349
CR:5422534/22 CrType:C Notifiable/MPS/Other:N-9 Status:U Press:N Class:S/ABH GLU:KD
Victims Code of Practice

VIW No: 2 Of: 2

VSS Info:

Local VSS Ref:

Language (If not English):

Victim Contacted by I.O? Y

Date/Time: 27/12/2022 19:30

Action Taken	Action Date Entered by					Generated	Date Generated
AZ SI - Continuing Inv.	26/12/2022	70595	CIV	CAFFREY	C	Y	26/12/2022 16:49
EA VSS Informed	26/12/2022	70595	CIV	CAFFREY	C		
HX VU-Regular Update	28/12/2022	256147	PC	DANIEL	L	N	
HB VU - Suspect BTR	17/01/2023	256147	PC	DANIEL	L		
HB VU - Suspect BTR	17/01/2023	256147	PC	DANIEL	L		
HB VU - Suspect BTR	17/01/2023	256147	PC	DANIEL	L		
HX VU-Regular Update	26/01/2023	256147	PC	DANIEL	L	Y	26/01/2023 19:21
AZ SI - Continuing Inv.	17/02/2023	256147	PC	DANIEL	L	N	
HK VU-Case Closed Undet	13/04/2023	256147	PC	DANIEL	L		

Remarks:

VIW2 has not responded to the OIC's emails and MET TEXTs he is now presumed to be an unwilling victim.

Suspect No: 1 Of: 4 Currently Eliminated? Y

Possibly identical to
Suspect No(s):
CAIT Subject No:

Names

Case Class: SU Suspected
Surname Used: 
Forenames Used: 
PNC Surname: 
PNC Forename: 
Maiden Name:

Alias Surname

Alias Forenames

Nickname

Info Markers

Do you want to create an Accused record? Accused Created: Accused No: 0

PNC Status: K
CRO Result:
PNC Result: 

Suspect considers they have a disability? N
Disability Category:

Warning Signal Type On PNC?

Created by: PC /256721 T LANGHAM
Date/Time: 25/12/2022 01:39

Last Updated by:
Date/Time:

Personal Details

Date of Birth:  Age Estimated:
App. Age or From: 19 To: 19
Sex: M
Ethnic Appearance: 1
Self Classified Ethnicity: W1 White - British
Height Imperial: 6'0" Height Metric: 183
Birth Place: Harold Wood
Nationality(1): UNITED KINGDOM

Nationality(2):
Passport No 1:
Passport No 2:
Dress:
Composite Description: N
Religion:
Occupation:
School or College:

GLU:
Details of ID Docs:

Local ID:

Grid Ref:

Personal Description

Hair

Desc: HD SHORT HAIR Colour: BROWN Texture:

Facial Hair

Type:	Colour:	Features:	
Eye Colour Left:		Eye Colour Right:	
Spectacles?		Spectacles Type:	
Eyebrows:			
Voice:		Accent:	
Photo-Fit Ref:		Build:	

Marks/Scars

Type/Position

Address

Suspect's Address is same as VEN ?

Address:

[REDACTED]

GLU: KD Local ID: KD07
Home Intelligence Unit: KD HAVERING BOROUGH
Frequents: [REDACTED]

Grid Ref: [REDACTED]

Contact Details:

Home:	Business:
Mobile: [REDACTED]	Other:
Email:	

Known to Victim

VIW Knows Suspect? N

Known by VIW No How Known

Was the Victim or Witness aware the Suspect was arrested? N

VIW No. How Victim or Witness aware of arrest

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CR:5422534/22 CrType:C Notifiable/MPS/Other:N-9 Status:U Press:N Class:S/ABH GLU:KD
Suspect Elimination

Suspect No: 1 Of: 4
Currently Eliminated? Y

Disposal

Circulate PNC?

Date Eliminated	Reason Eliminated	Method of Detection	How Suspect Notified	Date/Time Notified	Notified By:				
					Rank	Div/D Number	Warrant Number	Initials	Surname
29/03/2023	NE Insufficient evidence to Proceed		AA By letter	29/03/2023 01:35	PC		256147	L	DANIEL

Date of Arrest	Custody No	Result	Bail Return Date/Time	Station	Entered By:					Entered Date/Time
					Rank	Div/D Number	Warrant Number	Init's	Surname	
25/12/2022		Interview Caution +3			PC		256147	L	DANIEL	29/03/2023 01:37

Identifiable By

Identifiable By
VIW No(s):

Circulation

Title	Date	Case No	Date Cancelled
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Wanted Docket Ref No:
ID by Witness Albums?
Warrant Issued?

Date Warrant Issued:

Conditions:

BWV Usage

Was BWV viewed prior to interview?	Y
Reason not viewed:	
Was BWV shown in interview?	N
Reason not shown:	SU SUSP Not Identified
Anticipated plea:	
Did BWV assist this investigation?	N

Officer's Notes:

Suspect No: 2 Of: 4 Currently Eliminated? Y

Possibly identical to
Suspect No(s):
CAIT Subject No:

Names

Case Class: SU Suspected
Surname Used: [REDACTED]
Forenames Used: [REDACTED]
PNC Surname:
PNC Forename:
Maiden Name:

Alias Surname

Alias Forenames

Nickname

Info Markers

Do you want to create an Accused record? Accused Created: Accused No: 0

PNC Status: T
CRO Result:
PNC Result:

Suspect considers they have a disability? N
Disability Category:

Warning Signal Type On PNC?

Created by: PC /256721 T LANGHAM
Date/Time: 25/12/2022 02:17

Last Updated by:
Date/Time:

Personal Details

Date of Birth:	[REDACTED]	Age Estimated:	
App. Age or From:	19	To:	19
Sex:	M		
Ethnic Appearance:	1		
Self Classified Ethnicity:	W1 White - British		
Height Imperial:	5'5"	Height Metric:	165
Birth Place:	Harold Wood		
Nationality(1):			

Nationality(2):
Passport No 1:
Passport No 2:
Dress:
Composite Description: N
Religion:
Occupation:
School or College:

GLU:
Details of ID Docs:

Local ID:

Grid Ref:

Personal Description

Hair

Desc: HD SHORT HAIR Colour: UNKNOWN Texture:

Facial Hair

Type:	Colour:	Features:	Eye Colour Right:
Eye Colour Left:			Spectacles Type:
Spectacles?			
Eyebrows:			Accent:
Voice:			Build:
Photo-Fit Ref:			

Marks/Scars

Type/Position

Address

Suspect's Address is same as VEN ?

Address:

[REDACTED]

GLU: KD Local ID: KD04
Home Intelligence Unit: KD HAVERING BOROUGH
Frequents:

Grid Ref: [REDACTED]

Contact Details:

Home:	Business:
Mobile: [REDACTED]	Other:
Email:	

Known to Victim

VIW Knows Suspect? N

Known by VIW No How Known

Was the Victim or Witness aware the Suspect was arrested? N

VIW No. How Victim or Witness aware of arrest

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CR:5422534/22 CrType:C Notifiable/MPS/Other:N-9 Status:U Press:N Class:S/ABH GLU:KD
Suspect Elimination

Suspect No: 2 Of: 4
Currently Eliminated? Y

Disposal

Circulate PNC?

Date Eliminated	Reason Eliminated	Method of Detection	How Suspect Notified	Date/Time Notified	Notified By:				
					Rank	Div/D Number	Warrant Number	Initials	Surname
29/03/2023	NE Insufficient evidence to Proceed		AE Personally	29/03/2023 01:35	PC		256147	L	DANIEL

Date of Arrest	Custody No	Result	Bail Return Date/Time	Station	Entered By:					Entered Date/Time
					Rank	Div/D Number	Warrant Number	Init's	Surname	
25/12/2022	01KD/50240/22				DS	3875EA	232485	C	WHISTON	20/04/2023 08:07

Identifiable By

Identifiable By
VIW No(s):

Circulation

Title	Date	Case No	Date Cancelled
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Wanted Docket Ref No:
ID by Witness Albums?
Warrant Issued?

Date Warrant Issued:

Conditions:

BWV Usage

Was BWV viewed prior to interview?	Y
Reason not viewed:	
Was BWV shown in interview?	N
Reason not shown:	SU SUSP Not Identified
Anticipated plea:	
Did BWV assist this investigation?	N

Officer's Notes:

Suspect No: 3 Of: 4 Currently Eliminated? Y

Possibly identical to
Suspect No(s):
CAIT Subject No:

Names

Case Class: SU Suspected
Surname Used: [REDACTED]
Forenames Used: [REDACTED]
PNC Surname:
PNC Forename:
Maiden Name:

Alias Surname

Alias Forenames

Nickname

Info Markers

Do you want to create an Accused record? Accused Created: Accused No: 0

PNC Status: T
CRO Result:
PNC Result:

Suspect considers they have a disability? N
Disability Category:

Warning Signal Type On PNC?

Created by: PC /262639 E CAMPBELL
Date/Time: 25/12/2022 05:31

Last Updated by:
Date/Time:

Personal Details

Date of Birth:	[REDACTED]	Age Estimated:	
App. Age or From:	19	To:	19
Sex:	M		
Ethnic Appearance:	1		
Self Classified Ethnicity:	W1 White - British		
Height Imperial:	5'3"	Height Metric:	160
Birth Place:	London		
Nationality(1):			

Nationality(2):
Passport No 1:
Passport No 2:
Dress:
Composite Description: N
Religion:
Occupation:
School or College:

GLU:
Details of ID Docs:

Local ID:

Grid Ref:

Personal Description

Hair

Desc: HD SHORT HAIR Colour: BROWN Texture:

Facial Hair

Type:	Colour:	Features:	
Eye Colour Left:			Eye Colour Right:
Spectacles?			Spectacles Type:
Eyebrows:			
Voice:			Accent:
Photo-Fit Ref:			Build:

Marks/Scars

Type/Position

Address

Suspect's Address is same as VEN ?

Address:



GLU: KD Local ID: KD04
Home Intelligence Unit: KD HAVERING BOROUGH
Frequents:

Grid Ref:

Contact Details:

Home:	Business:
Mobile:	Other:
Email:	

Known to Victim

VIW Knows Suspect? N

Known by VIW No How Known

Was the Victim or Witness aware the Suspect was arrested? N

VIW No. How Victim or Witness aware of arrest

Data Protection Act - Dispose Of As Confidential Waste
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CR:5422534/22 CrType:C Notifiable/MPS/Other:N-9 Status:U Press:N Class:S/ABH GLU:KD
Suspect Elimination

Suspect No: 3 Of: 4
Currently Eliminated? Y

Disposal

Circulate PNC?

Date Eliminated	Reason Eliminated	Method of Detection	How Suspect Notified	Date/Time Notified	Notified By:				
					Rank	Div/D Number	Warrant Number	Initials	Surname
29/03/2023	NE Insufficient evidence to Proceed		AA By letter	29/03/2023 01:35	PC		256147	L	DANIEL

Date of Arrest	Custody No	Result	Bail Return Date/Time	Station	Entered By:					Entered Date/Time
					Rank	Div/D Number	Warrant Number	Init's	Surname	
25/12/2022	01KD/50242/22				DS	3875EA	232485	C	WHISTON	20/04/2023 08:07

Identifiable By

Identifiable By
VIW No(s):

Circulation

Title	Date	Case No	Date Cancelled
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Wanted Docket Ref No:
ID by Witness Albums?
Warrant Issued?

