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# Licensing (Licensing and Gambling) Sub-Committee

Thursday, 1st October 2015  
at 1.00 pm

**PLEASE NOTE TIME OF MEETING**

Council Chamber - Civic Centre

This meeting is open to the public

### **Members**

Three Members drawn from the Licensing  
Committee

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## **PUBLIC INFORMATION**

The Members of the Licensing Committee are Councillors Furnell, Galton, Painton, Parnell, Spicer, Thomas, Tucker, Vassiliou and Whitbread and a Labour Group Vacancy.

### **Terms of Reference**

The Sub-Committee deals with licences for which the Council is responsible under the Licensing Act 2003 and Gambling Act 2005, including:-

- Determination of applications for review of premises licences and club premises certificates;
- Determination of representations to applications for premises licences and club premises certificates, variations and various permits;
- Determination of police objections to applications for:
  - Variation of designated premises supervisors
  - Transfer of premises licences
  - Personal licences for the sale of alcohol
- Determination of objections to temporary event notices.

### **Relevant Representations**

Those who have made relevant representations may address the meeting about the matter in which they have an interest. New matters, not raised within a written representation, can not be relied upon at the hearing.

**When dealing with Licensing Act matters the Sub-Committee must only take into account the following statutory Licensing Objectives:-**

- prevention of crime and disorder
- public safety
- prevention of public nuisance
- protection of children from harm

**Likewise, when dealing with Gambling Act matters the Sub Committee must only take into account the statutory Licensing Objectives below:-**

- Preventing gambling from being a source of crime or disorder, being associated with crime or disorder or being used to support crime
- Ensuring that gambling is conducted in a fair and open way, and
- Protecting children and other vulnerable persons from being harmed or exploited by gambling

### **Southampton City Council's Priorities**

- Jobs for local people
- Prevention and early intervention
- Protecting vulnerable people
- Affordable housing
- Services for all
- City pride
- A sustainable Council

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### **Dates of Potential Meetings Municipal Year 2015/16**

Meetings are scheduled on a weekly basis usually at 6pm on a Wednesday evening.

## CONDUCT OF MEETING

### **Terms of Reference**

The terms of reference are contained in the Council's Constitution.

### **Business to be discussed**

Only those items listed on the attached agenda may be considered at this meeting.

### **Rules of Procedure**

The meeting is governed by the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005 and the Council Procedure Rules as set out in Part 4 of the Constitution, so far as it is applicable.

### **Quorum 3**

The minimum number of appointed Members required to be in attendance to hold the meeting is 3.

## **DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS**

Members are required to disclose, in accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct, **both** the existence **and** nature of any "Disclosable Pecuniary Interest" or "Other Interest" they may have in relation to matters for consideration on this Agenda.

### **DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS**

A Member must regard himself or herself as having a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest in any matter that they or their spouse, partner, a person they are living with as husband or wife, or a person with whom they are living as if they were a civil partner in relation to:

(i) Any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain.

(ii) Sponsorship:

Any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from Southampton City Council) made or provided within the relevant period in respect of any expense incurred by you in carrying out duties as a member, or towards your election expenses. This includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992.

(iii) Any contract which is made between you / your spouse etc (or a body in which the you / your spouse etc has a beneficial interest) and Southampton City Council under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed, and which has not been fully discharged.

(iv) Any beneficial interest in land which is within the area of Southampton.

(v) Any license (held alone or jointly with others) to occupy land in the area of Southampton for a month or longer.

(vi) Any tenancy where (to your knowledge) the landlord is Southampton City Council and the tenant is a body in which you / your spouse etc has a beneficial interests.

(vii) Any beneficial interest in securities of a body where that body (to your knowledge) has a place of business or land in the area of Southampton, and either:

- a) the total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body, or
- b) if the share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which you / your spouse etc has a beneficial interest that exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.

## **Other Interests**

A Member must regard himself or herself as having an 'Other Interest' in any membership of, or occupation of a position of general control or management in:

Any body to which they have been appointed or nominated by Southampton City Council

Any public authority or body exercising functions of a public nature

Any body directed to charitable purposes

Any body whose principal purpose includes the influence of public opinion or policy

## **Principles of Decision Making**

All decisions of the Council will be made in accordance with the following principles:-

- proportionality (i.e. the action must be proportionate to the desired outcome);
- due consultation and the taking of professional advice from officers;
- respect for human rights;
- a presumption in favour of openness, accountability and transparency;
- setting out what options have been considered;
- setting out reasons for the decision; and
- clarity of aims and desired outcomes.

In exercising discretion, the decision maker must:

- understand the law that regulates the decision making power and gives effect to it. The decision-maker must direct itself properly in law;
- take into account all relevant matters (those matters which the law requires the authority as a matter of legal obligation to take into account);
- leave out of account irrelevant considerations;
- act for a proper purpose, exercising its powers for the public good;
- not reach a decision which no authority acting reasonably could reach, (also known as the "rationality" or "taking leave of your senses" principle);
- comply with the rule that local government finance is to be conducted on an annual basis. Save to the extent authorised by Parliament, 'live now, pay later' and forward funding are unlawful; and
- act with procedural propriety in accordance with the rules of fairness.



## AGENDA

Agendas and papers are available via the Council's website.

### **1 ELECTION OF CHAIR**

To appoint a Chair for the purposes of this meeting.

### **2 APOLOGIES AND CHANGES IN MEMBERSHIP (IF ANY)**

To note any changes in the membership of the Sub-Committee made in accordance with the Licensing Act 2003.

### **3 DISCLOSURE OF PERSONAL AND PECUNIARY INTERESTS**

In accordance with the Localism Act 2011, and the Council's Code of Conduct, Members to disclose any personal or pecuniary interests in any matter included on the agenda for this meeting.

### **4 STATEMENT FROM THE CHAIR**

### **5 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING (INCLUDING MATTERS ARISING)**

(Pages 1 - 4)

To approve and sign as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting held on 24th June 2015 and to deal with any matters arising, attached.

### **6 EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

At a predetermined point during the consideration of all items the Sub-Committee may move into private session in order to receive legal advice when determining issues. The parties to the hearing, press and the public, unless otherwise excluded by the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005, will be invited to return immediately following that private session at which time the matter will be determined and the decision of the Sub-Committee will be announced.

### **7 APPLICATION FOR VARIATION OF A PREMISES LICENCE - CRICKETERS ARMS, 34 CARLTON PLACE, SO 15 2DX**

(Pages 5 - 114)

Report of the Head of Legal and Democratic Services detailing an application for variation of a premises licence in respect of Cricketers Arms, 34 Carlton Place, SO15 2DX, attached.

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SOUTHAMPTON CITY COUNCIL  
LICENSING (LICENSING AND GAMBLING) SUB-COMMITTEE  
MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 24 JUNE 2015

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Present: Councillors Galton, Parnell and Tucker

5. **ELECTION OF CHAIR**

**RESOLVED** that Councillor Tucker be elected as Chair for the purposes of this meeting.

6. **MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING (INCLUDING MATTERS ARISING)**

**RESOLVED:** that the Minutes of the meeting held on 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2015 be approved and signed as a correct record.

7. **EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

**RESOLVED** that in accordance with the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005 that the parties to the hearing, press and public be excluded at a predetermined point whilst the Sub-Committee reaches its decision.

8. **APPLICATION FOR REVIEW OF PREMISES LICENCE - HATCHERS CARD SHOP, 92 - 94 HIGH ROAD, SOUTHAMPTON SO16 2HZ**

The Sub-Committee considered an application for review of a premises licence in respect of Hatchers Card Shop, 92 - 94 High Road, Southampton SO16 2HZ.

Mr Patel (Premises Licence Holder and Designated Premises Supervisor), Mr Mintram (witness for Mr Patel), Ms C Hill (Trading Standards) and PC Boucouvalas and PC Cherry (Hampshire Constabulary) were present and with the consent of the Chair, addressed the meeting.

The Sub-Committee considered the decision in confidential session in accordance with the Licensing Act (Hearings) Regulations 2005.

**RESOLVED**

- (i) that the premises licence be suspended for a period of two weeks (to commence on the first Saturday following the expiry of the 21 day period for appeal, following formal notification of the decision); and
- (ii) that the conditions set out by the Police within the review application and subject to the agreed amendment, be added to the licence.

After private deliberation the Sub-Committee reconvened and the Chair read out the following decision:-

All parties will receive formal written confirmation of the decision and reasons.

The Sub-Committee has considered very carefully the application for review of the premises licence at Hatchers Card Shop, 92 - 94 High Road, Southampton SO16 2HZ by Hampshire Constabulary supported by Trading Standards. It has given due regard to the Licensing Act 2003, the Licensing Objectives, statutory guidance and the adopted statement of Licensing Policy. Human Rights Legislation has been borne in mind whilst making this decision.

All the evidence presented both written and given orally today, has been carefully considered and taken into account including additional evidence submitted by the premises licence holder in advance of the hearing including a significant number of letters in support of the premises by way of character witness. In addition, a Refusals Register showing refusals made in June of this year. The Sub-Committee also heard from a witness of the premises licence holder in support. The Sub-Committee particularly addressed itself to the licensing objectives for the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance and the protection of children from harm.

Having considered all of the above, and all the options under s52, sub section 4, the Sub-Committee has decided to suspend the premises licence for a period of two weeks to commence on the first Saturday following the expiry of the 21 day period for appeal, following formal notification of the decision.

The Sub-Committee has also decided to impose the conditions set out by the Police within the review application and subject to the following amendment:

- The removal of the Designated Premises Supervisor shall not be required in this case; and
- The condition relating to training instead of using the word 'staff' or 'member of staff' shall instead have the words 'persons selling alcohol at the premises'.

### **Reasons**

The Sub-Committee considered very carefully all the evidence and held very grave concerns in relation to the premises licence holder's ability to properly manage a premises of this type.

It takes the issues relating to a recorded history of drunkenness at the premises, an under-age sale, the unlawful display of cigarettes and the labelling of products particularly seriously. It should be stressed that the Sub-Committee did very seriously consider revocation in this instance. The combination of being under the influence and making alcohol sales is something that is totally unacceptable and in most circumstances would lead to revocation particularly when an under-age sale is made.

However, the Sub-Committee heard in mitigation that:

- the premises licence holder had held the premises licence for six years without reported incident.
- Police evidence confirmed that Mr Patel was, since the review was initiated, sober at the premises.

- Mr Patel is maintaining logs in relation to refusals and produced those to the Sub-Committee.
- Mr Patel accepts fully the proposed conditions.
- Mr Patel has implemented CCTV at the premises.
- Only Mr Patel and his wife shall serve alcohol save for occasional sales by his son and that all those selling alcohol shall undertake training.
- Mr Patel has shown remorse and regrets his actions and has given up alcohol.
- Mr Patel produced a significant number of letters in support from customers confirming his character and that other breaches had not been witnessed.
- Mr Mintram attended the hearing and spoke on behalf of Mr Patel.

In light of all of the above the Sub-Committee decided that revocation would not be appropriate and that a suspension for two weeks would act as a deterrent and enable the training of all persons due to sell alcohol.

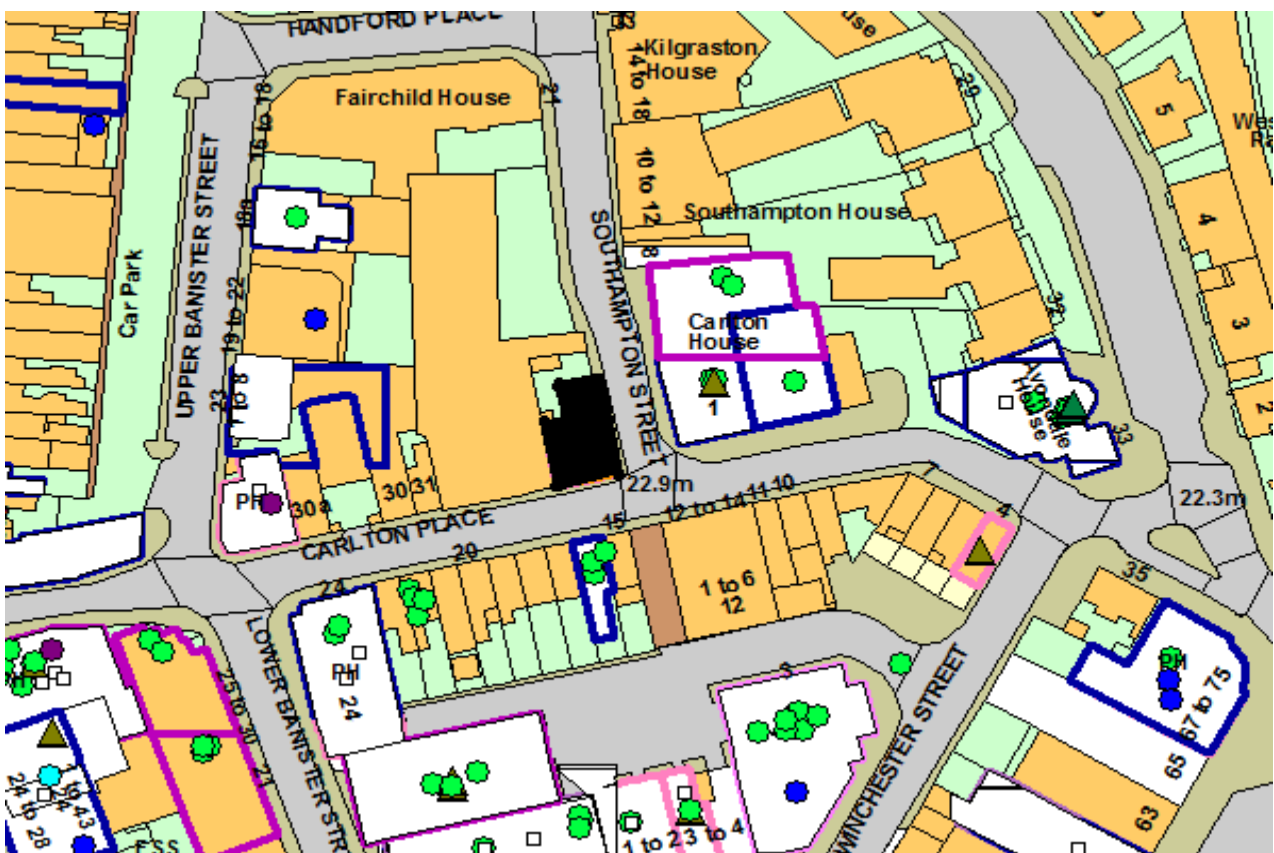
The Sub-Committee must reiterate how close it has come to revoking the premises licence on this occasion and must clearly stress that any further issues of concern will place the premises licence in extreme jeopardy in the event of further review.

There is a right of appeal for all parties to the Magistrates' Court. Formal notification of the decision will set out that right in full.

