



Witness Statement

CJ Act 1967, s9;

MC Act 1980, ss5A(a) and 5B;

MC Rules 1981, r70;

UPRN:

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Statement of: Lavine Miller- Johnson

Age of if under Over 18

Occupation of witness: Licensing Inspector

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This statement (consisting of ...1.. page 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 which I know to be false or do not believe to be true.

Signature: 

Date: 18.09.2013

I am employed by the London Borough of Brent as a Licensing Officer. My duties include enforcing the Licensing Act 2003. On Friday 23rd August 2013 at approx. 14:30. whilst out on pre carnival licensing visits I carried out an inspection at Grill 4 U, 758 Harrow Road, London, NW10. Ms Ana Maria Silva and Mr. Nuno Rodrigues were both present. On entering the premise I introduced myself as a Licensing Officer. I explained to Ana that as their licence was still in the consultation period, they would not be able to sell alcohol over the carnival weekend. Ana said that she would not be selling alcohol but would be allowing customers to purchase a meal and a beer as a special offer. I advised Ana that this would not be possible as alcohol is still being sold even if you are selling it in the price of a meal. Ana told me that her agent Jose Manuel Rocha had told her that it was ok for her to sell the beer with a meal. I explained to Ana that the agent had miss-informed her and if she did continue to sell beer with a meal over the carnival period then enforcement action would be taken. During the carnival weekend I observed that premise was closed to the public on Bank Holiday Monday 26th August 2013.

Signature: 

Date: 18.09.2013