Date Warrant Issued:

Conditions:

BWV Usage

Was BWV viewed prior to interview?	Y
Reason not viewed:	
Was BWV shown in interview?	N
Reason not shown:	SU SUSP Not Identified
Anticipated plea:	
Did BWV assist this investigation?	N

Officer's Notes:

Suspect No: 4 Of: 4 Currently Eliminated? Y

Possibly identical to
Suspect No(s):
CAIT Subject No:

Names

Case Class:

Surname Used:

Forenames Used:

PNC Surname:

PNC Forename:

Maiden Name:

Alias Surname

Alias Forenames

Nickname

Info Markers

Do you want to create an Accused record? Accused Created: Accused No: 0

PNC Status: K

CRO Result:

PNC Result:

Suspect considers they have a disability?

Disability Category:

Warning Signal Type **On PNC?**

Created by: PC /262639 E CAMPBELL

Date/Time: 25/12/2022 05:34

Last Updated by:

Date/Time:

Personal Details

Date of Birth:

App. Age or From: 25

Sex: M

Ethnic Appearance:

Self Classified Ethnicity:

Height Imperial:

Birth Place:

Nationality(1):

Age Estimated:

To: 25

Height Metric:

Nationality(2):
Passport No 1:
Passport No 2:
Dress:
Composite Description: N
Religion:
Occupation:
School or College:

GLU:
Details of ID Docs:

Local ID:

Grid Ref:

Personal Description

Hair

Desc: Colour: Texture:

Facial Hair

Type: Colour: Features:

Eye Colour Left: Eye Colour Right:

Spectacles? Spectacles Type:

Eyebrows:

Voice: Accent:

Photo-Fit Ref: Build:

Marks/Scars

Type/Position

Address

Suspect's Address is same as VEN ?

Address:

[REDACTED]

GLU: KD Local ID: KD17
Home Intelligence Unit: KD HAVERING BOROUGH
Frequents:

Grid Ref: [REDACTED]

Contact Details:

Home: Business:

Mobile: Other:

Email:

Known to Victim

VIW Knows Suspect? N

Known by VIW No How Known

Was the Victim or Witness aware the Suspect was arrested?

VIW No. How Victim or Witness aware of arrest

Data Protection Act - Dispose Of As Confidential Waste
PC CJ STOCKMAN 2212EA 215349
CR:5422534/22 CrType:C Notifiable/MPS/Other:N-9 Status:U Press:N Class:S/ABH GLU:KD
Suspect Elimination

Suspect No: 4 Of: 4
Currently Eliminated? Y

Disposal

Circulate PNC?

Date Eliminated	Reason Eliminated	Method of Detection	How Suspect Notified	Date/Time Notified	Notified By:				
					Rank	Div/D Number	Warrant Number	Initials	Surname
29/03/2023	NE Insufficient evidence to Proceed		AA By letter	29/03/2023 01:35	PC		256147	L	DANIEL

Date of Arrest	Custody No	Result	Bail Return Date/Time	Station	Entered By:					Entered Date/Time
					Rank	Div/D Number	Warrant Number	Init's	Surname	
25/12/2022	01KD/50241/22				DS	3875EA	232485	C	WHISTON	20/04/2023 08:07

Identifiable By

Identifiable By
VIW No(s):

Circulation

Title	Date	Case No	Date Cancelled
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Wanted Docket Ref No:
ID by Witness Albums?
Warrant Issued?

Date Warrant Issued:

Conditions:

BWV Usage

Was BWV viewed prior to interview?	Y
Reason not viewed:	
Was BWV shown in interview?	N
Reason not shown:	SU SUSP Not Identified
Anticipated plea:	
Did BWV assist this investigation?	N

Officer's Notes:

Method

Current Position: C Classified
Method: ASSAULT ON VICTIM

Classification Set by CIT:

Lock: Date:
By:

Classify

Main Classification:

	Code	Victim	Date
Initial:	S066/01		25/12/2022 01:15
Current:	S008/06	Y	26/12/2022 16:49
Description:	SUBSTANT./Assaults Occasioning Actual Bodily Harm		

Subsidiary Classifications:

	Code	Victim	Count
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Confirm?	Y	Date:	26/12/2022 16:49
		By:	CIV /70595 C CAFFREY
Victim Count Discrepancy:			

Data Protection Act - Dispose Of As Confidential Waste
PC CJ STOCKMAN 2212EA 215349
CR:5422534/22 CrType:C Notifiable/MPS/Other:N-9 Status:U Press:N Class:S/ABH GLU:KD
Classification

No Crime

No Crime? Date:
Reason:
Confirm? Date:
By:

Crime Related Date:
Incident?
Confirm? Date:
By:

Statistical Info

Current Status: U Undetected Crime Last Changed:
Cleared-Up Reason: Date:

Original Classification

Off.	Code	Victim	Count	Status	Outcome	Outcome Changed	Change Reason	Last Changed	Last Changed By
Main	S008/06	Y		U	15 Susp id; V supports; evidential difficulties	12/07/2023 14:53:00		12/07/2023 14:53:00	PC 2171AS/223259 T MACKAY

Confirmed Date: 26/12/2022 16:49
Confirmed By: CIV /70595 C CAFFREY

Statistical Parent CR:

Administrative Detections

Home Office Rule:

Date:

By:

Explanatory Notes:

All Current Home Office
Requirements Satisfied:

Date:

By:

Of Interest To

Method Index:

CP Analysis:

Victim Amendments

Date Added **Time** **VIW No** **By**

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History

Off.	Code	Victim	Count	Status	Outcome	Reason	When	By
Main	S008/06	Y	1	U	00 - Outcome Pending		26/12/2022 16:49:00	CIV

/70595 C CAFFREY

25/12/2022 01:15

PC 256721 T LANGHAM

Service Flag VR added

25/12/2022 01:30

PC 256721 T LANGHAM

* CAD 69/25DEC22

Reports of approx. 30 people fighting on BRENTWOOD ROAD, ROMFORD near to GINGER SPICE RESTAURANT.