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# Agenda Item 7

**DECISION-MAKER** Licensing (Licensing and Gambling) Sub-Committee  
**Hearing to Consider an application for Variation of a Premises Licence –**  
**SUBJECT** Cricketers Arms, 34 Carlton Place, Southampton SO15 2DX  
**DATE OF HEARING** Thursday 01 October 2015 at 13:00 Hrs  
**REPORT OF** Head of Legal and Democratic Services  
**E-mail** [licensing@southampton.gov.uk](mailto:licensing@southampton.gov.uk)  
 Application Date : 06 August 2015      Application Received 10 August 2015  
 Application Valid : 10 August 2015      Reference : **2015/02469/01SPRV**



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## ***Representations from Responsible Authorities***

<b>Responsible Authority</b>	<b>Satisfactory?</b>
Local Safeguarding Children Board	No Response Received
Hampshire Fire And Rescue	Yes
Environmental Health - Licensing	NO
Planning & Sustainability	No Response Received

Public Health	No Response Received	
Hampshire Constabulary	NO	
Trading Standards	No Response Received	
<b><i>Other Representations</i></b>		
<b>Name</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Contributor Type</b>
Mrs. Lorraine Barter	42 Harborough Road, Southampton SO15 2FY	Resident
Mr. Steve Eddy	Flat 7, 22A Upper Banister Street SO15 2EE	Resident
Mrs. Pauline Eddy	Flat 7, 22A Upper Banister Street SO15 2EE	Resident
Mr. Stewart Morris	42 Harborough Road, Southampton SO15 2FY	Resident

## Legal Implications

1. The legislation specifically restricts the grounds on which the sub-committee may refuse an application for variation of a premises licence, or impose conditions. The legislation provides for a presumption of grant of an application for variation of a premises licence, subject to the determination of the application with a view to promoting the licensing objectives in the overall interests of the local community. In doing so the sub-committee must give appropriate weight to:
  - the steps that are appropriate to promote the licensing objectives;
  - the representations (including supporting information) presented by all the parties;
  - its own statement of licensing policy
  - the Statutory Guidance
2. An application may be refused in part and thereby only permit some of the licensable activities sought.
3. An applicant for variation of a premises licence whose application has been refused, or who is aggrieved by conditions imposed, may appeal against the decision to the Magistrates' Court. Any other person, who made a valid representation, may appeal to the Magistrates' Court against the decision to grant the application or against any conditions imposed.
4. In considering this application the sub-committee will sit in a quasi-judicial capacity and is thus obliged to consider the application in accordance, in particular, with both the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005 (as amended) and the rules of natural justice. The practical effect of this is that the sub-committee must make its decision based on evidence submitted in accordance with the legislation and give adequate reasons for reaching its decision.
5. The sub-committee must also have regard to:
  - *The Crime and Disorder Act 1998*  
Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 places the sub-committee under a duty to exercise its various functions with due regard to the likely effect of the exercise of those functions on, and the need to do all that it reasonably can to prevent, crime and disorder in its area.



- *The Human Rights Act 1998*

The Act requires UK legislation to be interpreted in a manner consistent with the European Convention on Human Rights. It is unlawful for the sub-committee to act in a way that is incompatible (or fail to act in a way that is compatible) with the rights protected by the Act. Any action undertaken by the sub-committee that could have an effect upon another person's Human Rights must be taken having regard to the principle of proportionality - the need to balance the rights of the individual with the rights of the community as a whole. Any action taken by the sub-committee which affect another's rights must be no more onerous than is necessary in a democratic society. The matters set out in this report must be considered in light of the above obligations.

Copies of the application for variation of the premises licence and the representations to it are annexed to this report.

## Summary of application

<b>Premises:</b>	Cricketers Arms
<b>Licence Holder:</b>	Mr. Spencer Harrison
<b>Agent for licence Holder:</b>	Paris Smith
<b>DPS:</b>	Mr. Spencer Harrison
<b>Proposed Variation</b>	

To increase the current trading hours from 0000 hours Sunday - Wednesday, to 0200 hours Monday to Thursday, and from 0100 hours Friday, Saturday, and Sunday to 0300 hours, Friday, Saturday & Sunday.

### **28 August 2015 amendment to application from Agent to remove Sunday – Thursday extension.**

#### Conditions already attached to the issued licence

Annex 2 – Conditions consistent with the operating Schedule

##### 1 CONDITIONS TRANSFERRED FROM JUSTICES ON-LICENCE

Alcohol shall not be sold or supplied except during permitted hours.

In this condition, permitted hours means:

- (a) On weekdays, other than Christmas Day, Good Friday or New Year's Eve, 10:00 to 23:00
- (b) On Sundays, other than Christmas Day or New Year's Eve, 12:00 to 22:30
- (c) On Good Friday, 12:00 to 22:30
- (d) On Christmas Day, 12:00 to 15:00 and 19:00 to 22:30
- (e) On New Year's Eve, except on a Sunday, 10:00 to 23:00
- (f) On New Year's Eve on a Sunday, 12:00 to 22:30
- (g) On New Year's Eve from the end of permitted hours on New Year's Eve to the start of permitted hours on the following day (or, if there are no permitted hours on the following day, midnight on 31st December).

The playing of recorded music is permitted in the premises between the times on the days set out above. Late night refreshment may additionally be provided up to 30 minutes after the terminal hour for the sale or supply of alcohol on any weekday.

The above restrictions do not prohibit:

- (a) during the first twenty minutes after the above hours the consumption of the alcohol on the premises;
- (b) during the first twenty minutes after the above hours, the taking of the alcohol from the premises unless the alcohol is supplied or taken in an open vessel;
- (c) during the first thirty minutes after the above hours the consumption of the alcohol on the premises by persons taking meals there if the alcohol was supplied for consumption as ancillary to the meals;
- (d) consumption of the alcohol on the premises or the taking of sale or supply of alcohol to any person residing in the licensed premises;

- (e) the ordering of alcohol to be consumed off the premises, or the despatch by the vendor of the alcohol so ordered;
- (f) the sale of alcohol to a trader or club for the purposes of the trade or club;
- (g) the sale or supply of alcohol to any canteen or mess, being a canteen in which the sale or supply of alcohol is carried out under the authority of the Secretary of State or an authorised mess of members of Her Majesty's naval, military or air forces;
- (h) the taking of alcohol from the premises by a person residing there; or
- (i) the supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises to any private friends of a person residing there who are bona fide entertained by him at his own expense, or the consumption of alcohol by persons so supplied; or
- (j) the supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises to persons employed there for the purposes of the business carried on by the holder of the licence, or the consumption of liquor so supplied, if the liquor is supplied at the expense of their employer or of the person carrying on or in charge of the business on the premises.

## 2 EMBEDDED CONDITIONS FROM CHILDREN AND YOUNG PERSONS ACT 1933

It is a condition of your licence that you comply with the extant provisions of the Children and Young Persons Act 1933, as amended.

## 3 CONDITIONS TRANSFERRED FROM THE PUBLIC MUSIC AND DANCING LICENCE

### (a) ALTERATIONS

No structural or other alterations of the place licensed or of the facilities and equipment installed therein or of the means of exit there from shall be made without the licensee having submitted to the Licensing Authority detailed plans showing the proposed alterations and having received the Licensing Authority's written approval thereof.

### (b) SANITARY CONVENIENCES

Adequate and separate sanitary conveniences shall be provided in the place licensed for persons of each sex to the satisfaction of the Licensing Authority. Such conveniences shall be available free of charge and shall at all times be kept in good order and repair, be properly and effectually cleansed, lighted, ventilated, disinfected and supplied with water and all proper requisites, and the doors leading thereto shall be suitably marked.

### (c) REFRESHMENTS

If food or drink is provided in the place licensed for persons resorting thereto all arrangements for and areas in which preparation, storage and service of such refreshment takes or is to take place shall comply with the regulations for food hygiene prescribed by law and for the time being in force, shall be of adequate size, and shall be to the satisfaction of the Licensing Authority.

### (d) REFUSE

No refuse, rubbish or waste paper shall be permitted to accumulate in any part of the place licensed.

### (e) VENTILATION

All parts of the place licensed shall be suitably and sufficiently ventilated by natural or mechanical means to the satisfaction of the Licensing Authority.

### (f) HYPNOSIS

(i) No exhibition, demonstration or performance of hypnotism (as defined in Section 6 of the Hypnotism Act, 1952) shall be given on any person in the place licensed except with the express consent of the Licensing Authority and in accordance with any conditions attached to such consent.

(ii) Application for consent to give an exhibition, demonstration or performance of hypnotism shall include a detailed description of the proposed exhibition and shall be made to the Licensing

Authority not less than 21 days before the day on which the exhibition is to be given. Notice of the making of the application shall immediately be given to the Officer in Charge of the Police sub-division in which the place licensed is situate.

**(g) MANAGEMENT**

(i) A responsible person nominated in writing by the licensee shall be in charge of, and present in the place licensed during all such times as public entertainment is provided therein, or members of the public are present for that purpose.

(ii) During the whole time that public entertainment is provided in the place licensed persons in the employ of or at the direction of the licensee, trained in the routine to be followed in the case of fire or other emergency, shall be present in the place licensed. Advice on the training of such persons may be obtained from the Fire Authority.

(iii) All parts of the place licensed and fittings therein, in particular the seating, door fastenings, floor surfaces and coverings, notices, steps and staircases shall be maintained at all times in good order and condition, and safe, suitable and sufficient means of heating shall be provided, to the satisfaction of the Licensing Authority. The licensee shall, in complying with this condition, take all necessary precautions for the safety of persons frequenting the place licensed.

**(h) GOOD ORDER**

The licensee shall ensure that no person be admitted to or permitted to remain in the place licensed whilst in a state of intoxication. If any person in the place licensed shall act in a manner offensive to or to the nuisance or annoyance of any other persons he shall forthwith be removed from the place licensed. The licensee shall, if necessary, seek the assistance of the Police in accomplishing this, and shall inform the Police of any conduct likely to cause a breach of the peace.

**(i) NUISANCE**

No public music, dancing or entertainment of a like kind shall be permitted or suffered to take place in the place licensed which shall be a nuisance, annoyance or inconvenience to any occupant of the premises in which the place licensed is situate or to any occupant of any other premises.

**(j) EMERGENCY TELEPHONES**

If no telephone service is available in the place licensed there shall be displayed in a conspicuous place a notice giving particulars of the nearest telephone available in an emergency and details of how to summon the emergency services. Any outbreak of fire must, immediately on its discovery, be reported to the Fire Authority.

**(k) FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT**

All fire fighting equipment provided in the place licensed shall be examined at least once annually. In particular portable fire extinguishers shall be so examined and tested by a competent person in accordance with British Standard Code of Practice 5306; Part 3, 1980. The date of such test shall be clearly marked on the extinguisher or on stout tabs attached thereto. The licensee shall produce, if required by the Licensing Authority a certificate stating that all fire fighting equipment has been so examined and tested.

**(l) INFLAMMABLE MATERIALS**

(i) Highly inflammable material must not be used in connection with any public entertainment provided in the place licensed unless it has been rendered fire retardant to the satisfaction of the Licensing Authority and is maintained in that condition. No naked flame shall be used in connection with any public entertainment provided in the place licensed except with the specific written consent of the Licensing Authority, and subject to any conditions attached to such consent.

(ii) No explosive, highly inflammable or combustible substance, whether solid or liquid, shall be brought into or used or without the written consent of the Licensing Authority and subject to any conditions attached to such consent.

**(m) ELECTRICAL INSTALLATIONS AND INSPECTIONS**

(i) Within one month of the Licensing Authority requiring an inspection to be carried out, the licensee shall, at his own expense, arrange for all the electrical installations in the place licensed to be inspected by a competent and qualified electrician and a certificate stating the condition of the installation shall, immediately after each inspection, be forwarded to the Licensing Authority by the licensee.

(ii) Any alterations or additions, whether permanent or temporary, to the electrical installations in the place licensed shall only be carried out by a competent and qualified electrician, and shall be in accordance with the Regulations for Electrical Equipment in Buildings (Institution of Electrical Engineers).

(iii) All electrical switches in connection with the lighting or hearing of the place licensed shall be guarded or out of reach of persons resorting to the place licensed.

#### (n) CONSTRUCTION

(i) Wall and Ceiling Linings, Insulation, Treatment, etc. - Any material used as a wall or ceiling lining, or as a suspended ceiling, or for acoustic or thermal insulation purposes shall be to the Licensing Authority's satisfaction and shall be fixed and supported in such manner as may be approved by the Licensing Authority.

Note: For the purpose of this condition the Licensing Authority will normally require such material to be non-combustible or be rated Class 1 of the classification for surface spread of flame when tested in accordance with the appropriate provisions of B.S. 476; Part 7, 1971, and be throughout its thickness of no greater flammability than its surface. Certain other materials may, however, be accepted, subject to compliance with such conditions as the Licensing Authority may consider appropriate in the circumstances of the case.

(ii) Decorative Features and Finishings - Any fixed or permanent decorative feature shall be of such materials as would be permitted for wall or ceiling linings. Any decorative surface finishing, including any fabric, shall be either non-combustible, inherently non-flammable or durably flameproof except that wallpaper and similar thin surface finishing may be accepted provided that it is fixed firmly with an adhesive approved by the Licensing Authority.

#### (o) CEILINGS

If the Licensing Authority require, provision shall be made, to the Licensing Authority's satisfaction, for the examination from above of any suspended ceiling over such parts of the place licensed frequented by persons resorting thereto and thereto and such other parts of the premises as the Licensing Authority may deem necessary.

#### (p) SEATING AND GANGWAYS

Seating, tables and chairs and other furniture and fittings in the place licensed shall be so arranged as to allow free and ready access to the exits.

#### (q) LIGHTING

(i) Provision - All parts of the place licensed shall be provided with adequate means of illumination and, except where otherwise permitted in writing by the Licensing Authority, those parts to which the public have access and all routes of escape for performers or staff shall be provided with adequate means of illumination from two independent sources.

(ii) Standard of Illumination - The illumination from each source shall be sufficient to enable the public, performers and staff to see their way out of the place licensed in safety at any time, and shall not be derived from prepayment meters.

(iii) Segregation of the Two Systems of Lighting - Where two lighting systems are provided each shall be so installed that a fault or accident arising on one system shall not jeopardise the other.

(iv) Illumination of Exit Notices - The exit notices required by the following Condition shall be provided with adequate means of illumination from two independent sources. Where the general lighting may be dimmed or extinguished whilst the public are present in the place licensed the exit notices shall be internally illuminated and shall conform with B.S. 2560; 1978. The lighting points

for the illumination of those exit notices which are not required to be internally illuminated shall be located in proximity to the notices.

(r) EXIT NOTICES

(i) Form and Position - All doors or openings approved as exits shall be clearly indicated (above the door where possible) by the word "EXIT" or the words "EMERGENCY EXIT". Where an exit or emergency exit is not immediately visible to members of the public supplementary "EXIT" or "EMERGENCY EXIT" signs and arrows shall be placed so as to indicate the location of the exit or emergency exit to the satisfaction of the Licensing Authority. All "EXIT" or "EMERGENCY EXIT" signs shall be in plain letters not less than 75 millimetres high and shall be between 2.0 and 2.5 metres above floor level. Unless otherwise permitted by the Licensing Authority, no other notice or wording shall be incorporated in, or form part of, an exit notice.

(ii) Doors other than Exits - Any door or opening, other than an exit, which leads to parts of the place licensed accessible to the public, shall have a conspicuous notice indicating the use of such parts. Any door not usable by the public shall be similarly indicated or shall be marked "PRIVATE". Notices bearing the words "NO EXIT" or "NO WAY OUT" shall not be provided.

(s) EXITS

(i) Doors and Fastenings - Unless otherwise permitted in writing by the Licensing Authority, exit doors and gates shall open in the direction of exit, and shall in all cases be free from fastenings other than panic bolts or such fastenings as may be approved by the Licensing Authority.

(ii) Exit Routes - All exit routes including passages, courts, ramps, gangways corridors and stairways, to which the public have access and which lead from the place licensed to the outside, shall at all times be kept free from obstruction.

(t) SPECIAL EFFECTS

No laser beam or other hazardous effect may be used in the place licensed without the prior written approval of the Licensing Authority. The licensee shall give at least 21 days' written notice to the Licensing Authority of such proposed use to allow adequate consideration.

(u) DOOR SUPERVISORS

All references in this licence to door supervisors shall mean door supervisors licensed pursuant to the Private Security Industry Act 2001 by the Security Industry Authority.

