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Form for Applying for a Summary Licence Review

Application for the review of a premises licence under section 53A of the Licensing Act 2003
(premises associated with serious crime, serious disorder or both)

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing the form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink.

Use additional sheets if necessary.

Insert name and address of relevant licensing authority and its reference number:

Name: PC Sam LEWIS-EVANS 598QK

Address:

Wembley Police Station, 603 Harrow Road

Post town: Wembley

Post code:

Ref. No.:

I PC Sam LEWIS-EVANS

on behalf of the chief officer of police for the Metropolitan Police area apply for the review of a premises licence under section 53A of the Licensing Act 2003.

1. Premises details

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

1 The Junction, Engineers Way

Post town: Wembley

Post code:
(if known)

HA9 0EG

2. Premises licence details

Name of premises licence holder or club holding club premises certificate (if known):

Red Saffron Ltd T/A Alisan

Number of premises licence or club premises certificate (if known):

247178

3. Certificate under section 53A(1)(b) of the Licensing Act 2003 (Please read guidance note 1)

I confirm that a certificate has been given by a senior member of the police force for the police area above that in his opinion the above premises are associated with serious crime or serious disorder or both, and the certificate accompanies this application.

Please tick the box to confirm:



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4. Details of association of the above premises with serious crime, serious disorder or both

(Please read guidance note 2)


The venue has been subject to a number of serious crimes in the last couple of months.

On 30th March 2015 there was an altercation at the venue between the DPS and a male representing the premises Licence Holder which resulted in the male being stabbed by an unknown male linked to the DPS. The victim is in a life threatening condition, two suspects have been arrested for attempted murder one of which is the current DPS, there are still two outstanding suspects linked to the premise for this offence.

Police have worked tirelessly with the DPS trying to assist in improving the venue and working within the existing conditions which were originally put in place for a restaurant with the odd late night banqueting event. Police have had almost weekly meetings at the venue and then on 27/2/15 were placed on an action plan following an extremely serious GBH. Police believe that the venue has lost all control and is high likely to continue to be a source of serious crime and disorder if it is allowed to remain open. The premise licence holders during this time have shown little to no interest and have not assisted or made any contact with Police with regards to any correspondence.

I reserve the right to produce evidence which amplifies the grounds for review which may take place at, or in the vicinity of the premise between the service of this application and the hearing and/or during the time allowed for any appeal proceedings.

Signature of applicant

Signature:		Date:	31/3/15.
Capacity:	Licensing Officer		

Contact details for matters concerning this application

Surname:		First Names:	
Address:			
Post town:		Post code:	
Tel. No.:	0208 733 3206	Email:	Sam.Lewis-Evans@met.police.uk

Notes for guidance

1. A certificate of the kind mentioned in the form must accompany the application in order for it to be valid under the terms of the Licensing Act 2003. The certificate must explicitly state the senior officer's opinion that the premises in question are associated with serious crime, serious disorder or both.
Serious crime is defined by reference to section 81 of the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000. In summary, it means:
 - conduct that amounts to one or more criminal offences for which a person who has attained the age of eighteen and has no previous convictions could reasonably be expected to be sentenced to imprisonment for a term of three years or more; or
 - conduct that amounts to one or more criminal offences and involves the use of violence, results in substantial financial gain or is conduct by a large number of persons in pursuit of a common purpose.Serious disorder is not defined in legislation, and so bears its ordinary English meaning.
2. Briefly describe the circumstances giving rise to the opinion that the above premises are associated with serious crime, serious disorder, or both.



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

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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):

Alisan
 1 The Junction
 Engineers Way
 Wembley
 HA9 0EG

Premises licence number (if known): 247178

Name of premises supervisor (if known): Akbar LAKHANI

I am a Superintendent¹ in the Metropolitan Police Service.

¹Insert rank of officer giving the certificate, which **must be** superintendent or above.

I am giving this certificate because I am on the opinion that other procedures under the Licensing Act are inappropriate in this case because²:

The premises was the venue of a serious assault where a male was stabbed by a member of staff on 30/3/15, this is the sixth serious incident within 3 months, including a serious GBH behind the bar and another incident with a customer brandishing a firearm. There have been numerous incidents of breaches to the licensing conditions which have had a direct effect on the crime and disorder in and around the venue.

Other procedures have been considered but do not address the long term issue. A standard review could take months to reach a conclusion especially if taken to appeal.

Taking into consideration the gravity of this incident, the recent track record of the premises and the failure of the management to deal appropriately this matter is not felt suitable for a standard review. It is important that immediate steps are put into place now to prevent more serious crime.

As a result of this extremely serious incident, police have lost all faith in the management of this venue. Police believe that the immediate suspension of the premises licence is necessary to prevent any further incidents at the venue.

This is deemed an appropriate and proportionate measure in view of the above evidence and to reduce any further threat to public safety and prevent further crime and disorder.

²Give 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.

Signed:

Tariq Salwar Supt

Date:

31.03.2015