Units in attendance: EA71N, EA905N, EA906N, EA20N, EA30N, EA4N

* CAD initial remarks:

FIGHT O/S GINGER SPICE

GROUP OF 30

NO WEAPONS

MY SECURITY STAFF HAVE GONE OVER TO TRY AND HELP

25/12/2022 01:57

PC 256721 T LANGHAM

* Brief circumstances:

Fight observed by Informant and staff near to venue.

Security staff reported to be on scene prior to police arrival.

Officers arrived on scene and multiple members of public detained believed to be intoxicated and involved in fighting.

3 Suspects on scene arrested and conveyed to ROMFORD police station.

1 Suspect found near to the scene by PC MOORE. This male was injured with arm in an unnatural position and was conveyed to hospital, ID confirmed and Trace PNC.

25/12/2022 01:58

PC 256721 T LANGHAM

Report awaits accounts from officers on scene once suspects are booked in at custody

25/12/2022 01:59

PC 256721 T LANGHAM

Awaits THRIVE+

25/12/2022 02:41

PC 259734 L WILLIAMS

CONNECT URN: 01/KD/50421/22

25/12/2022 05:40

PC 262639 E CAMPBELL

**** INITIAL RESPONSE ****

CAD: 69/25DEC22 REFERS

Offence: Affray

Committed On: 25/12/2022

Reported: 25/12/2022

Time of Origin: 0012hrs

Time of Arrival: 0016hrs

Venue of Offence: O/S The Drill Pub/Ginger spice

Borough where offence took place: EA

Connect ref: 01KD/50421

Officers Attending: EA71N, EA20N, EA905N, EA906N

Physical & Forensic Evidence: N/A

CCTV Available: No CCTV from council or The Drill. May be coverage from Ginger Spice but venue closed so unable to confirm if covered

Content of CCTV: N/A

Exhibits/Property Seized: No exhibits

Exhibit Details: N/A

Local Enquiries/House to House: Staff on scene spoken to and stated they witnessed

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PC 262639 E CAMPBELL

a fight between 30 people. Will provide MG11 and go to court but not practicable at the time.

DETS

Officers attended a call of a fight O/S of GINGER SPICE, BRENTWOOD ROAD, RM2 5TH. This was after the Drill Pub had closed and had sent people out of the pub. When officers arrived there were around 30 people stood outside. As officers approached the group of people they started to disperse across the road. On approach there were multiple people intoxicated and becoming irate. SUS2 detained and arrested due to being drunk and disorderly and later further arrested for affray. Response officers were in attendance with the Town centre team.

After further enquiries as to what had happened, SUS3 was arrested for affray. It was alleged that the fight occurred over a female. Multiple other people on scene were detained whilst initial investigation into what had occurred. A third male SUS4 was arrested for Affray by Town centre team.

Officers were flagged down by a group of people just outside The Drill at the end of the road where a male present his arm in an unnatural position. When spoken with officers he didn't want to speak about what had happened, or didn't state he knew anyone. Officers transported the male to hospital.

Another suspect was identified, SUS1, which was the male who presented himself to officers with the arm injury, who was involved in the affray. This male was taken to hospital and was being treated for a possible broken arm. The male will be asked in at a later date for a caution +3 interview.

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PC 262639 E CAMPBELL

THRIVE *****

THREAT - affray charges, fighting had occurred outside of pub, unknown real reason as to why.
HARM - people injured during fight
RISK - unsure on what had happened, risk minimised as people arrested and dispersed
INVESTIGATION - staff on scene spoken too, no CCTV obtained from council or the drill as it does not cover the area it occurred.
VULNERABILITY - no actual victim ascertained at this stage
ENGAGEMENT - police spoke with members of the public on scene
+ - some member of public spoken too, when applicable thrive to resume

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Suspect 4 Identified: 262639 PC E CAMPBELL (25/12/2022 05:34:29)
Suspect 3 Identified: 262639 PC E CAMPBELL (25/12/2022 05:31:35)
Suspect 2 Identified: 256721 PC T LANGHAM (25/12/2022 02:17:38)
Suspect 1 Identified: 256721 PC T LANGHAM (25/12/2022 01:39:54)
Crime Report Creation: 256721 PC T LANGHAM (25/12/2022 01:15:58)

25/12/2022 06:08

PC 237340 1321EA M BALL

Further to the original DETS, I spoke with [REDACTED] [REDACTED] who stated that he was a witness/Victim of the fight. [REDACTED] stated that he had attended BRENTWOOD ROAD, to pick up his son who was apparently at the Drill. When he arrived it transpired that his son was no longer there. [REDACTED] stated he came upon the fight and noticed one of his son's friends [REDACTED] [REDACTED] being kicked on the floor by [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] stated he ran over and tried to

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pull [REDACTED] off, and that during this [REDACTED] has punched him in the face causing a small swelling under his eye.