(v) The licensee shall ensure that all door supervisors engaging in licensable conduct (as defined in section 25 and paragraph 8 of schedule 2 of the Private Security Industry Act 2001) at the place licensed are licensed in accordance with the provisions of the Private Security Industry Act 2001.

(w) The Licensee(s) shall maintain a duty register giving details of every person at the place licensed engaging in licensable conduct, as defined in section 25 and paragraph 8 of schedule 2 of the Private Security Industry Act 2001, and the Licensee(s) shall immediately provide, on request by any authorised Officer of the Licensing Authority, Police Officer, or authorised Officer of the Security Industry Authority, the following details:

(i) the licence number, name, date of birth and residential address of that person;

(ii) the time at which that person commenced that period of duty, with the signed acknowledgement of that person;

(iii) the time at which that person finished that duty that period of duty, with the signed acknowledgement of that person;

(iv) any times during the period of duty when the person was not on duty;

(v) if that person is not an employee of the Licensee(s), the name of the person by whom that person is employed or through whom the services of that person were engaged;

(vi) the duty register shall be so kept that it can be readily inspected by a authorised Officer of the Licensing Authority, Police Officer, or authorised Officer of the Security Industry Authority

(vii) the duty register shall comprise of a bound book with pages consecutively numbered and the Licensee(s) shall ensure that it is kept in a secure environment in order to prevent unauthorised access or alteration to the same.

4 F - Playing of recorded music

Recorded music may be played inside the licensed premises in the areas shown on the plan annexed to this licence, during the hours set out above.

5 L - Late Night Refreshment

Late night refreshment may be provided both inside and outside the licensed premises in the areas shown on the plan annexed to this licence, during the hours set out above.

6 M - Supply of alcohol

Alcohol may be supplied both inside and outside the licensed premises in the areas shown on the plan annexed to this licence, during the hours set out above.

7 To the following special terms conditions and restrictions (which in a case of conflict shall prevail over any other applicable conditions): -

Public entertainment shall only be provided in the place licensed between 8.00pm and midnight on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, between 08.00 pm and 1.00 am the following morning on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays and between 12 noon and 12 midnight on any Sunday.

No more than 100 (one hundred) persons shall be present in the place licensed at any one time.

8 (a) Subject to the following paragraphs, the permitted hours on weekdays shall extend until 02:00 in the morning following [or, if an earlier hour is specified in the special hours certificate, that hour], except that -

(i) the permitted hours shall end at 00:00 on any day on which music and dancing is not (or, in the case of casino premises, gaming facilities are not) provided after 00:00; and

(ii) on any day that music and dancing end (or, in the case of casino premises, gaming ends) between 00:00 and 02:00 in the morning, the permitted hours shall end when the music and dancing end or, as the case may be, when the gaming ends;

(b) In relation to the morning on which summer time begins, paragraph (a) of this condition shall have effect -

(i) with the substitution of references to 03:00 in the morning for references to 02:00 in the morning [or one hour following the hour actually specified in the certificate where the certificate currently requires closure between 01:00 and 02:00]

(c) Except as provided in (d) below, the permitted hours on Sundays shall extend until 00:30 in the morning following [or, if an earlier hour is specified in the special hours certificate, that hour], except that -

(i) the permitted hours shall end at 00:00 on any Sunday on which music and dancing is not (or, in the case of casino premises, gaming facilities are not) provided after midnight;

(ii) where music and dancing end (or, in the case of casino premises, gaming ends) between midnight on any Sunday and 00:30, the permitted hours on that Sunday or, as the case may be, when the gaming ends.

(d) On Sundays immediately before bank holidays other than Easter Sunday, the permitted hours shall extend until 02:00 in the morning following, except that -

(i) the permitted hours shall end at midnight on any Sunday on which music and dancing is not (or, in the case of casino premises, gaming facilities are not) provided after midnight;

(ii) where music and dancing end (or, in the case of casino premises, gaming ends) between midnight on any Sunday and 02:00, the permitted hours on that Sunday shall end when the music and dancing end or, as the case may be, when the gaming ends.

(e) The sale of alcohol must be ancillary to the use of the premises for music and dancing and substantial refreshment.

(f) Late night refreshment may additionally be provided up to 30 minutes after the terminal hour for the sale or supply of alcohol on any day.



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Dear Sirs

**The Cricketers Arms  
Application for a variation**

We enclose herewith copy of the Application form which we sent to you under cover of our letter of 6 August.  
We have noticed that the Application form had some typing errors in the timings, and those have been corrected. The alteration is to the start times for the performances of recorded music, performances of dance and facilities for music and dance and supply of alcohol.  
We confirm that the form is now correct and we have of course already paid the fee.

Yours faithfully



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## Application to vary a premises licence under the Licensing Act 2003

### 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 this 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.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

~~I/XXX~~ Spencer Harrison  
(Insert name(s) of applicant)

**being the premises licence holder, apply to vary a premises licence under section 34 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below**

Premises licence number 2005/00366/01SPRC
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### Part 1 - Premises Details

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description The Cricketers Arms 34 Carlton Place	
Post town Southampton	Post code SO15 2DX
Telephone number at premises (if any)	023 80 226448
Non-domestic rateable value of premises	£ 24,000.00

### Part 2 - Applicant Details

Daytime contact telephone number	023 80 226448	
E-mail address (optional)	om	
Current postal address if different from premises address		
Post town		Post code

### Part 3 - Variation

Please tick as appropriate

Do you want the proposed variation to have effect as soon as possible?

Yes  No

If not, from what date do you want the variation to take effect?

DD		MM		YYYY			

Do you want the proposed variation to have effect in relation to the introduction of the late night levy? (Please see guidance note 1)

Yes  No

If your proposed variation would mean that 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend:

**Please describe briefly the nature of the proposed variation** (Please see guidance note 2)  
to increase the current trading hours from 0000 hours Sunday - Wednesday, to 0200 hours Monday to Thursday, and from 0100 hours Friday, Saturday, and Sunday to 0300 hours, Friday, Saturday & Sunday.

### Part 4 - Operating Schedule

Please complete those parts of the Operating Schedule below which would be subject to change if this application to vary is successful.

#### Provision of regulated entertainment

Please tick all that apply

- a) plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)
- b) films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)
- c) indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C)
- d) boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)
- e) live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)
- f) recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)
- g) performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)
- h) anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H)

<input type="checkbox"/>
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Provision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box I)

Supply of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box J)

In all cases complete boxes K, L and M

## A

<b>Plays</b> Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			<u>Will the performance of a play take place indoors or outdoors or both - please tick</u> (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 4)	Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue					
Wed				<u>State any seasonal variations for performing plays</u> (please read guidance note 5)	
Thur					
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of plays at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Sat					
Sun					

## B

<b>Films</b> Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			<u>Will the exhibition of films take place indoors or outdoors or both - please tick</u> (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 4)	Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue					
Wed				<u>State any seasonal variations for the exhibition of films</u> (please read guidance note 5)	
Thur					
Fri			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the exhibition of films at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Sat					
Sun					

**C**

<b>Indoor sporting events</b> Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			Please give further details (please read guidance note 4)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon			State any seasonal variations for indoor sporting events (please read guidance note 5)
Tue			
Wed			
Thur			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for indoor sporting events at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 6)
Fri			
Sat			
Sun			

**D**

<b>Boxing or wrestling entertainments</b> Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			Will the boxing or wrestling entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both - please tick (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 4)	Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for boxing or wrestling entertainment (please read guidance note 5)		
Thur					
Fri					
Sat			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for boxing or wrestling entertainment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 6)		
Sun					

## E

<b>Live music</b> Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			<b>Will the performance of live music take place indoors or outdoors or both - please tick</b> (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon	2000	0200	<b>Please give further details here</b> (please read guidance note 4)	Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue	2000	0200			
Wed	2000	0200	<b>State any seasonal variations for the performance of live music</b> (please read guidance note 5) additional hour to be allowed on the adjustment from GMT to BST. The increase in times as provided under the orders for Christmas and New Year.		
Thur	2000	0300			
Fri	2000	0300	<b>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of live music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</b> (please read guidance note 6)		
Sat	2000	0300			
Sun	0000	0200			

## F

<b>Recorded music</b> Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			<b>Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both - please tick</b> (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon	1000	0200	<b>Please give further details here</b> (please read guidance note 4)	Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue	1000	0200			
Wed	1000	0200	<b>State any seasonal variations for the playing of recorded music</b> (please read guidance note 5) additional hour to be allowed on the adjustment from GMT to BST. The increase in times as provided under the orders for Christmas and New Year.		
Thur	1000	0300			
Fri	1000	0300	<b>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the playing of recorded music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</b> (please read guidance note 6)		
Sat	1000	0300			
Sun	1200	0200			



## G

<b>Performances of dance</b> Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			<u>Will the performance of dance take place indoors or outdoors or both - please tick</u> (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon	2000	0200	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 4)	Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue	2000	0200			
Wed	2000	0200	<u>State any seasonal variations for the performance of dance</u> (please read guidance note 5) additional hour to be allowed on the adjustment from GMT to BST. The increase in times as provided under the orders for Christmas and New Year.		
Thur	2000	0300			
Fri	2000	0300	<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of dance at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Sat	2000	0300			
Sun	1200	0200			

## H

<b>Anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g)</b> Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			<u>Please give a description of the type of entertainment you will be providing</u>		
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Will this entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both - please tick</u> (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon	2000	0200		<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 4)	Outdoors
Tue	2000	0200	Both		<input type="checkbox"/>
Wed	2000	0200			
Thur	2000	0300	<u>State any seasonal variations for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g)</u> (please read guidance note 5) additional hour to be allowed on the adjustment from GMT to BST. The increase in times as provided under the orders for Christmas and New Year.		
Fri	2000	0300			
Sat	2000	0300	<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 6)		
Sun	1200	0200			

I

Late night refreshment Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			Will the provision of late night refreshment take place <u>indoors or outdoors or both - please tick</u> (please read guidance note 3)	Indoors	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon	2300	0130	<b>Please give further details here</b> (please read guidance note 4)	Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue	2300	0130			
Wed	2300	0130	<b>State any seasonal variations for the provision of late night refreshment</b> (please read guidance note 5) additional hour to be allowed on the adjustment from GMT to BST. The increase in times as provided under the orders for Christmas and New Year.		
Thur	2300	0230			
Fri	2300	0230	<b>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of late night refreshment at different times, to those listed in the column on the left, please list</b> (please read guidance note 6)		
Sat	2300	0230			
Sun	2300	0130			

J

Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption <u>- please tick</u> (please read guidance note 8)	On the premises	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish		Off the premises	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon	1000	0200	<b>State any seasonal variations for the supply of alcohol</b> (please read guidance note 5) additional hour to be allowed on the adjustment from GMT to BST. The increase in times as provided under the orders for Christmas and New Year.	Both	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Tue	1000	0200			
Wed	1000	0200	<b>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the supply of alcohol at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</b> (please read guidance note 6)		
Thur	1000	0300			
Fri	1000	0300			
Sat	1000	0300			
Sun	1200	0200			



# K

Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 9).

There are no activities that would give rise to concerns in respect of children.

# L

<b>Hours premises are open to the public</b> Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)			<b>State any seasonal variations</b> (please read guidance note 5)	
Day	Start	Finish		
Mon	1000	0230	additional hour to be allowed on the adjustment from GMT to BST. The increase in times as provided under the orders for Christmas and New Year.	
Tue	1000	0230		
Wed	1000	0230		<b>Non standard timings. Where you intend the premises to be open to the public at different times from those listed in the column on the left, please list</b> (please read guidance note 6)
Thur	1000	0330		
Fri	1000	0330		
Sat	1000	0330		
Sun	1200	0230		

Please identify those conditions currently imposed on the licence which you believe could be removed as a consequence of the proposed variation you are seeking.

The applicant is not proposing any changes to the conditions

Please tick as appropriate

- I have enclosed the premises licence
- I have enclosed the relevant part of the premises licence

If you have not ticked one of these boxes, please fill in reasons for not including the licence or part of it below

**Reasons why I have not enclosed the premises licence or relevant part of premises licence.**

## M

**Describe any additional steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives as a result of the proposed variation:**

**a) General - all four licensing objectives (b, c, d and e) (please read guidance note 10)**

The applicant proposes to stay with the current conditions on the Premises Licence for the premises, which should ensure compliance with the Licensing objectives.

**b) The prevention of crime and disorder**

see a) above

**c) Public safety**

See a) above

**d) The prevention of public nuisance**

See a) above

**e) The protection of children from harm**

See a) above

**Checklist:**

**Please tick to indicate agreement**

- I have made or enclosed payment of the fee; or
- I have not made or enclosed payment of the fee because this application has been made in relation to the introduction of the late night levy.
- I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable.
- I understand that I must now advertise my application.
- I have enclosed the premises licence or relevant part of it or explanation.
- I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected.


**IT IS AN OFFENCE, LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING LEVEL 5 ON THE STANDARD SCALE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION.**

**Part 5 - Signatures** (please read guidance note 11)

**Signature of applicant (the current premises licence holder) or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent** (please read guidance note 12). **If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.**

Signature	
Date	
Capacity	

**Where the premises licence is jointly held, signature of 2nd applicant (the current premises licence holder) or 2nd applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent** (please read guidance note 13). **If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.**

Signature		
Date	6 <sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2015	
Capacity	SOLICITOR.	
<p><b>Contact name (where not previously given) and address for correspondence associated with this application</b> (please read guidance note 14)</p> <p>Paris Smith LLP                  1 London Road                  Southampton</p>		
Post town		Post code SO15 2AE
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If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail, your e-mail address (optional)		

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Dear Sirs

**The Cricketers Arms  
Application for a variation**

We are writing to update you that following discussions with the Police, the application will be amended to remove the Sunday - Thursday extension, and agreed amended conditions will follow in due course.

Yours faithfully

  
Paris Smith LLP

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Application for the review of / Representation in respect of a Premises licence or Club Premises certificate under the Licensing Act 2003

Before completing this form, please refer to FPP 07001 (Licensing (Licensing Act 2003))

I Police Constable Alex Boucouvalas, on behalf of the Chief Officer of Hampshire Constabulary, (Insert name of applicant)

- Apply for the review of a premises licence.
Apply for the review of a club premises certificate.
Make a representation about a premises licence/club premises certificate

Premises or Club Premises details

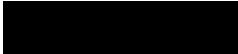
Postal address of premises: The Cricketers Arms, 34 Carlton Place, Southampton. Postcode (if known): SO15 2DX

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

Number of premises licence or club premises certificate (if known): 2005/00366/01SPRC

Details of responsible authority applicant

Mr Mrs Miss Ms Other title / Rank: Police Constable. Surname: Boucouvalas First Names: Alex. Current postal address: Licensing Team, Hampshire Constabulary, Southampton Central Police Station, Southern Road, Southampton. Postcode: SO15 1AN. Daytime telephone number: 02380 478373. E-mail address (optional): force.licensing@hampshire.pnn.police.uk



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Hampshire Constabulary is a responsible authority and the applicant has the delegated authority of the Chief Officer of Police in respect of his responsibilities under the Licensing Act 2003





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**This application to review relates to the following licensing objective(s)**

*Select one or more boxes*

- 1) The prevention of crime and disorder
- 2) Public safety
- 3) The prevention of public nuisance
- 4) The protection of children from harm

Please state the grounds for review which must be based on one or more of the licensing objectives together with supporting information:

On behalf of the Chief Officer of Hampshire Constabulary, I am writing to lodge a representation to the above application in respect to the following licensing objectives:

- 1) The prevention of Crime and Disorder
- 2) Public Safety
- 3) The Protection of Children from Harm

The grounds that will be covered by my representation are as follows;

- The authorisation of this application to vary the premises licence will further add to the cumulative impact of the licensed premises in the area and as such is subject to Southampton City Council's cumulative impact policy.
- The premises are operating in an already stressed high impact night time economy zone within a cluster of licensed premises.

