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## Dear Mr Hagan

I am writing this letter in regard to Greenes Bar, 362-364 Neasden Lane North, NW10 0BT which is authorised under the Licensing Act 2003 to supply alcohol for consumption off the premises from 1000 hours to 2300 hours Monday to Saturday and from 1200 hours to 2230hours on Sundays.

On Saturday 11th January 2014 at 0120 hours the bar had the shutters down and the doors were locked, when we knocked at the door it was opened and before we identified ourselves we were told if we wanted a drink to hurry up and come in so we weren't seen, there were approximately 7 customers in the bar some of which were smoking. Three band members clearing away equipment. Only when we identified who we were did staff start tell customers that the bar was closed. You also currently do not have the provision for regulated entertainment on your licence. This is an offence under section 136 of the Licensing Act 2003 namely unauthorised licensable activity.

I am aware that the premises licence was not displayed in the bar. If you do not have a copy of the premises licence, I suggest you contact the council as soon as possible as it is an offence not to have it displayed in the bar.

This letter comes as warning that any other breaches of licensing legislation will be brought to the attention of the Licensing Authority Committee by the way of a premises licence review.

If you have any questions in relation to this letter please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Sincerely

Sam Lewis-Evans PC598QK Licensing Constable Brent Police