[REDACTED] stated he was willing to assist police with a statement but at this point it is not clear if [REDACTED] was involved in the Affray. At this point he has been added to the CRIS as a victim for the time being.

****CCTV****

CCTV enquiries were carried out at the DRILL pub, however their camera's do not cover the area of Ginger Spice restaurant.

On observation of the outside of Ginger Spice there does not appear to be any external camera's fitted. it is unknown at this stage if any internal camera's cover the outside as the restaurant was closed at the time of the incident.

Next door is a building called CEDAR COURT which has a single camera fixed above the door. on a plaque next to the main entrance is a company called Health Park nutrition, who may own this camera.

25/12/2022 16:29

PC 256147 L DANIEL

OIC Changed

25/12/2022 16:31

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The three suspects were interviewed by MIST prisoner processing.

PC DANIEL 1363EA interviewed [REDACTED]
PC SHERRY 2147EA interviewed [REDACTED] and PC 1283EA AFIYIE interviewed [REDACTED]

25/12/2022 16:42

PC 256147 L DANIEL

Based upon the fact that there is an outstanding suspect with potential GBH injuries the preferred course of action is to BTR the detainees pending the further enquiries.

The BTR date is the 12/02/2023 at KD from 12:00 to 14:00 HOURS for the three detainees to be dealt with separately.

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CIV 70595 C CAFFREY

Classification confirmed

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CIV 70595 C CAFFREY

Screened In

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PC 256147 L DANIEL

The OIC has tried to make contact with [REDACTED] to arrange a date and time for a caution plus three interview and to try and determine whether he suffered any injury from the incident. The

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telephone number recorded on the CRIS report by the IIA appears to be incorrect as the number is unobtainable, so a visit to his address is likely to be necessary.

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PC 256147 L DANIEL

The classification of this CRIS has been changed from an affray to ABH.

26/12/2022 22:05

PC 256147 L DANIEL

T-This appears to be a one off incident of an affray/large street fight where potentially innocent parties have sustained injuries. However one of the persons who is currently listed as a victim of an unprovoked assault may have been involved in the actual incident as a protagonist. Further CCTV enquiries in the GINGER SPICE restaurant will need to be performed.

H-The extent of the injuries sustained to persons involved in the incident have not been determined yet as not all parties listed on the crime report have been contacted yet.

R-Unknown.

I-Ongoing.

E-There is a recoded victim of ABH a person who is willing to support but whose actual role in the incident has not been confirmed.

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PC 256147 L DANIEL

INVESTIGATION DETAILS : Standard

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incident has not been confirmed.

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Start of a Secondary investigation: 70595 CIV C CAFFREY (26/12/2022 16:49:24)

27/12/2022 18:44

PC 256147 L DANIEL

The OIC has contacted [REDACTED] [REDACTED] in regards to him being a potential victim and to determine if he had any injury from the incident and whether he would be willing to provide a statement. Currently [REDACTED] is willing to provide a statement and the OIC has requested that [REDACTED] emails a photograph of his injury to the OIC using his email address which he has provided.

03/01/2023 12:34

DS 232485 3875EA C WHISTON

MIST SUPERVISORS UPDATE

I have reviewed this crime and note the updates.

What did each of the suspect say in interview please as there is nothing on here about what was said?

CCTV at the spice restaurant needs to be reviewed and downloaded as this will be key.

What injuries does Suspect 1 have? If this is a broken arm and was caused by the affray, this could potentially be GBH injuries and would need to be referred to CID asap so they can reviewed this so this needs to be established asap.

Statement to be taken from [REDACTED] if and when he is willing.

13/01/2023 15:44

PC 256147 L DANIEL

The OIC attended the home address of [REDACTED] as the number formerly recorded on the CRIS was incorrect to obtain correct contact details to arrange a caution plus three interview. During the OIC's attendance at [REDACTED] HA it was confirmed that he had indeed suffered a broken arm

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from the incident on CHRISTMAS DAY morning although he was unwilling to disclose anything other than sparse detail in regards to this element of the incident.

In terms of the GBH injuries that [REDACTED] has sustained a separate GBH CRIS will be created although [REDACTED] is unwilling to support an investigation by providing a statement nor would he sign a Form 172 to release his medical records.

The OIC confirmed with [REDACTED] that he would be required to attend a caution plus three interview in relation to the affray on CHRISTMAS DAY.

14/01/2023 10:38

DS 232485 3875EA C WHISTON

MIST SUPERVISORS UPDATE

I have reviewed this crime and note the update re [REDACTED]

However there is no update in relation to what each of the suspects have said in interview, please

CCTV at the spice restaurant needs to be reviewed asap before it deletes and get it downloaded as this will be key.

Has a statement been taken from [REDACTED]

15/01/2023 23:14

PC 256147 L DANIEL

See below the interview notes for the suspect [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] was interviewed in ROMFORD CUSTODY CENTRE video interview room on SUNDAY the 25th DECEMBER 2022 from 12:50 HOURS to 13:03 HOURS. [REDACTED] declined the services of a solicitor.

PC DANIEL 1363EA was the interviewing officer and PC SHERRY 2147EA assisted the interview. In essence [REDACTED] answered all questions that he was asked and he admitted having been out for drinks with his brother and friends at the DRILL PUB and that he claimed to have seen an incident/argument developing outside the pub and that he had attempted to defuse the situation and to break up the original fight and that he had been punched to the face and that he had defended himself by returning

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blows with his assailant. The fight had originated with other people outside the on BRENTWOOD ROAD shouting swearing and pushing each other Prior to going to the DRILL [REDACTED] has been to the CRUMPLED HORN UPMINSTER and that he had been out for an indeterminate time and that he had an unknown number of drinks. [REDACTED] when asked admitted that he had been swearing at the officer who eventually arrested him before he was arrested for drunk and disorderly behaviour. [REDACTED] claimed that he had been punched to the face and he had his head kicked prior to the Police arriving on scene.