The Chief officer of Hampshire Constabulary has the view that this application should be refused as The Cricketers Arms Southampton is within the SPA laid out in the current Southampton City Council Statement of Licensing Policy. The Chief Officer of Police does not believe that the applicant has shown in their application that increasing their licensable activity will not have an impact on the licensing objectives.

We point out that The Home Office guidelines with regards to a Special Policy Area (SPA) state that "the effect of adopting a special policy of this kind is to create a rebuttable presumption that applications for new premises or club premises certificates or variations are likely to add to the existing cumulative impact will normally be refused, following relevant representations, unless the applicant can demonstrate in their operating schedule that there will be no negative cumulative impact on one or more of the licensing objectives".

The Cricketers Arms are licensed premises which sits in a public house category. It is situated in the Bedford Place area of Southampton. Bedford Place is a popular night time economy zone which attracts a large student following, as well as local city customers. In the opinion of Hampshire Constabulary, The Cricketers Arms is a an alcohol led







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establishment. It is a small premises with a maximum capacity of 100 persons.

The immediate vicinity surrounding the premises has a number of late night alcohol led licensed premises as identified by ANNEX A. This shows the close proximity of these types of venues. It doesn't include the late night refreshment led premises which would further densely populate the map.

In terms of alcohol led premises, ANNEX B shows the opening hours and alcohol supply hours of these for these identified premises.

This application to vary the premises licence is focussed around the increase of opening hours and licensable activities including the supply of alcohol 7 days per week. It does appear to be focussing on increasing the alcohol led sales as page 2 of the application describes the need to increase trading hours, then documenting the supply of alcohol hours, and fails to mention the request extend the other licensable activities. This suggests the main focus of this variation application is the extended alcohol supply.

Should the application be granted, these premises would be matching the other latest opening premises in the Bedford Place cumulative impact area leaving 1 other premises opening later within the 'zone'.

Southampton City council has adopted cumulative impact policies since 2009 due to the number, type and density of licensed premises in different areas, which can lead to nuisance, disorder outside and some distance away from the premises. This application to extend hours therefore could have an actual or potential adverse impact on the promotion of the licensing objectives.

The Cricketers Arms falls within the 'Bedford Place' cumulative impact area as the premises is situated on Carlton Place. The cumulative impact of the number of licensed premises in such close proximity means that the area becomes stressed and is a source for crime and disorder.

Hampshire Constabulary conducted a year review of crime and disorder between the 1st October 2014 until 31st October 2014 as well as between the 31st July 2014 and the 31st July 2015, covering 2300 hours and 0700 hours. This review only included specific incidents within the cumulative impact area. (Bedford Place - covering the roads specified in ANNEX C).

This whole year period is reflective of times where the student population are in the area and also times when they are not.

We reviewed were specific types of crimes and incidents related to the night time economy, such as anti-social behaviour, assaults, thefts, subject dispersals, robberies, sexual offences, criminal damage, injury/illness, and impairment driving offences.

Displayed by ANNEX D, it is clear that over a whole year period, there are peak times for crime and disorder - between 0100-0200 hours, followed by between 0200-0300 hours.

Hampshire Constabulary considered the presence of a student population and the impact



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this has on these statistics.

The month of July 2015 was reviewed which is a period where the student population are away from the city. (ANNEX E) It was determined that the peak for crime and disorder was between 0200-0300 hours followed by 0000-0200 hours.

A review was then conducted of October 2014 which is period where the student population is in the city. (ANNEX F) The amount of crime and disorder actually increases, with a peak period of 0200-0300, followed by 0100-0200 hours. What is also clear is that we see an increase in crime and disorder between the hours of 0300-0400 hours.

The universities in Southampton are undergoing expansion projects across the city, with a view to bring even more young people to the area. The night time economy often is a part of student life, and Hampshire Constabulary suggests this could populate the area with more young people and we could foresee the months where the city is populated with even more students adding to the stress to the cumulative impact areas .

The Cricketers Arms specifically has had very little calls for service, with 1 in 2015 for refusing entry to a drunk male, 1 customer assault allegation in 2014, 1 theft matter and 1 drugs matter in 2013.

ANNEX G are incidents associated with the premises since 2013 and are attached to provide a understanding of what the Police have called to or notified of.

Hampshire Constabulary accepts it has had very little required to attend the premises however accepted but it is still operating within a the city council's cumulative impact area. This suggests to Hampshire Constabulary that the current operating hours are currently assisting the premises to prevent crime and disorder.

The premises currently closes by 0130 at the latest on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays. The likelihood is that the customers of the premises, then go on to other premises and could then become involved in incidents within the area or further afield and therefore not associating themselves with the premises.

Extending licensable activities and operating hours is likely to draw more customers to the area who will then remain at the premises and in the area for much longer. The application is not suggesting any last entry time (ANNEX H), although the licence holder has suggested a possible last entry condition of 0050 hours. This is at a time where incidents numbers are quite high and as such one might not want to draw even more customers to the area.

Customers of The Cricketers Arms could potentially have the facility to consume alcohol for longer periods and likely to become more intoxicated and more vulnerable. The extension of operating hours are going to heighten this concern as customers then could be exposed to or even be the cause of increased crime and disorder.

The Chief officer of Hampshire Constabulary suggests that it is not appropriate for



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Southampton City council to depart from the cumulative impact policy by granting this application. This is a substantial variation to an existing premises licence where modifications directly link to the cumulative impact.

It is Hampshire Constabulary's view that these are not premises offering something 'different' to night time economy such as the cultural quarter where the policy to encourage performing arts and fresco dining that may not further add to the cumulative impact of these similar premises. Whilst the premises feels it attracts an older clientele, this is still alcohol led and as such Hampshire Constabulary sees it no differently, and suggests Southampton City Council should not either.

These premises seek to close at 0230 hours Sunday to Thursday, and 0330 Thursday to Saturday. As you can see from ANNEXES D,E,F, the peak times vary slightly, depending on the month of the year, but there are clearly times of particular stress in a small vicinity and Hampshire Constabulary is concerned that the premises' extended hours would add more stress into the zone.

It is thought that a permanent change in hours will commence a gradual change the dynamics of the area and create a long term draw of people to the area and keep more people in the area for longer at times where we want to encourage people to get home safely.

The Chief officer of Hampshire Constabulary does accept that The Cricketers Arms has overall traded without directly causing the Constabulary difficulties, but we remind the licensing panel that as per the policy, they should not ordinarily consider the quality of management of the premises therefore we suggest this should not factored in to your decision.

The Chief officer of Hampshire Constabulary is not satisfied that the applicant has demonstrated in their application that there will be no negative cumulative impact, however small they perceive the impact to be. Whilst the applicant is under no obligation to do so, Hampshire Constabulary is disappointed that there was no consultation with the Constabulary and other authorities prior to submission of the application as this would have enabled the applicant have received expert advice from all of the authorities.

Whilst the premises may be willing to introduce some measures to try and negate this, there did not appear to be any mention of this in the application submitted. A meeting was held on the 17th August 2015 with the applicant and solicitor regarding any proposals to promote the licensing objectives. Since the meeting, the Constabulary has received formal confirmation of what exactly further measures would be accepted as licence conditions if granted.  
(ANNEX H)

Of note, the Constabulary's neighbourhood policing team recently conducted a under age sales test purchase operation on the 19th August 2015 within the city centre zones. As part of that operation, a total of 15 other premises were tested where a 16 year old child made attempts to purchase alcoholic products. Out of the 15 premises tested, disappointingly The Cricketers Arms was the only premises to fail. The child successfully purchased 2 bottles of



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'Corona' beer. The offending member of staff was interviewed under caution and admitted that they did not ask for identification. From the interview record (ANNEX J) it is clear that the staff member was not completely clear on the challenge policy, stating they thought it was challenge 25 when it is currently 21.

The licence holder has stated he has taken action (ANNEX K) Whilst this is the first time on record this appears to have happened at the premises, it reduces the confidence Hampshire Constabulary has in the premises' ability to prevent under age sales with the premises operating in an area with a younger community.

The cumulative impact policy was agreed so that the licensing authority could do all it reasonably could to prevent crime and disorder in the city. All the premises within the area have contributed to the overall high levels of the aforementioned violence in the past, leading to the creation of the policy which is currently in place. Whilst one venue extending its hours may on the face of it appear minor, the cumulative affect of this change on the area creates a risk that crime and disorder will rise and will encourage more to follow.

The Chief officer of Hampshire Constabulary again reiterates our recommendation this application should be refused, however should the committee feel this application is authorised in part or in full, we would request that the following conditions under ANNEX I should be implemented.

Many of these conditions have provisionally been accepted by the applicant in the event of acceptance of the application but there are the exceptions of 'ID Scanning', 'Polycarbonate glassware', and 'Last entry' which are disputed and for the panel to determine.

Many of the conditions proposed are self-explanatory and some may say are good practice, however one in relation to ID Scanning is unusual and perhaps could do with some clarification.

The process of ID Scanning is where customers who attend the premises must produce identification to be scanned upon entry. The details of the customer are recorded and checked against pub watch schemes and databases to ascertain whether this customer has been a cause of anti-social behaviour, crime and disorder. The premises can be informed of any alerts placed on the individual and empowers premises to make a decision as to whether to permit entry. These systems also identifies false IDs and double entries where a customer may lend their alternative ID to a friend. We have seen a number of premises introduce ID scanning which has been of great assistance. In the event of an incident, the details of all the customers within the premises could be provided to a responsible authority which has a huge benefit when there is a need to identify individuals involved crime and disorder.

The implementation of 100% shatter proof polycarbonate glassware only at the premises is highly recommended as it can often prevent serious and life changing injuries that can be caused from standard glassware in the event of injury or crime. As the risk of crime and disorder rises with extended hours, further measures should be implemented to negate the



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risk of harm, such as this.

The last entry of 0000 hours is suggested as this is when crime and disorder begins to dramatically rise within the area and therefore preventing any further draw of customers to the area during the risk time periods.

Have you made an application for review relating to these premises before: [ ] Yes | [X] No

If yes please state the date of that application: / / Day Month Year

If you have made representations before relating to this premises please state what they were

Please tick

- [X] I have sent copies of this form and enclosures to the responsible authorities and the premises licence holder or club holding the club premises certificate, as appropriate
[X] I have sent a copy of this representation to the principal licensing officer of Southampton Council

It is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to level 5 on the standard scale, under Section 158 of the Licensing Act 2003 to make a false statement in or in connection with this application

Signature of Officer Completing

Name PC Alex Boucouvalas Collar Number: 25323
Signature: [Redacted] Date: 28/8/15

Signature of Authorising Officer (Inspector or above)

Name Inspector Justin Robers Collar Number: 2841
Signature: [Redacted] Date: 03/09/15



## Schedule of Annexes

- A) Cumulative Impact Zone – Bedford Place. Dotted are 'alcohol led' licensed premises.
- B) Opening hours of local late night 'alcohol led' premises within CIP Bedford Place.
- C) Roads situated within CIP Bedford Place.
- D) Crime and disorder incident count, between 2300-0700 hours, CIP Bedford Place  
between 31/07/2014 until 31/07/2015
- E) Crime and disorder incident count, between 2300-0700 hours, CIP Bedford Place July  
2015
- F) Crime and disorder incident count, between 2300-0700 hours, CIP Bedford Place  
October 2014
- G) Incident records for premises.
- H) Correspondence 27/08/15
- I) Hampshire Constabulary proposed licence conditions.
- J) Interview record with member of staff.
- K) Email from licence holder following failed test purchase.

**CIP Bedford Place**



## Local late night alcohol led premises opening times

### 90 Degrees

**The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 10:00 - 02:00  
Tuesday 10:00 - 02:00  
Wednesday 10:00 - 02:00  
Thursday 10:00 - 02:00  
Friday 10:00 - 02:00  
Saturday 10:00 - 02:00  
Sunday 10:00 - 02:00

**Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 10:00 - 01:30  
Tuesday 10:00 - 01:30  
Wednesday 10:00 - 01:30  
Thursday 10:00 - 01:30  
Friday 10:00 - 01:30  
Saturday 10:00 - 01:30  
Sunday 10:00 - 01:30

### Seymours

**The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 10:00 - 02:00  
Tuesday 10:00 - 02:00  
Wednesday 10:00 - 02:00  
Thursday 10:00 - 02:00  
Friday 10:00 - 02:00  
Saturday 10:00 - 02:00  
Sunday 10:00 - 02:00

**Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 10:00 - 01:00  
Tuesday 10:00 - 01:00  
Wednesday 10:00 - 01:00  
Thursday 10:00 - 02:00  
Friday 10:00 - 02:00  
Saturday 10:00 - 02:00  
Sunday 12:00 - 00:30

### Tap room (Pensioners Arms)

**The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 08:00 - 00:30  
Tuesday 08:00 - 00:30  
Wednesday 08:00 - 00:30  
Thursday 08:00 - 00:30  
Friday 08:00 - 01:30  
Saturday 08:00 - 01:30  
Sunday 08:00 - 00:30

**Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 10:00 - 00:00  
Tuesday 10:00 - 00:00  
Wednesday 10:00 - 00:00  
Thursday 10:00 - 00:00  
Friday 10:00 - 01:00  
Saturday 10:00 - 01:00  
Sunday 10:00 - 00:00

### Roxx (The Social)

**The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 10:30 - 01:00  
Tuesday 10:30 - 01:00  
Wednesday 10:30 - 01:00  
Thursday 10:30 - 01:00  
Friday 10:30 - 01:00  
Saturday 10:30 - 01:00  
Sunday 10:30 - 01:00

**Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 10:30 - 00:30  
Tuesday 10:30 - 00:30  
Wednesday 10:30 - 00:30  
Thursday 10:30 - 00:30  
Friday 10:30 - 00:30  
Saturday 10:30 - 00:30  
Sunday 10:30 - 00:30



## **Orange Rooms**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 09:00 - 03:30  
Tuesday 09:00 - 03:30  
Wednesday 09:00 - 03:30  
Thursday 09:00 - 03:30  
Friday 09:00 - 03:30  
Saturday 09:00 - 03:30  
Sunday 09:00 - 03:30

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 09:00 - 03:00  
Tuesday 09:00 - 03:00  
Wednesday 09:00 - 03:00  
Thursday 09:00 - 03:00  
Friday 09:00 - 03:00  
Saturday 09:00 - 03:00  
Sunday 09:00 - 03:00

## **Buddha Club**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 09:00 - 02:00  
Tuesday 09:00 - 02:00  
Wednesday 09:00 - 02:00  
Thursday 09:00 - 02:00  
Friday 09:00 - 03:00  
Saturday 09:00 - 03:00  
Sunday 09:00 - 01:00

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 09:00 - 01:30  
Tuesday 09:00 - 01:30  
Wednesday 09:00 - 01:30  
Thursday 09:00 - 01:30  
Friday 09:00 - 02:30  
Saturday 09:00 - 02:30  
Sunday 09:00 - 00:30

## **Buddha Lounge**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 10:00 - 01:30  
Tuesday 10:00 - 01:30  
Wednesday 10:00 - 01:30  
Thursday 10:00 - 01:30  
Friday 10:00 - 02:30  
Saturday 10:00 - 02:30  
Sunday 12:00 - 01:30

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 10:00 - 01:00  
Tuesday 10:00 - 01:00  
Wednesday 10:00 - 01:00  
Thursday 10:00 - 01:00  
Friday 10:00 - 02:00  
Saturday 10:00 - 02:00  
Sunday 12:00 - 01:00

