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Form 693A

Certificate under Section 53A(1)(b) of the Licensing Act 2003

Metropolitan Police Service | New Scotland | Yard 8-10 Broadway | London | SW1H 0BG

I hereby certify that in my opinion the premises described below are associated with:
both serious crime and serious disorder

Premises (Include business name and address and any other relevant identifying details):

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

Carlton Lounge, Tiger Bay, 232 - 234, Kingsbury Road

Post town: LONDON

Post code:
(if known)

NW9 0BH

Premises licence number (if known):

362998

Name of premises supervisor (if known):

Mr Thavatheva Thevarajah

I am a Superintendent* in the Metropolitan Police Service.

*Insert rank of officer giving the certificate, which must be superintendent or above.

I am giving this certificate because I am of the opinion that other procedures under the Licensing Act are inappropriate in this case because:

(Give a brief description of why other procedures such as a standard review process are thought to be inappropriate, e.g. the degree of seriousness of the crime and/or disorder, the past history of compliance in relation to the premises concerned)

This incident constitutes serious crime and disorder, which has triggered this review. The Metropolitan Police have serious concerns that the premises management, and staff members demonstrated a lack of control of the venue.

A male has been murdered whilst visiting the premises, and Police suspect serious failings by the premises by them not upholding the licensing objectives.

The Police request an immediate suspension of Carlton Lounge's premises licence pending a full review due the level of seriousness of the incident, I have considered authoring a standard review of the premises licence, however i do not feel this step to be appropriate given the circumstances.

I have serious and immediate concerns regarding the management of this venue and no confidence that they can operate without posing a risk to the public.

It is my view that such critical failings and actions by management and staff constitute ongoing risk of serious crime.

PROTECTIVE MARKING

Signature

Signature:

Date:

21.05/2025

Retention Period: 7 years
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