On *(SUNDAY the 25th DECEMBER...00:10HOURS) at *(OUTSIDE the DRILL PUB BRENTWOOD ROAD ROMFORD...), it is alleged that you used or threatened unlawful violence towards another person as such that a person of reasonable firmness present would fear for his safety

Contrary to Section 3 of the Public Order Act 1986.

Date and location 25/12/22 at BRENTWOOD ROAD ROMFORD outside the DRILL PUB used or threatened unlawful violence in a public place.

Interview Start time HOURS. Interview End time HOURS
Q's

On SATURDAY the 24 TH DECEMBER had you been out in the pub?

Yes to the DRILL

Which pub/s? DRILL & CRUMPLED HORN.

Who were you with? Mates and my brother and his friends. There was a fight outside the pub. I tried to break up the fight, and I got punched. I punched back in self defence.

What time did you go out?
SATURDAY the 24th DECEMBER. I don't remember the time.

Where had you been? The CRUMPLED HORN and then the DRILL.

What time did you start drinking?
Don't know,

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Do you remember what you were drinking? Beers.

How much you had to drink?
Cant remember.

Were you drinking solo or in rounds?
In rounds.

Had you been in the DRILL PUB?

Yes.
Were you at the DRILL at midnight to 00:10 HOURS 25/12/2022?
I must have been

Had you argued with anyone?

No

Was there anyone in the pub that you disliked?

no

How did the fight start?

I don't know there was shouting and swearing, pushing and shoving.

Were you involved?
Yes in a way I was trying to stop the fight. I did not set out to fight.

Did you see anyone that you know fighting? A friend, a relative someone you know by sight?
I couldn't tell you what happened as it happened so quickly but no.

Would you consider yourself drunk?
Not massively.

Had you consumed any drugs?

No

Did you argue over a girl?

No

Did you try to leave the area in a car before you were detained?

No

Did you come towards the Police Officer who eventually arrested you for DRUNK & DIS swearing?
Yes.

Why were you restrained and put to the floor?

Yes they used overforce on me.

Did you struggle with the Police?
No

Had you taken any drugs?
No
Any reason why you were involved?

No

What is your occupation?

A-I install CCTV systems, sometimes for the Police.

Do you drink / take drugs / are dependant on drugs?

A-No

Were you under the influence of drink / drug during time of incident?

A-I had drinks.

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Did you threaten or use violence against anyone in the pub or on the street?

A-
No

Did you try to hit anyone?

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A-Yes in self defence.

Did you kick [REDACTED] while he was on the floor?
No I don't know who that is. I didn't kick anyone.

Did you kick him several times?
No

Did you put anyone in fear for their own safety?

A-No I don't think so.

When the Police arrived were you aggressive with them?

A-.No

Did you shout and swear at the Police?

A-Maybe I don't remember. It seems like a long time ago.

Do you have any mental health conditions that you feel we should know about?

A-Yes, I mean no.

How do you feel about the incident now?
It was just a fight I got booted to the head when I was on the floor and I was punched in the face. I may have a concussion.

Is there anything else that you want to add?

No.

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PC 256147 L DANIEL

The summary of the other two interviews conducted by PC SHERRY and PC AFRIYIE will be added in due course.

Currently the suspect [REDACTED] has been invited to attend the police station for a caution plus three interview, he has not responded to attend at a date and time that is mutually suitable for the OIC and the suspect.

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CCTV enquiries at the GINGER SPICE restaurant have confirmed that there is no CCTV externally where the incident location occurred and the CCTV camera on the CEDAR COURT building covers only the entrance way for residents so will not have captured the fight outside the restaurant.

Enquiries at the drill pub externally only show members of the public in the top left of shot of the outside smoking area and the footage viewed does show persons crossing the road and standing outside the CO-OP but none of the actual fighting

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that occurred.

CCTV enquiries at the CO-OP show an incident occurring outside the restaurant and in the middle of the road outside of the scope of CCTV. The footage shows the incident in time lapse from a distance so facial images could not be seen on viewed footage. The footage has not been obtained as the staff member on duty was unable to use the CCTV copy function. The OIC will attend to obtain the CCTV at another date and time.

17/01/2023 17:45

DS 232485 3875EA C WHISTON

MIST SUPERVISORS UPDATE

I have reviewed the updates from the OIC and there is no need to get the Co-Op CCTV as it does not show facial images to help prove who has done what.

I need to review the other interviews that were done so that i can see what they have said/alleged but at this moment we have no evidence from anyone about who has done what.

Please can we get these interviews and then we can review what if any the next steps are for us to take.

Has a statemen been taken from [REDACTED] Does he know/recognise anyone who was involved in this and what they did?

26/01/2023 19:20

PC 256147 L DANIEL

The victim of assault in the case has been sent MPS Managed texts and an email asking him to contact the OIC via email.

The victim was updated via email.

26/01/2023 19:26

PC 256147 L DANIEL

[REDACTED] was contacted by the OIC today as he has not replied to the OIC's messages and emails.

[REDACTED] when spoken to said that he had not checked his voicemail or emails.

The OIC will email [REDACTED] this evening to arrange a date for a caution plus this.

01/02/2023 17:04

DS 232485 3875EA C WHISTON

MIST SUPERVISORS UPDATE

I note the update from the OIC and they are trying to arrange the caution +3.

Can the OIC please answer my questions and complete the actions i have asked

01/02/2023 17:04

DS 232485 3875EA C WHISTON

for in regards to what the other suspects have said in their interviews so i can accurately set further actions in relation to this crime.

05/02/2023 17:53

PC 256147 L DANIEL

[REDACTED] was emailed by the OIC today which was followed up by the OIC speaking to [REDACTED] by telephone.

[REDACTED] claimed to have responded to the OIC's emails but the OIC has received no reply to the emails sent.

The OIC informed [REDACTED] that if he was being evasive that he may have to be arrested to perform the interview, however he would have time to arrange a mutually convenient time for a caution plus three interview if he sends the OIC his availability.

05/02/2023 19:40

PC 256147 L DANIEL

A caution plus 3 interview has been arranged with the suspect in the case [REDACTED] [REDACTED] for SUNDAY the 12th FEBRUARY 2022 at 14:00 HOURS at ROMFORD Police Station.

[REDACTED] has requested a duty solicitor to attend so an email has been sent to [REDACTED] for one to attend.

If a duty solicitor cannot attend the station at this time the date /time of the C+3 may have to be altered.

07/02/2023 23:16

PC 256147 L DANIEL

The BTR for the suspects in the case has been extended to allow the caution plus three of [REDACTED] to be completed and the review of the evidence in the case by the ERO.

17/02/2023 22:54

PC 256147 L DANIEL

██████████ was interviewed in a caution plus three interview at ROMFORD POLICE STATION by PC Luke DANIEL 1363EA in interview room two also present was ██████████ Solicitor ██████████. The interview was from 14:17 to 14:35 HOURS. In essence ██████████ gave an account that that he had been engaged in having a few pre Christmas drinks in the DRILL PUB with friends and a few acquaintances and that after the Pub had closed he had seen a friend being

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assaulted by persons unknown and that approximately ten people had run at him to assault him whereby he had punched one of the men in self defence before he had been surrounded and been punched and kicked before he ended on the floor being kicked, which had resulted in his arm being broken for which he attended hospital.

██████████ had then said that he had got up and run to HEATH PARK ROAD where he had laid down on an unrelated persons door step while he called for Police. He claimed not to have been involved in any fighting or assault on other persons which is contrary to the account that was given by the initial attending officers.

██████████ was again unwilling to disclose any further details about how his arm was broken as he has said that he is unwilling to provide a statement or any further information.

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The OIC will discuss the details in the case with a supervisor to discuss whether there is any realistic prospect of prosecuting any of the suspects in the case given that there are no witnesses in the case other than Police Officers currently and that a review of the CCTV footage that has captured some of the fighting is of too poor quality to positively identify any of the involved parties and it only serves to confirm that there were additional people involved in the incident and fighting who had left the incident area prior to the arrival of the Police.

09/03/2023 17:59

DS 232485 3875EA C WHISTON

MIST SUPERVISORS UPDATE

I have reviewed the OIC's updates, however the OIC has still not answered my previous requests that i have asked for twice. Can the interviews of the other 2 suspects arrested please be provided?

The OIC can

09/03/2023 17:59

DS 232485 3875EA C WHISTON

do this on here or just get the Connect file completed and send to me for a charging decision but this has been dragging on for a long time so this needs to be done asap please.

15/03/2023 07:50

PC 256147 L DANIEL

The following summaries refer to the interviews conducted on Christmas day by the relevant interviewing officers:

INTERVIEW

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ROMFORD POLICE STATION - PC AFRIYIE

25/11/22

Start - 13:31hrs

End - 13:40hrs

He had finished partying with his friends at the DRILL PUB and they were all stood outside having a chat when he looked over at THE GINGER SPICE and saw that his brother was on the floor . He rushed over to help his brother and then got punched by someone whom he does not know, so he fought back in self-defence.

He mentioned that, they were all in a fight after that as he was still aiming to support his brother and then later when the police came everyone dispersed leaving him who was helping his brother and that is how they both got arrested. Defendant further mentioned that he was getting bruised form the handcuffs and asked officers on scene to loosen it. He then mentioned that one officer was rude to him and that is how come he swore at the officer as he was in pain and annoyed. He mentioned that he was aware that he was drunk and shouting at the officer but the only reason was because he was in pain from the tight handcuffs and the officer was unwilling to help.

In your own words what happened prior to your arrest?

Do you know what you are accused of?

Why do you think you were accused of this offence?

If you did not do what you were accused of, can you give me a possible

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explanation as to why you have been accused?

What is your occupation?

Do you drink / take drugs / are dependent on drugs?

Were you under the influence of drink / drug during time of incident? (How much? What drinks?)

Who were you with?

Did you argue with anyone?

What did you argue about?

Did you threaten or use violence against anyone?

Did anyone threaten or use violence against you?

Did you try to hit anyone?

Did you put anyone in fear for their own safety?

If someone walked by the incident, what do you think they would have thought was happening? Do you think they would have been scared?

Why were the police called?

When police arrived why did you run away?

Officers have described your shirt as having mud and dirt stains, where did these come from?

Do you have any mental health conditions that you feel we should know about?

How do you feel about the incident now?

Is there anything else that you want to add?

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ROMFORD POLICE STATION - PC SHERRY and PC DANIEL
25/11/22
Start - 1407hrs
End - 1411hrs
Solicitor present - ■■■■ ■■■■
No Comment Interview

In your own words what happened prior to your arrest?

Do you know what you are accused of?

