

**WITNESS STATEMENT**

(CJ Act 1967, s.9; MC Act 1980, ss.5A(3)(a) and 5B; MC Rules 1981, r.70)

Statement of Michael SULLIVAN ..... URN: 

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Age if under 18 Over 18 ..... (if over 18 insert 'over 18') Occupation: POLICE OFFICER .....

This statement (consisting of: ... 1..... 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: 22nd March 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 17/03/2017 I was on duty in company with PC Whitcomb and PC McDonald at about 2315 hours we attended Greene's bar 362-364 Neasden Lane North, London, NW10 0BT.

On arrival I could see that the front door was closed, and I looked in the window where I could see that the main bar was very busy and people were still being served at the bar, I could hear music coming from inside the venue, I then looked in the window of the side bar where the pool table is situated and again could see people inside, at this point Mr Tim Sheahan walked from the direction of the North Circular with a female I know to be Leigh who works in Greene's bar, I asked Mr Sheahan why the pub was still serving alcohol and playing music, he just shrugged his shoulders, I could see he was unsteady on his feet and his eyes were watery, he appeared drunk, I asked him if he had a key to get into the pub as the front door was locked, he did not reply, the door was eventually opened and Leigh went inside and started to ask people to leave.

On the 18/03/2017 I attended Brent Council CCTV room and viewed camera 32 which is situated on the North Circular and Neasden Lane North and covers the front of Greene's pub.

On viewing footage dated 17/03/2017 I could see people entering and leaving the premises until the early hours of the next morning, there were several fights with people being knocked to the floor, and large crowds gathering outside the venue.

It then appears that someone empties the contents of a bedroom above the premises onto the pavement below, the rooms above the pub are owned by Mr Sheahan, you then see Mr Sheahan and his partner coming and picking up all the contents that had been thrown onto the pavement. I exhibit this CCTV as MJS/09

It appears even with the threat of his premise licence being revoked that Mr Sheahan has no regard for the licensing objectives, or show that he is willing to change his ways.

Signature: .....

Signature witnessed by: .....