## **Tokyo**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 11:00 - 01:00  
Tuesday 11:00 - 01:00  
Wednesday 11:00 - 01:00  
Thursday 11:00 - 01:00  
Friday 11:00 - 01:00  
Saturday 11:00 - 01:00  
Sunday 11:00 - 01:00

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 11:00 - 01:00  
Tuesday 11:00 - 01:00  
Wednesday 11:00 - 01:00  
Thursday 11:00 - 01:00  
Friday 11:00 - 01:00  
Saturday 11:00 - 01:00  
Sunday 11:00 - 01:00

## **Yuzu**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 10:00 - 02:30  
Tuesday 10:00 - 02:30  
Wednesday 10:00 - 02:30  
Thursday 10:00 - 02:30  
Friday 10:00 - 02:30  
Saturday 10:00 - 02:30  
Sunday 10:00 - 00:30

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 10:00 - 02:00  
Tuesday 10:00 - 02:00  
Wednesday 10:00 - 02:00  
Thursday 10:00 - 02:00  
Friday 10:00 - 02:00  
Saturday 10:00 - 02:00  
Sunday 10:00 - 00:00

## **Tap Room**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 08:00 - 00:30  
Tuesday 08:00 - 00:30  
Wednesday 08:00 - 00:30  
Thursday 08:00 - 00:30  
Friday 08:00 - 01:30  
Saturday 08:00 - 01:30  
Sunday 08:00 - 00:30

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 10:00 - 00:00  
Tuesday 10:00 - 00:00  
Wednesday 10:00 - 00:00  
Thursday 10:00 - 00:00  
Friday 10:00 - 01:00  
Saturday 10:00 - 01:00  
Sunday 10:00 - 00:00

## **Vodka Revolutions**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 11:00 - 03:30  
Tuesday 11:00 - 03:30  
Wednesday 11:00 - 03:30  
Thursday 11:00 - 03:30  
Friday 11:00 - 03:30  
Saturday 11:00 - 03:30  
Sunday 11:00 - 03:30

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 11:00 - 03:00  
Tuesday 11:00 - 03:00  
Wednesday 11:00 - 03:00  
Thursday 11:00 - 03:00  
Friday 11:00 - 03:00  
Saturday 11:00 - 03:00  
Sunday 11:00 - 03:00

## **Junk**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 10:00 - 04:00  
Tuesday 10:00 - 04:00  
Wednesday 10:00 - 04:00  
Thursday 10:00 - 04:00  
Friday 10:00 - 04:00  
Saturday 10:00 - 04:00  
Sunday 10:00 - 04:00

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 10:00 - 03:30  
Tuesday 10:00 - 03:30  
Wednesday 10:00 - 03:30  
Thursday 10:00 - 03:30  
Friday 10:00 - 03:30  
Saturday 10:00 - 03:30  
Sunday 10:00 - 03:30

## **Kellys**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 11:00 - 02:00  
Tuesday 11:00 - 02:00  
Wednesday 11:00 - 02:00  
Thursday 11:00 - 02:00  
Friday 11:00 - 02:00  
Saturday 11:00 - 02:00  
Sunday 12:00 - 00:30

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 11:00 - 02:00  
Tuesday 11:00 - 02:00  
Wednesday 11:00 - 02:00  
Thursday 11:00 - 02:00  
Friday 11:00 - 02:00  
Saturday 11:00 - 02:00  
Sunday 12:00 - 00:30

## **Giddy Bridge**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 07:00 - 01:30  
Tuesday 07:00 - 01:30  
Wednesday 07:00 - 01:30  
Thursday 07:00 - 01:30  
Friday 07:00 - 02:00  
Saturday 07:00 - 02:00  
Sunday 07:00 - 01:30

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 09:00 - 00:30  
Tuesday 09:00 - 00:30  
Wednesday 09:00 - 00:30  
Thursday 09:00 - 00:30  
Friday 09:00 - 01:00  
Saturday 09:00 - 01:00  
Sunday 09:00 - 00:30

## **Varsity**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 08:00 - 00:30  
Tuesday 08:00 - 00:30  
Wednesday 08:00 - 00:30  
Thursday 08:00 - 00:30  
Friday 08:00 - 01:00  
Saturday 08:00 - 01:00  
Sunday 08:00 - 00:30

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 10:00 - 00:00  
Tuesday 10:00 - 00:00  
Wednesday 10:00 - 00:00  
Thursday 10:00 - 00:00  
Friday 10:00 - 00:30  
Saturday 10:00 - 00:30  
Sunday 10:00 - 00:00

## **Red Lion**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

Monday 10:00 - 00:30  
Tuesday 10:00 - 00:30  
Wednesday 10:00 - 00:30  
Thursday 10:00 - 00:30  
Friday 10:00 - 01:30  
Saturday 10:00 - 01:30  
Sunday 11:00 - 00:30

### **Supply by retail of alcohol**

Monday 10:00 - 00:00  
Tuesday 10:00 - 00:00  
Wednesday 10:00 - 00:00  
Thursday 10:00 - 00:00  
Friday 10:00 - 01:00  
Saturday 10:00 - 01:00  
Sunday 11:00 - 23:30

## **Pop World**

### **The opening hours of the premises**

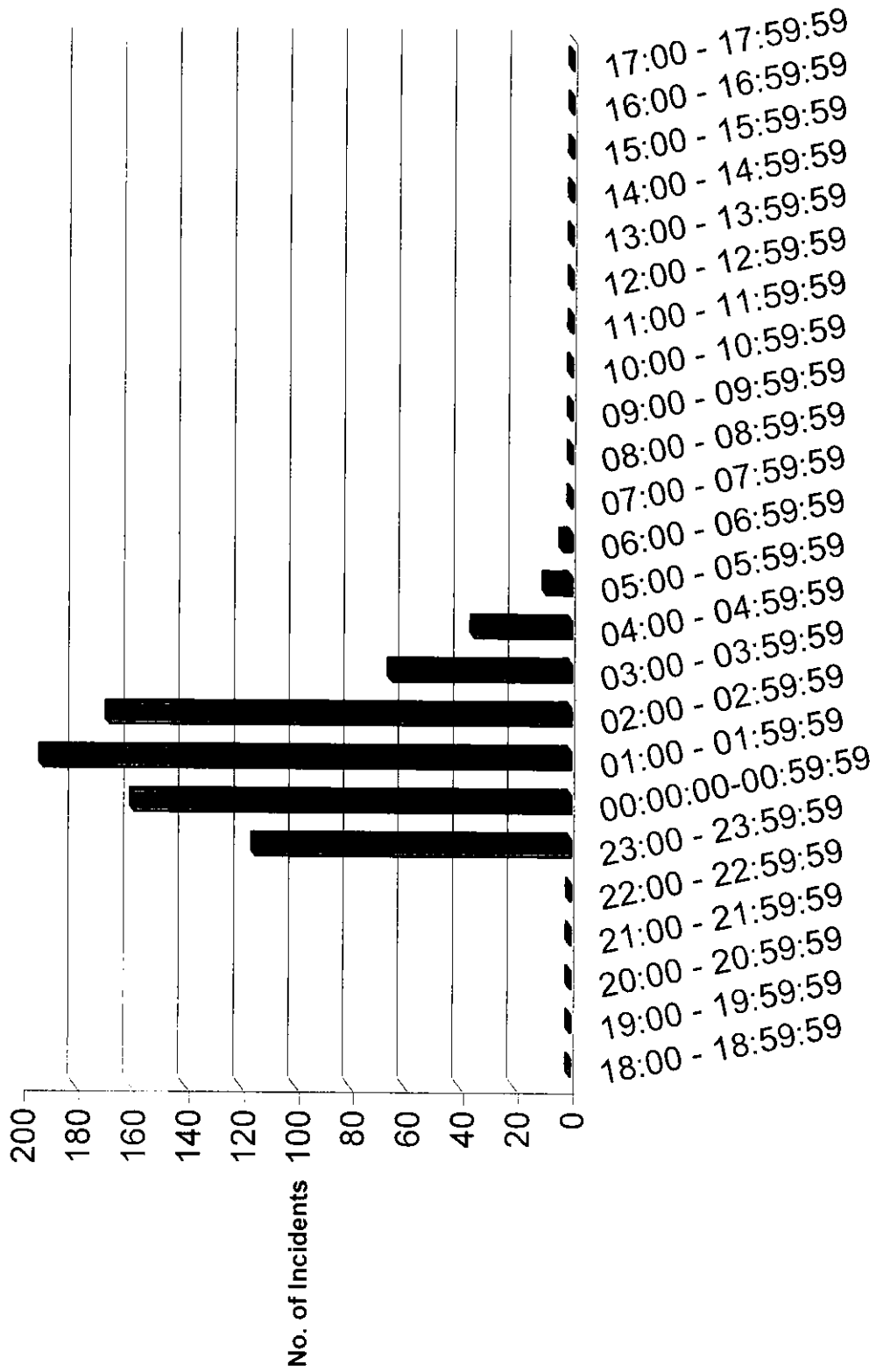
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Sunday 12:00 - 00:30

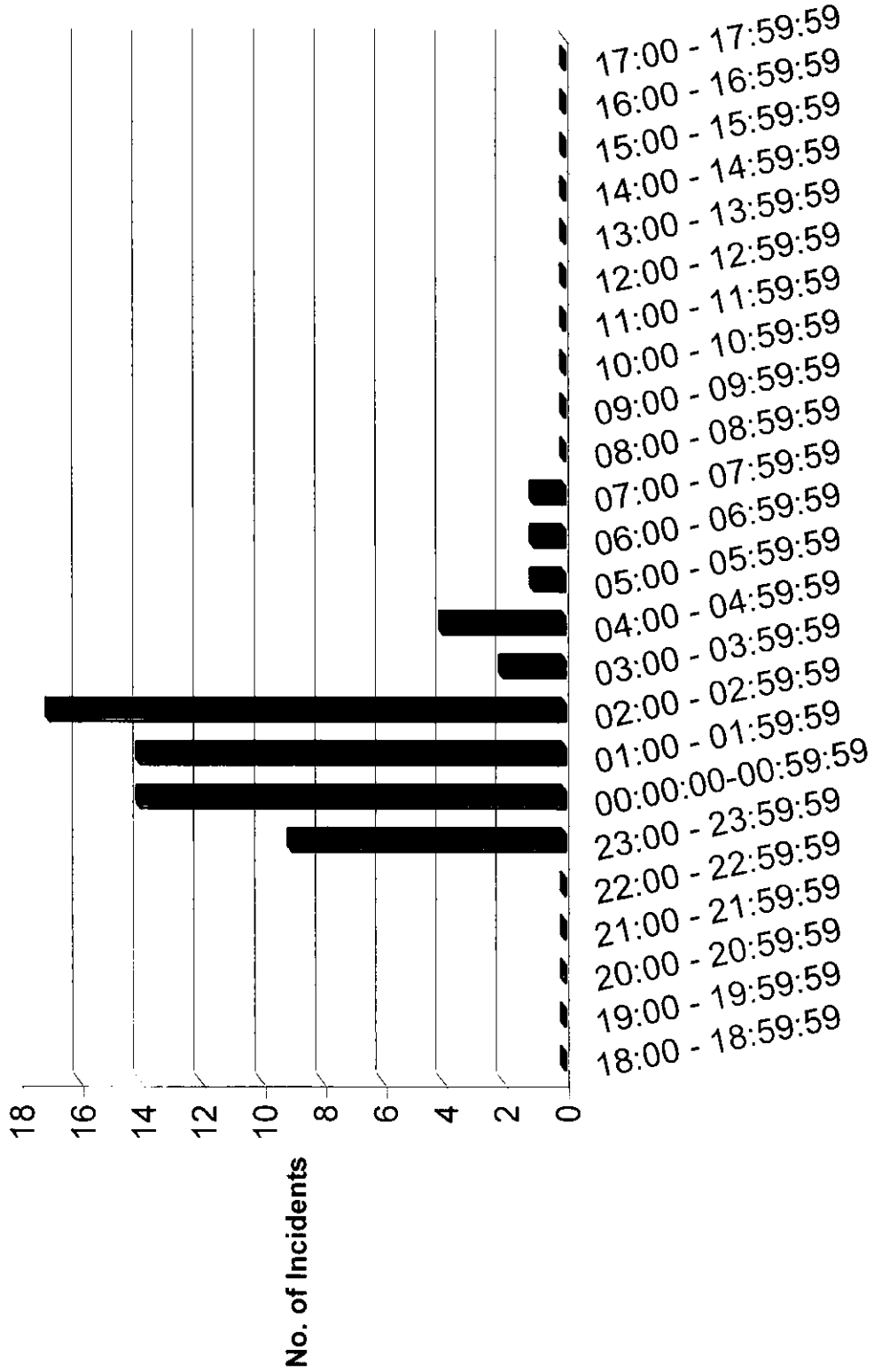
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Bedford Place	Bedford Place	
Bellevue Road	Bedford Place	part
Brunswick Place	Bedford Place	part
Canton Street	Bedford Place	part
Carlton Crescent	Bedford Place	part
Carlton Place	Bedford Place	
College Place	Bedford Place	
Cumberland Place	Bedford Place	part
Dorset Street	Bedford Place	part
Grosvenor Square	Bedford Place	part
Hanford Place	Bedford Place	
Henstead Road	Bedford Place	part
London Road	Bedford Place	part
Lower Banister Street	Bedford Place	
Ordnance Road	Bedford Place	part
Salisbury Street	Bedford Place	
Service Road off Winches-	Bedford Place	
Southampton Street	Bedford Place	
Upper Banister Street	Bedford Place	
Vernon Walk	Bedford Place	
Waterloo Terrace	Bedford Place	
Wilton Avenue	Bedford Place	part
Winchester Street	Bedford Place	

Bedford Place CIA - Crime and Disorder: 31st July 2014 - 31st July 2015 23:00-07:00 hours