Why do you think you were accused of this offence?

If you did not do what you were accused of, can you give me a possible explanation as to why you have been accused?

What is your occupation?

Do you drink / take drugs / are dependent on drugs?

Were you under the influence of drink /

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drug during time of incident? (How much? What drinks?)

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Is there anything else that you want to add?

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ROMFORD POLICE STATION - PC DANIEL and PC SHERRY
25/11/22
Start - 1250HRS
End -1301HRS

■■■■■ had been in the pub drinking with friends during the course of the evening having been to other pubs in HORNBURCH. After the DRILL pub had closed and at approximately midnight ■■■■■ had been outside the pub with his companions who had also been at the pub ■■■■■ had and seen a fight start on BRENTWOOD ROAD and he had given an account that he had intervened to break it up. During this he claimed that he has been hit several times and he has hit back in self-defence only.

■■■■■ claimed not to have punched or kicked anyone on the floor.

29/03/2023 05:46

PC 256147 L DANIEL

T-This appears to be an isolated incident.

H-A victim was assaulted he received a minor mark to his forehead after being punched once. He is unwilling to support a prosecution.

R-No additional or heightened risks known.

I-Complete

V-No vulnerable persons in the case.

E-No party is willing to support the investigation.

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Event: Updating Officer (Date / Time)
Suspect 4 Eliminated: 256147 PC L DANIEL (29/03/2023 01:41:47)
Suspect 3 Eliminated: 256147 PC L DANIEL (29/03/2023 01:40:45)
Suspect 2 Eliminated: 256147 PC L DANIEL (29/03/2023 01:39:40)
Suspect 1 Eliminated: 256147 PC L DANIEL (29/03/2023 01:38:26)
Regular Assessment: N/A (26/03/2023)

30/03/2023 22:07

DS 232485 3875EA C WHISTON

MIST SUPERVISORS UPDATE

I have reviewed this crime and reviewed the evidence we have. there is no victims that have come forward and are alleging anything here. It appears there was fight at the pub and a group of people have been arrested but all are claiming thy were the victim and they defended themselves.

None of them wish to provide statements against their attacker and we have no CCTV that covered the incident.

This is not in the public interest with no one willing to provide a victim statement to continue with this investigation.

If the OIC has further evidence which i am unaware of from this write up then please completed a connect file and i can review and so a full ERO

30/03/2023 22:07

DS 232485 3875EA C WHISTON

decision on there.

OIC to get this updated asap please as it has been dragging on for a while now with very few updates.

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■■■■■ has come in to Romford Police station asking for an update on the case. Can the oic please call him on his mobile.

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OIC UPDATE

*****CLOSING REPORT*****

INCIDENT

In the case there were four suspects involved in a large scale street fight on the early hours of CHRISTMAS DAY 2022. The fight involved approximately 20 to 30 persons both males and females although at the time of Police attendance there were fewer than 10 persons present. Three of the suspects in the case were arrested for the offence of affray and one of the suspects in the case would have been arrested too if he had not suffered an injury to his right arm that required hospital treatment.

A victim ■■■■■ suffered a small mark to the centre of his forehead after having been punched after going to assist one of the ■■■■■ brothers who was being assaulted. The extent of ■■■■■ injury was minor.

■■■■■ was initially keen to support a prosecution however in the event he became unwilling to provide a statement in the case.

The three arrested suspects who were interviewed on CHRISTMAS DAY, ■■■■■ gave an account that he had been fighting only in self defence after trying to break up the fight and that he acted protect himself and that he had no kicked or punched any person on the floor.

■■■■■ was interviewed and he provided an account that he had been in the pub and that his only actions in the fight were to defend himself and his brother.

■■■■■ provide a no comment

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interview.

■■■■■ was interviewed in a caution plus three interview he claimed only to have been acting in self defence and he claimed that he did not know who had assaulted him to cause his broken arm. He was unwilling to support any allegation in regards to his injury.

VICTIM

The victim of ABH was ■■■■■ who suffered a small mark to the centre of his forehead. He was initially willing to provide a statement and support an investigation. The victim then became unwilling to support his allegation.

WITNESSES

The initial informants had been informed that there was a fight outside their pub by a third party. They saw a group of persons fighting in the road through the window of the pub. They were unable to positively identify any suspect.

SUSPECTS

4 Suspects arrested for affray in an fight/incident that involved 20 to 30 persons most of whom had left the incident before Police attended.

CCTV

There was no CCTV that captured the offence in any detail at a level where persons could be identified or their actions recorded.

OIC obtained CCTV from the COOP Store adjacent to the main fight location. The CCTV is from approximately 30 metres from the main fight and the footage only confirms that there were many more participants in the incident than were present when Police arrived. Essentially other than the gender of the persons no positive identification of any person was possible from the footage.

CASE DECISION

SENT to DS WHISTON with a probable NFA outcome for all the defendants

OUTCOME CODE

T No threat identified.

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Appears to be a one off incident as the result of a large group of people fighting after having been drinking on Christmas Eve.

H Two persons have obtained injuries in the incident. Neither is willing to support an allegation

R No known risks.

I Completed

V No vulnerability identified.

E No willing persons in the case

+ No.

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MIST SUPERVISORS UPDATE

I have reviewed this crime and note the updates.

the suspects have all been NFA'd for this crime as there is no evidence as to who has done what in this assault. There was no victims that were willing to give statements and support a prosecution and none of the suspects were willing to make accusations against each other or others.

There is no CCTV to show the fight and prove any POA offences such as affray and so the suspect were NFA'd and this crime can now be closed outcome code 15.

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THRIVE + completed by OIC.

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