

WITNESS STATEMENT

CJ Act 1967, s.9; MC Act 1980, ss.5A(3)(a) and 5B; Criminal Procedure Rules 2005, Rule 27.1

Statement of **PC368QK Michael Sullivan**..... URN:

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Age if under 18 **Over 18**..... (if over 18 insert 'over 18') Occupation: **Police Officer 220776**

This statement (consisting of: **5**..... pages each signed by me) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that, if it is tendered in evidence, I shall be liable to prosecution if I have wilfully stated anything in it which I know to be false, or do not believe to be true.

Signature:  Date: 11th FEBRUARY 2017

Tick if witness evidence is visually recorded (supply witness details on rear)

I am a Police Constable of 12 years' experience, all of which I have worked on the London Borough of Brent, I am currently attached to the licensing unit for the Borough, I have been authorised via a delegated authority to represent the Borough Commander of the London Borough of Brent and for the Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police Service to act on Licensing matters.

On the 03/02/2017 I submitted a review to Brent Council I regards to Greene's Bar 362-364 Neasden Lane North, Neasden, NW10 0BT.

The review was generated after the Premise Licence Holder was found to be consistently breaching his licence conditions.

Since October 2016 police have found numerous footage from Brent Councils CCTV cameras of breaches at the venue, namely the opening way beyond its opening hours, drunkenness, and disorder.

Below is a detailed account of what is on the CCTV


Camera 32 is a Brent Council Camera that is located on the North Circular Road ,Neasden from viewing the camera it is mostly facing an underpass where historically there has been a problem with robberies, when the camera is pointed at this underpass it also captures a parade of shops, this includes the front of Greene's public house.

Camera 32 – date 28/10/2016

Footage starts at 23.39 hours, it appears that the pub is still open, the premises has a licence that allows it to open until 23.30 hours.

23.41 male exits the pub and starts smoking, he is then joined by a second male. First male seen jumping over the barrier into the underpass.

23.43 hours group of males enter pub. Followed by smokers

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23.51 male exits and smokes outside the front sitting on bench
 23.52 another male exits and smokes sitting on bench
 23.54 males go back inside, another group come out to smoke
 00.02 all go back inside venue
 00.20 Male exits pub and sits on bench near underpass another sits on bench outside pub before walking off with what appears to be a drink in his hand.
 00.22 large group arrive and enter pub
 00.37 group of females arrive and enter pub, followed by a second large group of male and females.
 00.50 male outside smoking people arrive and enter
 00.56 people arrive and enter pub
 00.58 large male possibly door man brings out a drink for what appears to be a drunk male and hands it to him.
 01.02 large group arrive and enter pub along with possible drunk male
 01.03 drunk male appears to be ejected and seems to be arguing with males
 Group of females arrive and enter drunk male still outside trying to re-enter
 Male appears to be allowed back in
 01.18 Couple arrive and enter pub
 01.23 large group arrive and enter pub, followed by several other groups
 Between 01.23 and 01.38 large groups enter and people standing outside
 01.51 group arrive and enter
 01.57 group arrive
 02.03 people arrive and enter
 02.04 two males can be seen exiting the underpass from NCR end (bottom right of the screen, one male appears very drunk and falls to the floor dragging the other male down with him and other male helps them back up they are then seen walking to the pub and eventually entering,
 02.13 Two drunk males seen dancing around outside pub holding on to each other
 02.15 group arrive a female appears to pick up a drink off the table and drink it before entering
 02.25 people arrive and enter
 02.40 people arrive and enter02.44 people arrive and enter
 03.00 large group outside pub and large group arrive and enter
 03.03 more people arrive
 03.06 camera zooms in and male can be seen in group with bottle of beer in his hand.
 03.08 group of males standing near pub with glasses in hand drinking
 03.10 males walk off with pint glasses

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03.18 males appear to be arguing

Groups outside the pub drinking and smoking people leaving and arriving

03.35 male outside pub wearing cap taxi touting

03.55 male outside drinking

The outside of the pub is constantly busy with people coming and going, people outside smoking and drinking

04.47 pub still busy Tim Sheahan outside talking to people

04.57 approx. 30 people outside the venue pavement outside pub packed people sitting on floor standing and sitting on benches, this continues until 0540 when the crowd disperse.

05.47 group exit pub, taxi tout returns.

I exhibit this CCTV as MJS/01

The next disk is dated 5/12/16 and contains footage from inside the pub, and shows people drinking alcohol, flashing lights can be seen reflecting on the walls and furniture from DJ's lights, people can also be seen dancing, all this is beyond the pubs closing time

I exhibit this CCTV as MJS/02

The next CCTV is dated the 16/12/2016 and is Camera 32 from Brent Council it starts at 23.26 hours

At 23.38 people seen entering pub

23.39 3 males enter pub all appear drunk , and staggering

23.45 males enter pub

23.53 large group outside pub smoking

Again pub allowing people into the venue and opening beyond opening hours, signs of drunkenness, the pub also has a condition that reads No Entry re-entry after 22.30 hours.

