

Notice of determination of interim steps following an application for a summary review of a premises licence

To: Chief Officer of Police for the Kent Police area
Of: Maidstone Police Station, Palace Avenue, Maidstone Kent
Ref: 11/00342/LAPMV

Sevenoaks District Council being the licensing authority, on the 15 August 2013 received an application for the review of a premises licence in respect of premises known as The Royal Oak, West Yoke, Ash TN15 7HT.

On the 19 August 2013, within 48 hours of receipt of the chief officer's application, a hearing was held to consider whether it was necessary to take interim steps, and having considered it the Council have determined as follows:

To make the following modifications to the Premises Licence pending the full review hearing (to be held within 28 days of the application being received):

Supply of alcohol:

Sunday to Thursday 10:00 - 23:00
Friday and Saturday 10:00 - 23:00

The opening hours of the premises:

Sunday to Thursday 10:00 - 23:30
Friday and Saturday 10:00 - 23:30

The designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol be changed from

Mr Kevin Morris
3 Gresham Close
Rainham
Kent. ME8 7RR

to

Samantha Pegler
Royal Oak,
West Yoke,
Ash TN15 7HT

To add conditions to the Licence as follows (pending the full review hearing):

CCTV to be adapted and outside camera repaired, to allow immediate taking of images recorded by police upon arrival whether on disk, video tape or otherwise. All recording to be kept for a minimum period of 28 days – prevention of crime and disorder, by allowing immediate viewing and circulation aiding apprehension of offenders – this allows an interim measure by the premises with CCTV coverage continuing following an incident.

A suitable Drugs Policy to be worked on and permanently put in place.

To add the following informative to the Licence as follows (pending the full review hearing):

Additional visits by brewery staff to be carried out.

The reason for the above modifications to the premises licence is to take interim steps due to the potential undermining of the licensing objectives of the prevention of crime and disorder and the prevention of public nuisance in light of an alleged breach of licence conditions, until a full review hearing is held.

The interim steps are effective from the 19 August 2013.

Dated:

Signed

Chairman – Licensing Hearing

Signed

Designation – Licensing Officer

Please address any communications to:

The Licensing Partnership
Community Services
Council Offices
PO Box 182
Argyle Road
Sevenoaks
Kent TN13 1GP

Note: An appeal against the interim steps may be made to the above address and a further hearing held within a further 48 hours pursuant to Section 53A Summary Review Guidance 4.(4.1).