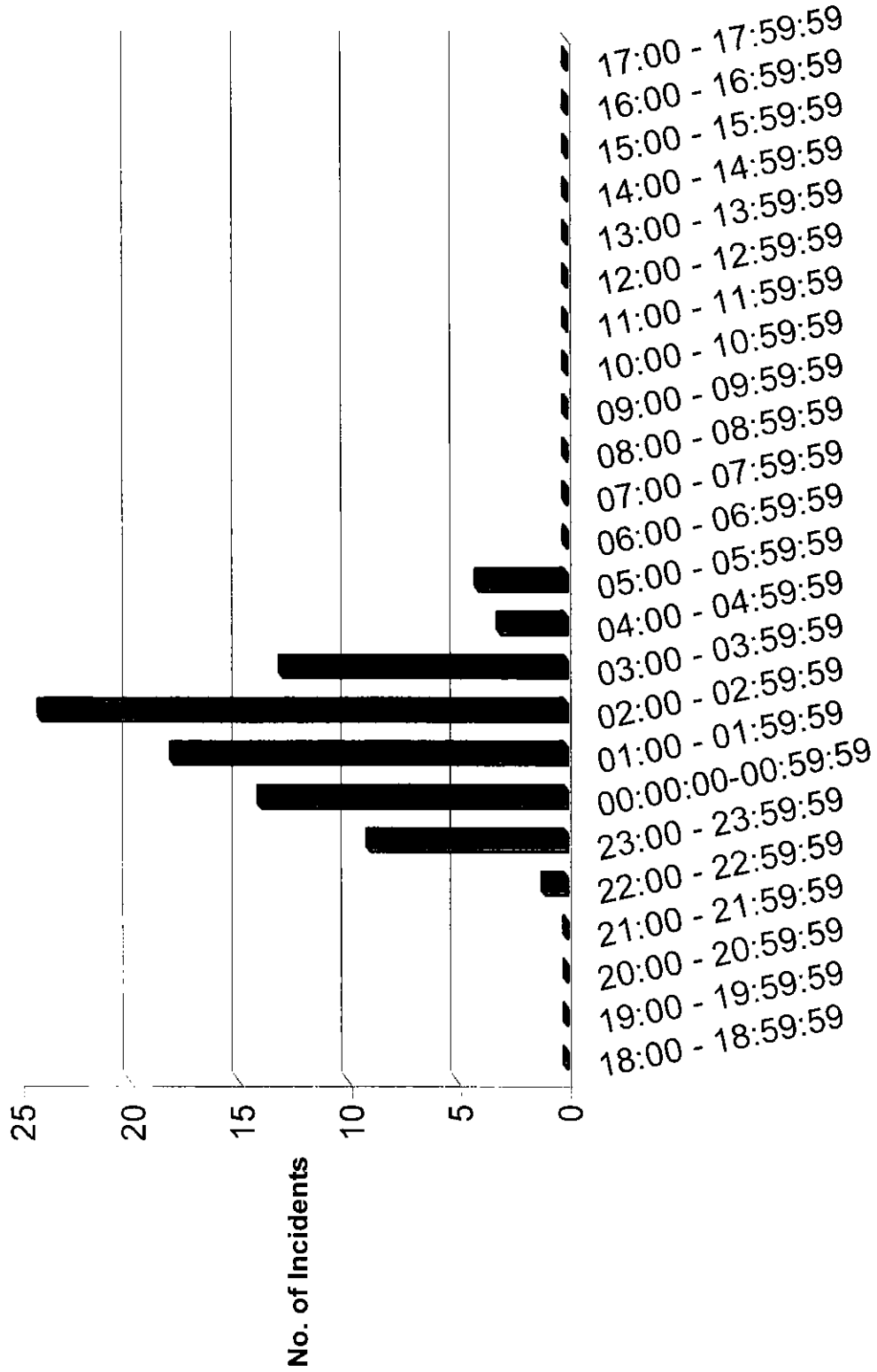
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Bedford Place CIA - Crime and Disorder: July 2015 23:00-07:00 hours



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Bedford Place CIA - Crime and Disorder: October 2014 23:00-07:00 hours



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Crime Number	Type	Time	Notes
44150288204	Other crime	19/08/2015 17:48	Test purchase failure at THE CRICKETERS ARMS
44150009859	Other crime	10/01/2015 00:36	Male heavily intoxicated is refused entry to Cricketers PH. He becomes abusive and argumentative and refuses to leave the area. Police are called and male continues his behaviour despite many warnings. Refuses to provide any details so dispersal not possible. Still refused to go so is arrested.
44140443804	Assault	13/12/2014 00:51	Call to CRICKETERS Public House, SOUTHAMPTON, after an allegation of assault by one male on another. Further stated that threats of unlawful violence had been made by same male.
44130369075	Drug offences	29/09/2013 01:50	Male detained after a drugs find.
44130311513	Burglary other than in a dwelling	18/08/2013 15:03	MOBILE PHONE STOLEN FROM STAFF ROOM BEHIND BAR IN CRICKETERS.
44120342064	Domestic dispute - Between adults	01/09/2012 01:37	Verbal domestic over money and the fact the female party was heavily in drink. Female party attended males place of work and made a scene.
44110507790	Assault	02/12/2011 02:19	Victim reporting being assaulted by the bouncer at premises. No formal complaint made.

ANNEX G



Southampton Licensing Team  
Hampshire Constabulary  
Central Police Station  
Southern Road  
Southampton  
SO15 1AN

Our ref [REDACTED]  
Your ref [REDACTED]  
Date 27 August 2015  
Direct line 023 8048 2360  
Direct fax 023 8048 2368  
Email [REDACTED]

BY POST & EMAIL alex.boucouvalas@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

Dear Sirs

**The Cricketers Arms  
Application for a variation**

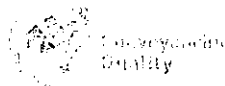
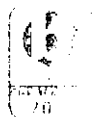
We refer to our telephone conversation and yours with our client on 26 August 2015 and our client's email of the same date. We are writing in relation to the application for a licence extension and the arguments advanced in relation to this.

We have been instructed by our client that they wish to drop the Sunday - Thursday extension and proceed with Friday and Saturday only.

We believe that this will resolve a number of concerns in relation to our client's application. In relation to the suggested conditions, our client would like to make a general point that they are generic and are focused on larger style club venues and bars which would not apply in our client's case. However, in order to move our client's application forward our client's response is as follows:

- 1 CCTV: All of this is in place and our client is happy to accept this.
- 2 Incident book: As above.
- 3 Refusals book: This has already been undertaken in part but a condition is formally accepted.
- 4 Challenge 25: This has just been implemented and accepted. We refer you to our client's email to you dated 26 August regarding this and the fact that all staff have had a one on one refresher on this point, and staff are due for supplementary training on licensing obligations in the next week, which we trust will deal with your concerns in relation to this
- 5 Training: Already undertaken in part but condition formally accepted
- 6 DPS Level 2 undertaken and is accepted.
- 7 Dispersal policy: Already implemented in part but condition formally accepted
- 8 ID Scanning: Our client has investigated the cost and installation issues in such a small venue and it is hard to see the need and benefit for such a small venue. In our client's opinion it would have a negative impact and be contrary to the application, and as such, our client does not accept that it this is needed and is an unnecessary burden

Yours faithfully,



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- 9 Polycarbonates: Our client believes that this is not in keeping with the style of venue and the use of glass has never been an issue to date. Our client uses toughened glass that shatters in any event. Our client would be happy not to serve glass bottles and decant their contents in glassware.
- 10 SIA approved door supervisors: This is already in place on Friday and Saturday only, one only. Our client is happy to agree to an additional person on these days from 23:00hrs.
- 11 Welfare room: Our client's office acts as this presently but they are happy to accept the condition.
- 12 Welfare officer: All staff and door supervisors are responsible for customer welfare and regular patrols are undertaken. The additional cost to the company is disproportionate and unnecessary in this style of venue. If there is an issue, a supervisory member of staff will deal with the person until a satisfactory conclusion and not serve on bar.
- 13 Drinks outside: This is already undertaken in accordance with local byelaw. In our client's view it is unnecessary to add to this condition.
- 14 Toilet checks: Already undertaken but formally accepted.
- 15 Last entry. This is currently at the door supervisor's discretion but generally 00:50hrs. Our client is happy to accept this time as a formal condition.

We trust this deals with all outstanding issues and we can amend the application , and inform the relevant parties accordingly.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully



Paris Smith LLP

### CCTV

The premises shall have sufficient cameras located within the premises to cover all public areas including outside of the premises covering the entrance and exit. The system will be able to cope with strobe lighting (where used) and all levels of illumination throughout the premises as well as outside areas.

CCTV warning signs to be fitted in public places.

The CCTV system must be operating at all times whilst the premises are open for licensable activity. All equipment shall have a constant and accurate time and date generation.

The recording system will be able to capture a minimum of 4 frames per second and all recorded footage must be securely retained for a minimum of 28 days.

Records must be made on a weekly basis and kept for inspection to show that the system is functioning correctly and that data is being securely retained.

The DPS or premises manager must be able to demonstrate that the CCTV system has measures to prevent recordings being tampered with, i.e. password protected.

There shall be sufficient members of trained staff at the premises during operating hours to be able to provide viewable copies immediately to police on request when investigating allegations of offences or criminal activity. Any images recovered must be in a viewable format on a disc. Footage supplied in a digital format on CD or DVD will also have a copy of the CCTV system software enabled on the disc to allow playback.

In the event of technical failure of the CCTV equipment the Premises Licence holder/DPS MUST report the failure to the Hampshire Western Police Licensing Unit within 24 hours.

### Incident book

An incident book will be provided and maintained at the premises. It will remain on the premises at all times and will be available to police for inspection upon request.

Any incidents that include physical altercation or disorder, physical ejection, injury, id seizure or drug misuse will be recorded in the incident book. The entry is to include an account of the incident and the identity of all person(s) involved (or descriptions of those involved if identity is not known). Should there be any physical interaction by members of staff and the public the entry will include what physical action occurred between each party. The entry shall be timed, dated and signed by the author.

If the member of staff creating the entry has difficulties reading or writing then the entry may be written by another staff member. This should however be read back to the person creating the entry and counter signed by the person who wrote the entry.

At the close of business on each day the incident book will be checked by the manager on duty where any entries will be reviewed and signed. If incidents have occurred the duty manager will de-brief door staff at the close of business. Should there be no incidents then this will also be recorded at the close of business in the incident book.

### Refusals book

A written log shall be kept of all refusals including refusals to sell alcohol. The Premises Licence Holder shall ensure that the refusals log is checked, signed and dated on a weekly basis by the store manager/manageress.

The refusals log will be kept and maintained at the premises and will be available for inspection immediately upon request by Hampshire Constabulary and any responsible authority.

The record of refusals will be retained for 12 months.

### Challenge 25

There will be a Challenge 25 policy operating at the premises. Challenge 25 means that the holder of the premises licence shall ensure that every individual, who visually appears to be under 25 years of age and is seeking to purchase or be supplied with alcohol at the premises or from the premises, shall produce identification proving that individual to be 18 years of age or older.

Acceptable identification for the purposes of age verification will include a driving licence, passport or photographic identification bearing the "PASS" logo and the persons date of birth.

If the person seeking alcohol is unable to produce acceptable means of identification, no sale or supply of alcohol will be made to or for that person.

'Challenge 25' posters shall be displayed in prominent positions at the premises.

### Training

Staff will be trained regarding appropriate precautions to prevent the sale of alcohol to persons under the age of 18, the signs and symptoms of drunk persons and the refusal of sale due to intoxication. Records will be kept of such training which must be signed and dated by the member of staff who has received that training.

All staff will receive refresher training every six months as a minimum and records are to be kept of this refresher training which should be signed and dated by the member of staff who received that training.

In addition to their training a written test related to the training given will be conducted before the staff member is permitted to sell or authorise alcohol. The test will consist of a minimum of ten questions of which the pass rate is 80%. Anyone who fails to reach the prescribed pass rate will be retrained and re-tested. Anyone not attaining the pass rate will not be permitted to sell or authorise the sale of alcohol until the pass rate is attained. There will be a minimum of two sets of questions to be used in the training which will be rotated upon each subsequent six month training session.

All training records will be made immediately available for inspection by Hampshire Constabulary and any responsible Authority upon request. Training records will be kept for a minimum period of two years. Training records will be kept on the licensed premises to which they relate to.

The DPS should also complete a nationally recognised Level 2 DPS course or equivalent depending on provider. The BIIAB Level 2 National Certificate for Designated Premises Supervisors or EDI Level 3 Award for Designated Premises Supervisors (ADPS) is acceptable.

### Dispersal Policy.

A dispersal policy will be adopted during the last trading hour to ensure minimal disturbance to neighbours and to tackle the problem of anti-social behaviour and crime. This policy will include:

- during the last 30 minutes of trading the service points at the bar will be reduced and certain staff reallocated to collect glasses
- music volume will be reduced during the last 30 minutes of trading . Lighting levels will be raised to encourage the gradual dispersal of customers.
- DJ announcements will be used to encourage gradual dispersal and to remind customers to leave quietly.
- door supervisors will remove all bottles and glasses from any customer who attempts to leave the venue carrying one.

All areas of the premises will be checked at the end of each evening to ensure all customers have left safely and a signed record of these checks to be kept on the premises at all times and to be made available to the Police upon request.

Door staff wearing High Visibility fluorescent Upper Clothing will patrol the outside perimeter of the front of the premises at the end of each evening (for at least an additional 20 minutes or until persons are dispersed from the immediate area) to ensure the safe and quiet dispersal of customers. Any customers congregating or loitering outside after leaving the premises will be asked to depart quickly and quietly.

Notices will be displayed in prominent positions at the exit of the premises requesting customers to leave quickly and quietly.

### ID Scanning

An ID scanning system is to be installed and maintained to record persons entering the premises.

It must be in operation every day whilst the premises are operating licensable activities. Every customer must provide ID to be scanned upon entry. Customers who do not agree to this will be refused entry.

The system should have the ability to share alerts with other venues using similar ID scanning equipment, read both global Passports and ID cards including PASS cards of patrons entering.

The scanners will check the identification of the individual against any banning records of local or national 'Pub watch' schemes. These records must be kept up to date. Anyone who is identified to be banned will be refused entry.

The system should be able to conduct tests to determine if a document is genuine or counterfeit.

Electronic records of IDs that have been scanned must be kept for 12 months and made available for inspection and production to Hampshire Constabulary immediately upon request.

If a fault develops with the ID scanning system, the Police Licensing Team must be notified within 24 hours.

Should there be a complete system failure, 100% of customers will have their ID checked upon entry. The premises should rectify the fault within 48 hours of malfunction or a replacement ID scan machine system will need to be loaned or purchased in its place.

The system must be ICO registered and approved, contain a value ISO 27001 certificate and be fully PEN tested.

The system is to be compliant with the Information Commissioners Good Practice Guidance for ID Scanning in Clubs and Bars, should be approved by the Association of Chief Police Officers (ACPO) and the provision and maintenance of ID scanning equipment shall be to the satisfaction of Hampshire Constabulary.

#### Polycarbonate

From 22:00 hours, all receptacles used for drinking at the premises will be polycarbonate and the contents of all glass bottles will be decanted into polycarbonate glasses. In addition at that time, all existing drinks in glassware will be swapped into polycarbonate vessels. For the avoidance of doubt bottles of beer, lager and alcohol pops will always be decanted into polycarbonate glasses where they are not available in PET or aluminium bottles.

#### Toilet Checks

The public toilets within the premise shall be checked every 30 minutes when the premises are open for a licensable activity. A record shall be kept by the premise and presented on request by Hampshire constabulary. Toilet check records shall be kept for a minimum period of 3 months.

#### Door Staff

On every Friday, Saturday and New Years Eve and any Sunday preceding public holidays there shall be a 1 SIA registered door staff from 20:00 hours to closing and an additional member of SIA door staff from 23:00 hours until closing. On all other occasions when the premises are open for licensable activities there shall be a risk assessment conducted as to whether it is necessary to employ SIA door staff at least 1 week in advance.

#### Welfare/first aid room

A room will be provided by the venue for the purpose of administering first aid. A first aid treatment box will be available and kept maintained. Persons identified as vulnerable shall be taken to the room where enquiries can be conducted to ensure their safety.

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#### Last entry

The last entry of customers to the premises is 00:00 hours 7 days per week.

ANNEX (J)

INTERVIEW UNDER CAUTION  
SUSPECT NOT ARRESTED  
Contemporaneous Notes

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Voluntary Attendee No: CR150002410 8

Police Exhibit No:	RLS/14/01
Police Officer Producing:	APS 24133
Signature:	[Redacted]

Person interviewed: [Redacted]

Place of interview: CRICKETERS ARMS, CARLTON PLACE

Date of Interview: Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> August 2015

Time commenced: 1630 Time concluded: 1635

Total number of Interview Pages: .....

Interviewing officer(s): APS 24133 [Redacted]

Other persons present: [Redacted]

"I am investigating an offence of Sale of alcohol to children

I am intending to interview you. You are not under arrest and you do not have to remain with me however I must tell you that if you decide to terminate this interview before I have asked you all the questions that I consider relevant I will reconsider whether your arrest is necessary for the effective investigation of this offence and you may be arrested."

"You do not have to say anything. However, it may harm your defence if you do not mention when questioned something which you later rely on in court. Anything you do say may be given in evidence.

Do you understand all of the above?"

Yes  No  Signed: [Redacted]

Signed Appropriate Adult: .....

If 'No' further explain and clarify that the interviewee properly understands.