I exhibit this CCTV as MJS/03

The next footage is from the next night 17/12 2016

Footage starts at 02.33 hours

Tim Sheahan (PLH) seen going into pub

02.34 large group enter pub

02.37 another large group enter

02.43 males outside smoking

02.44 large group entre

02.47 more people enter

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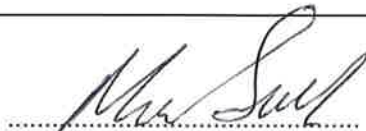
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- 02.49 large group arrive
- 02.50 males appear to be arguing outside pub, one male knocks males hat off his head, another male in grey to appears very drunk and falls backwards
- 02.51 drunk male in grey top is pushed by a female and male is moved away from pub, male then staggers off.
- 02.54 group enter pub
- 02.57 large group enter pub
- 03.02 drunk male ejected from pub, other people arriving, drunk male seen hanging around and is seen to kick pub door
- 03.06 drunk male attempts to go back in pub, he can then be seen arguing with someone
- 03.09 drunk male staggers off
- 03.10 Tim Sheahan seen coming out of pub
- 03.11 drunk male returns and manages to enter pub, Tim Sheahan runs back towards pub and drunk male is ejected
- 03.15 same drunk male manages to enter pub again as people leave the pub, another veryt drunk male arrives and tries to enter pub, he staggers around outside
- 03.17 large group arrive and enter pub
- 03.19 two drunk males arrive and enter pub
- 03.20 drunk male who had previously been ejected, is again ejected but on this occasion he is thrown out backwards, he appears to be lifted off his feet and lands on his back a number of yards from the pub door, this footage needs to be watched several times to see the full impact as there is a phone box that slightly obscures the incident. (it is by pure luck that the male has not received serious head or back injuries)
- 03.26 Tim Sheahan returns
- 03.27 Two males arrive and start taxi touting outside the pub
- 03.34 group arrive and enter pub
- 04.04 male exits pub with drink and sits on bench drinking
- 04.11 people arrive and enter
- 04.18 large group o/s pub
- 04.24 people still arriving and going inside pub

I exhibit this footage as MJS/04

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The next footage is dated the 01/01/2017 and is from camera 32

Footage starts at 23.42 people can be seen outside the premise open past it licensable hours people can be seen entering and exiting the pub until the early hours of the morning, people can be seen sitting and standing outside smoking cigarettes, larges groups arrive and can be seen trying to enter the pub, this is at approximately 02:36 hours they can be seen knocking on the door but do not gain entry, it appears that the pub is closed but most of the people entering earlier in the night have not been seen leaving the pub, which suggests that the pub was having a lock in but not allowing anyone else to enter.

Two males in the group can be seen urinating up against the shop front next to the pub as members of the public are walking past.

I exhibit this footage as MJS/05

The first CCTV, MJS/01 is dated the 28 into the 29th October 2016, a TEN was applied for this weekend however when the Notice was questioned it appeared that the notice was for three separate events, and it was refused but as can be seen from the footage Mr Sheahan decided to open anyway.

I exhibit the TEN dated 18/10/2016 and PC Whitcombs Rep letter as MJS/06

On the GREENE'S Bar Facebook page a promotion for a Christmas party dated Saturday 3rd December is promoting a Free Bar between 9PM –and 10PM this is clearly an irresponsible drinks promotion and goes against the mandatory licensing conditions.

I exhibit this a MJS/07

There is also a lot of reference on the Facebook page to live music, although no times given for the music, after speaking with Mr Sheahan he fully admitted both live and recorded music happened at Greene's past 11PM into the early hours of the morning. The pubs licence does not allow for any regulated entertainment.

Signature: 

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Witness contact details

Home address:
 Postcode:

Home telephone number Work telephone number

Mobile/pager number Email address:

Preferred means of contact:

Male / ~~Female~~ (delete as applicable) Date and place of birth:

Former name: Ethnicity Code (16+1): Religion/belief:

Dates of witness non-availability

Witness care

- a) Is the witness willing and likely to attend court? **No.** If 'No', include reason(s) on **MG6**.
- b) What can be done to ensure attendance?
- c) Does the witness require a Special Measures Assessment as a vulnerable or intimidated witness? **No.** If 'Yes' submit **MG2** with file.
- d) Does the witness have any specific care needs? **No.** If 'Yes' what are they? (Disability, healthcare, childcare, transport, , language difficulties, visually impaired, restricted mobility or other concerns?)

Witness Consent (for witness completion)

- a) The criminal justice process and Victim Personal Statement scheme (victims only) has been explained to me Yes No
- b) I have been given the Victim Personal Statement leaflet Yes No
- c) I have been given the leaflet 'Giving a witness statement to police — what happens next?' Yes No
- d) I consent to police having access to my medical record(s) in relation to this matter: (obtained in accordance with local practice) Yes No N/A
- e) I consent to my medical record in relation to this matter being disclosed to the defence: Yes No N/A
- f) I consent to the statement being disclosed for the purposes of civil proceedings e.g. child care proceedings, CICA Yes No
- g) The information recorded above will be disclosed to the Witness Service so they can offer help and support, unless you ask them not to. Tick this box to decline their services:

Signature of witness: Print name:

Signature of parent/guardian/appropriate adult: Print name:

Address and telephone number if different from above:

Statement taken by (print name): **PC368QK 220776 Michael Sullivan** Station: **HARLESDEN**

Time and place statement taken: