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IMPORTANT – PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

18 December 2013

Dear Sirs,

Licensing Act 2003 – Section 53A-C
Application by Derbyshire Constabulary
for a Summary Review of the Premises Licence in respect of
Bar Centro, 5 Holywell Street, Chesterfield

I write further to the Licensing Committee hearing on 17 December 2013.

Following the application made by Derbyshire Constabulary for a summary review of the premises licence, the Licensing Committee considered whether or not to take any interim steps regarding the licence pending the outcome of the full review hearing which will take place next month.

The Licensing Committee considered the certificate signed on behalf of the Chief Officer of Police, the application form and the oral and written representations made by and on behalf of Derbyshire Constabulary and the Premises Licence Holder.

The Licensing Committee considered the interim steps which could be taken which were (1) to modify the licence conditions; (2) to exclude the sale of alcohol from the scope of the licence; (3) to remove the Designated Premises Supervisor; and (4) to suspend the licence.

The Licensing Committee decided that it was necessary to suspend the Premises Licence with effect from 9.00pm on 17 December 2013 pending the outcome of the full review hearing which will take place next month (you will be notified of the date and time in due course).

The reasons for the decision to suspend the Premises Licence were as follows –

Chief Executive
Huw Bowen



In view of the nature of the incidents reported by Derbyshire Constabulary as having arisen at Bar Centro and those incidents relating to serious crime at the premises, it was necessary, in order to prevent any further crime and to protect the public, to suspend the premises licence with immediate effect pending the final determination of the review application.

The interim decision means that, with immediate effect, no licensable activities must be carried on at the premises pending the outcome of the full review hearing otherwise you will be committing an offence under the Licensing Act 2003 and be liable to prosecution.

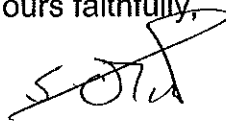
You may make representations against the interim decision to suspend the Premises Licence with immediate effect. If you wish to make representations, please put them in writing and send them to me. On receipt of any representations you make against the interim decision, a hearing will be arranged (within 48 hours of receipt excluding Saturdays, Sundays and Bank Holidays) at which you will be invited to attend if you wish and the interim decision will be reconsidered.

You do not have a right of appeal to the Magistrates' Court against the interim decision.

If you have any queries concerning this matter please contact me.

If you are unsure as to your position you should seek advice from a solicitor as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Oliver', written over a horizontal line.

Stephen Oliver
Solicitor