Interviewing Officer Signature [Redacted]

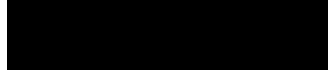
**INTERVIEW UNDER CAUTION  
SUSPECT NOT ARRESTED  
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*"You are entitled to free, independent legal advice. This includes speaking to a solicitor on the telephone. Please read the notice 'Your Right to Free, Independent Legal Advice' that I am handing to you"*

*Do you wish to speak to a solicitor?"*

~~Yes~~ No Signed: 

Signed Appropriate Adult: .....

If 'Yes': *"Do you wish to speak to a specific solicitor or to the Duty Solicitor?"*

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Duty Solicitor Call Centre contacted at.....hours.

Reference number: .....

Call received back from solicitor..... at.....hours

Telephone advice given to the interviewee: Yes / No

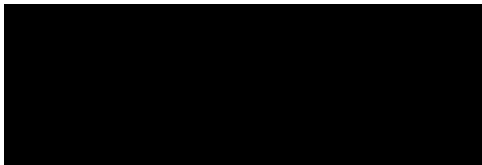
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If attending ETA given as: ..... hours.

Further comments: .....

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\* delete as appropriate

Interviewing Officer Signature ... 

**INTERVIEW UNDER CAUTION  
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Record of interview of: 

This interview relates to a sale of alcohol to a person at  
(State Name / Address of Premises / Date and Time of offence)  
CRICKETERS GRMS, CORK ROW PCRG ON  
19/8/15 at approx 1620.

Tell me about what happened?  
They came in and asked for alcohol. I didn't  
ID them. I thought they were over 18.

What is the challenge policy for the premises in relation to alcohol sales?  
I believe it is DRINK 25.

What age did you assess the person to be?  
Didn't really think about it. Over 18.

Did you ask how old the person was when you sold the alcohol?  
NO

Did you ask for any evidence of their age?  
NO

Did you make all reasonable efforts to establish the child's age?  
NO

Why not?  
UM. I JUST THOUGHT THEY WERE OVER 18.

Are you a personal licence holder or a designated premises supervisor?  
NO


Do you accept you sold or supplied alcohol to a person under the age of 18?  
Y ES

Interviewing Officer Signature ... 



**INTERVIEW UNDER CAUTION  
SUSPECT NOT ARRESTED  
Contemporaneous Notes**

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Record of Interview of:  .....

**Interviewee**

I confirm that I have read the above questions and answers. I have had an opportunity to add, alter and clarify my answers and I agree that this is a true record of the interview.

Sign  .....

**Appropriate Adult**

I confirm that I have read the above questions and answers and confirm that:

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has had the opportunity to add, alter and clarify their answers. I agree that this is a true record of the interview.

Signed  .....

**Interviewing Officer**

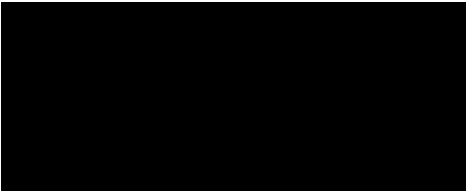
*"I am reporting you with a view to prosecution for the offence of:*

Sale of alcohol to children (person under 18)

.....

*You do not have to say anything. But it may harm your defence if you do not mention now something which you later rely on in court. Anything you do say may be given in evidence"*

Reply OK .....

Interviewing Officer Signature  .....

ANNEX (K)

**From:** Spencer Harrison [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 26 August 2015 19:12  
**To:** [REDACTED]@hammpshire.pnn.police.uk'  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** The Cricketers test purchase

Alex

I refer to our conversation earlier today. As I mentioned, it is unfortunate that a member of staff did not follow her training and challenge 21 policy that was in place at the time of the test purchase. If a member of staff unilaterally chooses to act outside of these then it has consequences for both the pub and the member of staff. You may be aware from your colleagues that the member of staff involved was immediately suspended until I was able to speak with her. When I spoke with her the following morning and she informed me that she had acted other than in accordance with her training and company policy she was dismissed for gross misconduct. Records show that she had training on her licensing obligations in March this year.

As a result of this, we have changed the policy with immediate effect to challenge 25. All staff had had a one on one refresher on this point and staff are due for supplementary training on licensing obligations in the next week.

I hope this addresses any concerns that you may have regarding this isolated event and I assure you that this is not something that we endorse or take likely.

Regards

Spencer

## Environmental; Health Rep - Dated 07/09/2015

The premises has been operated recently, including temporary events, without any complaint having been received relating to excess noise either from music and/or from patrons. However, EH believe that if the premises were to increase the opening hours, in particular to extend the terminal hour, it is likely that the level of noise would increase and the potential for noise nuisance to nearby residents would result. The noise would be likely to be both from patrons going to and from the premises, not only in the immediate vicinity but in the surrounding area. The use of external areas including the street for smoking would potentially increase the likelihood of disturbance to residents nearby. Hence, the premises would be unlikely to meet the licensing objective of preventing public nuisance. The number of similar premises in the area indicate there is not a deficiency in provision and indeed this application if granted is likely to contravene the cumulative impact policy, as an additional late night venue would potentially increase unnecessarily the number of persons in the area late at night and into the early hours.

EH wish to make a representation against this application to vary the premises licence for the reasons explained above which indicate the licensing objective of preventing public nuisance is unlikely to be met.

**Jeffery, Andy**

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**From:** Residents Action [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 12 August 2015 13:03  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Cricketers Arms Carlton Place objection

Lorraine Barter 42 Harborough Road Polygon Southampton SO15 2FY

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Objection to extended hours at The Cricketers Arms Carlton Place.

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The letter and attached evidence is to support the of the Cumulative Impact Policy imposed on the area, for good reason due to the incidents and danger to the public in the vicinity of the Cricketers Arms and surrounding streets.

Opposite the pub is a block of flats for short term stay, some of the citizens there have had a difficult life in restricted circumstances and can hardly be expected to cope with legalities such as Council licensing and they have the experience to deal with it.

Not knowing that the pub would suddenly demand extra hours of course I have not been standing outside to view patrons departing.

Having read about just some of the night time violent incidents in the area diary it would be both immoral and irresponsible to demand this action, especially of the older people who live in the nearby houses and flats.

One incident I was not able to copy and paste took place in Vernon Walk after 02.00 on July 19th, it was posted on facebook by Hampshire Constabulary, two men had been attacked, one beaten up and other knocked unconscious .

I may add more before the end of the consultation period .

It is extremely convenient for the applicant that the consultation period is in mid summer when some citizens using local pubs, bars ,clubs are away from the area, meaning that any observers see fewer patrons and less drunken mayhem.

Should there be any suggestion by the applicant that having students living in Polygon near to the venue is the cause of night time anti-social behaviour I can assure you that Solent University frequently state that such problems are not caused by *their students*.

There is nothing more distressing than being awoken after 3.30 or 04.00, one sometimes cannot back to sleep, especially if having an early appointment or duty to perform, or else one can oversleep and mess up the whole day.

Daft suggestions to cure have been- wear ear plugs- dangerous as cannot hear babies smoke alarms or burglars, playing radio all night quietly, ensuring that other housesharers get no sleep and triple glazing that costs a fortune and not been proved to cut out street noise at high decibels .

My own GP suggested radio set on low buzzing sound- that would be enough to drive me demented !

Having attended licensing hearings as an objector until the Government vicinity rules prevented we Polygonians from putting in letters for almost 10 years, I wish it to be known that some of us did try to

object to the off licences in Bedford Place but our letters were rejected, in fact one person who objected to Sainsburys ( could see it from her front garden ) was told she was "out of the vicinity ".

This is important to know as I have heard club and bar owners blame the supermarkets and off licences for drunkenness in the area.

When I wanted to speak against Roxx extended hours I was told that I could not mention anything not pre typed, so please excuse the length of this letter.

Cumulative Impact Policy- it is ironic that this seems to have had hardly any impact at all, a short while after it came in I was horrified to see the Panel award extra hours to a Vernon Walk Bar despite police objection.

I shall be wishing to talk about anti-social street behaviour, viewed CCTV footage, damage to cars, street furniture, phone booths, traffic lights, walls, gate posts, fences, shouting and chanting in the street, sleep deprivation, residents and police meetings, ( where the main topic is the night time drunken mayhem ) my diaries, any photos if I submit them, and any other subjects connected to the night time economy including the applicants attempt to prove that no extra nuisance would be caused by the extra hours.

Re diaries and criminal damage- how do I think/know that it occurs during the night- because when I go out in the morning I see it and when coming home mid afternoon there is no more or extra damage. Nor is there any more if I go walking around in the evening.

As a lot of work has gone into composing this letter, therefore some acknowledgement that it has arrived would be appreciated. I am surprised there is not an automatic receipt email system as used by the Planning Department.

More may follow as I give the subject extra thought.

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#### Public Safety :

A few years ago there was a suggestion by Council/Police that at night the junction of Lower and Upper Banister Street and Carlton Place should be closed to traffic owing to to the number of revellers coming out of bars/ clubs at the location/in the vicinity. Many of them drunk and the possibility of them getting run over needed to be avoided.

There was a meeting attended by Councillors, police , local traders and residents the latter two groups revolted against the idea, it being considered disgraceful that law abiding citizens should be inconvenienced to suit revellers making a nuisance of themselves by their own choice.

The scheme was never implemented.

#### Prevention of Public Nuisance :

Polygon and Fitzhugh citizens are disturbed by people using local bars/clubs the latter head home or through streets after clubbing, shouting, screaming, kicking cars and garden walls, throwing bottles, litter around and vomiting, urinating, streams of urine can be seen alongside Thorners Court and newly built Churchill Retirement flats, even though some of the wetness has dried by morning, the smell is still there.

Further channels of urine and sometimes vomit adorn Bedford Place.

#### Prevention of Crime and Disorder :

From what I read in the press and Licensing report packs "Prevention" could be an impossible for the Polygon area.

Am horrified at how much police time is taken up by dealing with bar and club related mayhem, and we Council Tax payers rightfully resent this.

I do know that bars proven to emit rowdy drunks can have their licence reviewed but no one wants to be standing outside bars all night to see this and gather the evidence, in fact the Bedford Place and London Road area late evening and night is avoided by those who do not have essential business there, or need to walk that way to get to the buses.

Before the Government stopped Polygon householders from objecting by bringing in the vicinity rule I used to go out to see for myself how bad it was.

Reading Daily Echo reports of night time crime against the person in that vicinity, becoming all too frequent in recent years.

A lot of the violent crime take place in the middle of the night.

Pre loading.

Most applicants claim that patrons stock up indoors on booze and that is the reason for their drunkenness at the later hours of departure from the clubs, I agree that pre loading does occur as we see the bottles, smashed in the roads and on pavements, thrown in gardens but it must be the later hours of the drinking session that sends the clients over the limit into bad behaviour.

Door staff cannot stop any drunken patrons leaving the premises nor do anything once they have gone out of sight round the corners, the sightlines from the door of Cricketers are not that long.

It is well know that bar staff do serve drunken customers otherwise there would be no mayhem on street during the night.

How can the applicant prove this will not happen ? I realise that this is small venue, but it is hardly a family pub- what family would want to live in this vicinity ?

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Ed Stilliard, Senior Reporter / Monday 30 March 2015 / News

Monday 30 March 2015

THEY are the worst places for antisocial behaviour in the city and today the *Daily Echo* can reveal where they are.

Yobs throwing stones at cars, drunks shouting abuse in the street and revellers making noise late into the night are common.

People living across the city are forced to endure a living nightmare in their own neighbourhood by those determined to make life hell for others.

Now the top hotspots in the city have been exposed as police join council chiefs and other organisations to crack down on anti-social behaviour. Many of the roads are where revellers drink to excess on binge-fuelled nights such as the areas around London Road and Above Bar.

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Later hours at any entertainment venues in the vicinity should be firmly refused, the Cumulative Impact Policy was supposed to be implemented to protect residents, traders and people passing though the area from the harm caused by drunken revellers during the night.

Any hours addition would impact on and be contrary to the Licensing objectives, Public Safety, Prevention of Crime and Disorder, Prevention of Public Nuisance.

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Students are victims of two separate attacks

6:25am Monday 30th October 2006 in News By Ushma Mistry



TWO female students were indecently assaulted within minutes of each other as they walked home through Southampton city centre.

Police are not linking the attacks, which may have been carried out by two different men, but are keen to trace the attackers.

The first incident took place between 00:30am and 1am on Saturday and the second just 45 minutes later in the Bedford Place area of the city.

In both incidents the women, who are in their twenties and studying at Solent University, were walking home from separate nights out.

Their attackers, who police believe had earlier struck up a conversation with their victims, stopped them and held them against their will whilst attacking them. Both the victims screamed and shouted for help and the attackers then ran off.

DC Joanne Young, of Bitterne CID, who is leading the investigation, said: "It is unknown if these two assaults are by the same male. These were two separate attacks on two different girls. Both of the girls were prevented from escaping while they were being assaulted."

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- **80p drink deals for students branded 'immoral'**



11:27am Tuesday 24th September 2013 in [News](#) [By Patrick Knox](#), Senior Reporter  
Drinkers outside bars in Southampton **Photo deleted**

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THEY are fresh-faced youngsters – and for most of them it will be their first time living away from home.

This week 46,000 students will descend on [Southampton](#) to begin a new and important chapter in their lives at the city's two universities.

Today many bars and clubs are gearing up for the annual Freshers' Week festivities by offering drinks for as cheap as 80p.

Now the city council's licensing boss says she may take action to counter the rise of drink offers she describes as "immoral". One health charity has called the drinks promotions available in popular nightspots "ethically and morally wrong".

It comes in the same week that national debate surfaced over whether to introduce privately run "drunk tanks", where people who have over-indulged on alcohol are taken to a room and left to sober up in a bid to free up crowded police cells.

Drinking establishments across the city are already advertising a range of bargain promotions. Kelly's, Varsity, Popworld and Avondale House, all in the Bedford Place area of the city, are among the nightspots serving up drinks for £1.50 and under.

Seymours is offering up 80p vodka mixers while the same price will buy you a shot at Tokyo, which boasts the "cheapest student night".

**At the Buddha Lounge entry is free every Tuesday and shots cost from £1, with the same for Thursday.**

On Friday it is “double your money” at the bar, where a £5 voucher can be exchanged for £10 worth of drinks, a £10 voucher for £20 of drinks and a £15 voucher for £30 worth.

At The Varsity, in London Road, revellers can crank up the pace with “golden delicious Jagerbombs” – a shot of 35 per cent strength spirit dropped into a glass of energy drink – for just £2, and there are sambucas at £1.50. Both drinks are designed to be downed in one and are commonly bought in rounds.

Other bargain offers in and around the city centre include the Unit club, in St Mary’s Road, where there is a “Grand Theft Audio” night each Wednesday, with shots at £1 and “bombs” at £1.50.

At the Bar Quarter in Leisure World, vodka mixers, Archers and mixers and Malibu and Mixer or a Sambuca cost £1.50. In the Oceana club next door it is £2 for vodka mixers all night.

Bars that responded to Daily Echo calls yesterday defended their promotions and said a range of security measures made their establishments safe places to be for new students.

However, Southampton City Council licensing committee chairman Carol Cunio said she was concerned.

She added: “I’m very pleased that my children or grandchildren are not at university, as if I was a parent of some of these youngsters I would be very, very worried, because some of these offers are immoral.

“They may technically be adults, but many are too young to know how much alcohol they can take.” The eye-catching prices have been criticised by the Hampshire-based British Liver Trust amid fears for the long-term health impacts alcohol can have on young people.

Chief executive Andrew Langford, said some of the promotions were “ethically and morally wrong”.

“It is a really poor thing to do,” he added. “We know that excessive drink causes harm – it’s not as if young people are being encouraged to come in for a couple of pints and a chat with their friends.

The aim is to get people drunk.

“Even at 18, organs are still immature and not fully functional.

“If they carry on drinking on a longterm basis they are going to damage their livers.” He said local authorities should be stricter in withdrawing licences to block cheap drink promotions.

Police and Crime Commissioner Simon Hayes said: “We all know the potential consequences of consuming too much alcohol and the associated risks and dangers.

“It is therefore the responsibility of all those who go drinking in the clubs and bars for a night out to think about their health and personal safety, and to moderate their drinks.

“The licensees also have an obligation under the terms of their licence not to serve anyone who is drunk, and to ensure patrons do not consume excessive amounts of alcohol. Common sense must prevail.”

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#### What the bars say:

SOUTHAMPTON bars and nightclubs have defended their promotions, insisting they all run safe venues.

While many are offering cheap beer and shots on Tuesdays – a prime student night – managers and landlords say they take their responsibilities seriously.

A spokesman from Buddha Lounge said the venue had designated “spotters” whose job it was to look out for people who had had too much to drink, as well as highly trained door staff, ID scanning technology to log drunken revellers and a close working relationship with licensing bosses.

He said £1 shots were for lower alcohol sours rather than stronger drinks, and that the double your money deal related to full-priced drinks.

He added: “The biggest problem is people ‘preloading’ by drinking at home. It is a major issue. We believe we run a really safe environment for people. We are not primarily a student venue and only have that student night on a Tuesday.”



The PR team for Varsity, in London Road, said the business operated a strict “challenge 21” policy, whereby anyone who looks under the age of 21 is asked to produce acceptable forms of identification. With these safeguards in place we are confident to operate sensible drinks promotions in a controlled and safe environment for both our customers and staff,” a spokesman said.

Mike Andrews, from Kelly’s, in London Road, said he operated the challenge 21 policy and that his £1 drinks were not high in alcohol.

He added: “I don’t go in for the pub crawls or anything that promotes binge-drinking. Yes, we do have promotions but they are on a par with other venues.”

Harry Seymour, of Seymour’s, said drunk people were not served during his promotional nights. He said: “Our staff are highly trained to look out for people who are drunk and monitor how much they are drinking.”

#### **What the universities say:**

THE city’s two universities have pledged to encourage “responsible” attitudes among their students as the annual freshers bonanza gets under way.

A University of Southampton spokesman said initiatives were in place to warn young people about the danger of high alcohol intake, while a “drinkwise” advice guide is also handed out.

Southampton Solent University said campaigns are ongoing to draw students’ attention to living safely in the city. A spokesman added: “The university does not endorse any drinks promotions from external parties and venues.”

- o **Additional reporting by Julian Robinson and James Franklin**

## **Southampton Solent University students injured during fresher's 'Big Night Out'**

8:57am Saturday 25th September 2010 in News  By Jon Reeve, Education Reporter

### **Students in hospital after 'safest' pub crawl**

A FRESHERS’ night billed as a “safe” bar crawl for new students ended with two youngsters in hospital with head injuries after separate accidents.

About 1,000 revellers took part in Southampton Solent University’s “Big Night Out” which sees students on a guided tour taking in 13 city bars, pubs and clubs.

Run over two days this week, it is billed as “the safest tour of Southampton’s nightlife” and was overseen by 150 “angels” – volunteers acting as marshals.

However a 20-year-old man was left with head and chest injuries after being hit by a bus in West Park Road at around 11.15pm on Thursday.

Later in the evening, it is believed a female student was also taken to Southampton General Hospital with head injuries after falling and hitting her head outside one of the venues.

The Big Night Out, which is one of the major events laid on as part of Freshers’ Fortnight at Solent University, involves groups of students touring night-spots in the Bedford Place and London Road area of the city.

Bars pay to get themselves added to the list of venues, with about 50 revellers at a time spending half an hour in each before ending the night in The Square.

No one from Solent University was available for comment.

Police said they had made no arrests.

## Related links

- Archive - Tuesday, 12 December 2000

## Students brawl

**FOUR** people were being quizzed by Southampton detectives today following a student brawl in which bricks and bottles were thrown.

Police said the incident, involving large groups of students, began in Kelly's wine bar in London Road last night but spilled out on to the street and into nearby Carlton Place and Carlton Crescent.

Police said around 20 people were involved and one person was knocked unconscious. A number of students needed hospital treatment.

Four teenagers were in custody at Southampton Central police station.

- How Southampton benefits from the huge university student population

3:06pm Monday 16th November 2009 in [News](#)  [By Jon Reeve](#), Education Reporter

- University students enjoying their graduation ball (photo deleted)

**STUDENTS** are being labelled the blot on our community, paying little or no regard to the neighbourhoods they live in, disturbing young and old residents in the middle of the night, vandalising property and making a mess everywhere they go.

But is it actually their fault? Are we blaming the right people?

Perhaps the starting point should be the cheapness of drinks, particularly on a Tuesday night. If the drinks didn't cost so little – some are even given away free – would students be out there drinking to the same extent?

Then there are the promotions to throw into the equation. It's almost impossible to walk between London Road and Bedford Place on Tuesdays without being handed a fistful of fliers offering alcohol at ridiculous prices.

They are used, quite blatantly, to entice students and other punters into pubs and clubs desperately competing to attract custom.

Unsurprisingly, the police, [Southampton City Council](#) and charities working to combat the effects of alcohol all argue there is a direct link between low prices and the amounts people knock back.

Further, any cursory glance down London Road on a night out will reveal the people taking advantage of the bargain booze are not just those living in university halls or student digs. In these recession-hit times more so than probably any point in recent history, cheap drinks attract everybody – not just students.

And while some pubs and clubs in the Bedford Place area will only admit students on a Tuesday night, many make no such distinction.

Sixth-formers and young professionals are among those mingling with undergraduates in search of the next cut-price drink.

Meanwhile, it's interesting to note that student numbers at both the University of Southampton and [Southampton Solent University](#) have remained fairly static over the last decade, with around

30,000 overall, meaning any perceived difference in behaviour is likely due to external factors – such as the price of alcohol.

Both universities stress the emphasis they put on encouraging sensible drinking and their liaison work in the community with police, the council and residents' groups to help ensure harmony. No bars on campuses or in halls of residence offer drink promotions, and all display information warning of the dangers of alcohol.

Solent University says it takes very seriously the damaging impact excessive drinking can have on students' experiences.

"The university is fully behind any initiative which encourages bars to raise the minimum price of drinks, and support bars looking at alternative promotions, such as food offers, which would encourage safer levels of drinking, while giving students a good deal," said a spokeswoman.

"The Students' Union would fully support a rise in the minimum price for alcohol in Southampton and the inclusion of a standard by which all bars and clubs would abide."

Finally, while the accusations and counter-claims fly, are we losing sight of one rather important economic fact?

Our universities pour in tens of millions of pounds to help oil the wheels of the city's economy. In 2007, research showed the University of Southampton's students spent £195m on day-to-day things like eating, drinking, travelling and shopping – enough to support around 2,500 full-time jobs.

The universities also employ 7,500 people between them – the University of Southampton's annual wage bill is £71m – and promote Southampton around the globe.

And when it comes to students, the benefits they bring don't just come from their wallets.

Both universities have a wide range of clubs and societies, many working with organisations in the community, contributing the equivalent of £1m of time to voluntary projects.

"More than 1,500 of our students every year engage in a wide range of voluntary activities in local schools, running sports clubs and arts activities, and are in classrooms supporting teachers," said University of Southampton pro vice-chancellor Debra Humphris.

"Elsewhere, some of our music students are performing in residential care homes and have set up tea dances.

"And that's just a small snapshot – there are over 150 clubs and societies in our very vibrant students' union."

And the benefits don't end there.

Once they've finished their studies, around a third of graduates from both universities stay in Southampton, contributing to a well-educated workforce.

"Much of Solent's courses portfolio is tailored to the needs of the economy and the skills needed by employers, including employer-developed foundation degrees and degrees that can be studied for while employees are working," said Solent's spokeswoman.

Drink price war puts lives at risk'

5:50pm Tuesday 17th November 2009 in [New](#)

[By Peter Law](#), Feature Writer

'Drink price war puts lives at risk'



- **SOUTHAMPTON'S top health chief says lives are being put at risk by the city's alcohol price war. Dr Andrew Mortimore today backed calls to hike the cost of drinks being served in Southampton's pubs, bars and clubs. It comes after a Daily Echo investigation yesterday revealed discount drinks had fuelled a surge in crime Southampton City Council and Hampshire police want licensees in the popular nightspot to agree to a minimum pricing pledge. Dr Mortimore, Southampton City PCT's public health director, said increasing the cost of booze would cut alcohol-related deaths.**

**"The lure of cheap offers and special promotions will be too strong for many people to resist, which is exactly what the promoters are hoping for," he said.**

**"The opportunity to keep on drinking what feels like a cheap deal can have serious and disastrous consequences. It is entirely irresponsible to encourage higher alcohol intake by very low pricing." Drinks promotions such as £1 vodka mixers, 2-4-1 deals and free shots have seen Tuesdays – a designated student night – become one of the most popular nights of the week. Police figures show violent crime and disorder in Bedford Place has jumped 66 per cent, while this year's intake of university students have been branded the worst ever by angry local residents.**

**Under a radical proposal, one of the first of its kind in the country, prices will not drop below £1.50 for a spirit and mixer that contains at least 40 per cent alcohol.**

- **However, bar bosses contacted yesterday said the pricing pledge would only be a success if it was introduced across the entire city.**

**Jonny Lees, manager of The Buddha Lounge in Vernon Walk, said: "It has to be across the whole city. They cannot just target Bedford Place because once we raise prices our trade will move elsewhere."**

**A spokesman for Carlton Place venue Ninety Degrees added: "Minimum pricing can only be agreed if it goes city-wide. If we increase our prices in Bedford Place the problem will just move to Oceana (Leisure World) or Bevois Valley."**

**Their view was backed by Councillor Royston Smith, deputy leader of Southampton City Council. "This should be at the very least city-wide, but it would have to be voluntary and the trade would have to lead," he said.**

**However, Dr Nick Sheron, a liver and alcohol expert at Southamp-ton General Hospital, said it was supermarkets and off-licences that should be targeted.**

**He said a minimum price of 50p per unit would reduce alcohol-related deaths by 3,000 and cut alcohol-related admissions by almost 100,000 across Britain.**

**"A minimum price would have a big impact on people drinking very heavy amounts of the cheapest alcohol," he said.**

**Simon Aston, manager at Junk nightclub in London Road, said his venue would "fully support" the minimum pricing proposal.**

**Management at Revolutions, Reflex and The Rhino Club were all unavailable for comment last night.**

## Teen's jaw broken in city centre robbery in Southampton

- 1:00pm Saturday 16th April 2011 in [News](#)

A TEENAGER was left in hospital with a broken jaw when he was punched in the face and robbed of his mobile phone.

The 19-year-old was walking with three other men in Vernon Walk in [Southampton](#) city centre when he was attacked.

He was punched and his Blackberry was taken.

The victim is still receiving treatment in [Southampton General Hospital](#) following the attack, which happened between 12.20am and 1.30am on Wednesday.

Police believe the area was very busy at the time of the assault, and are appealing for anyone who saw anything to come forward.

Anyone with information should call PC Neil Harrison at Southampton Central police station on 101, or Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

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- **Southampton traders' fury over plan to shut Carlton Place**

7:00am Friday 2nd July 2010 in [News](#)

By Tara Russell, Feature Writer

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**TRADERS** have launched a campaign against council proposals to pedestrianise part of Southampton city centre.

[business](#) owners say people would find it too difficult to get to their shops and fear profits could plummet if the plan goes ahead.

It comes just three months after the Daily Echo reported that traders in Bedford Place claimed roadworks there were "putting people off" coming to the area.

The idea to close Carlton Place is supposed to protect revellers leaving the many nightclubs in that road.

- But firms which say the move would put their livelihoods at risk have slapped huge yellow and black signs in their windows to make their message clear: "Don't let the council close Carlton Place."

Susan Penny, who has owned chocolate shop Silver Nutmeg for nearly 12 years, has been forced to close the business because she no longer makes enough to cover her rent.

She said: "Everybody is really hysterical at the prospect of this. What with all the roadworks, it would make it one notch harder for people to get here so they just won't.

"If they close Carlton Place it will be one more nail in the coffin. They are killing us – they have already killed me.

Let's hope the council listen to us this time." Letters were hand-delivered to the businesses with

two proposals to make Bedford Place safer for pedestrians at night after police recommendations. But traders claim about 75 per cent of shops and businesses did not get the letter and they had to phone the council to drop more off so they could distribute them themselves. Option one is to close Carlton Place between Bedford Place and Upper Bannister Street from 8pm until 4am.

### **Two arrested after assault on student**

- 11:14am Friday 5th October 2007 in [News By Clare Kennedy](#)  
TWO people have been arrested following an assault that left a 20 year-old Southampton student with serious head injuries.  
The victim is currently being treated at Southampton General Hospital's neuro-intensive care unit where he is in a serious condition.  
He was punched in the face, fell and hit his head against a wall leaving him with serious head injuries.  
Police have renewed their appeal for any witnesses who saw the attack in Vernon Walk, near to the Junk nightclub in Southampton, on Monday at 2.16am to get in touch.
- **Student fighting for his life after assault**
- 9:01am Tuesday 2nd October 2007 in [News](#) \_\_\_\_\_ [By Daily Echo Reporter](#)

POLICE are appealing for help in piecing together the circumstances surrounding a vicious assault in Southampton that has left a student fighting for his life.

The victim, aged in his early twenties, is today in Southampton General Hospital's neuro-intensive unit where his condition is described as "critical."

He was punched in the face by another man in Vernon Walk, near Junk Nightclub, during the early hours of yesterday morning.

Paramedics from South Central Ambulance were called and rushed him to hospital following the incident which happened at around 2.16am.

Police yesterday set up a cordon around the alleyway, off London Road, while they carried out their investigations.

They are appealing for anyone who saw the assault, or know anything about it, to get in touch. Detective Inspector Liz Williams, of Shirley CID, said officers are looking at CCTV footage from cameras in the area.

Officers are also going to appeal to the city's student population via dedicated student websites to see if they can get any new witnesses to come forward.

DI Williams said: "We would urge anyone with any information about this assault to come forward. We would value any help that the public is able to give us at this stage."

**She added that with many students returning at the weekend the London Road area would have been quite busy.**

Anyone with information should contact Shirley CID quoting Operation KES on 0845 045 4545. Alternatively people can contact Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

Woman shoved to floor by robber

1:00pm Thursday 30th December 2010 in [News](#)

A YOUNG woman was shoved to the floor and robbed of valuable items during a terrifying attack in Southampton.

The 20-year-old's attacker used both hands to push her so hard she was knocked backwards off her

feet and dropped her black clutch handbag.

He grabbed her bag and sprinted off with £50 cash, a Blackberry mobile phone with a black and silver gems casing on the back, driving licence and debit card, car key and house keys.

The robber is described as a black or mixed-race man in his early 20s, 5ft 9in, of big/chubby build, with a shaved head and some facial hair around his chin. He wore a light grey jumper and dark jeans.

The attack took place in the early hours of yesterday between 3.05am and 3.20am in Winchester Street, Southampton, near Vernon Walk, which is the cut-through to London Road.

It is thought he ran off towards Avondale House. The victim said he turned right at the junction where Avondale House is and went towards London Road and The Avenue.

Anyone who saw the robbery or has any information should call PC Russell Smith at Southampton Central Police Station on 101 or call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

### Police cordon off street near Southampton nightclub after attack

11:40am Sunday 1st November 2009 in News  
Eastleigh Chief Reporter

By Julian Robinson,

**POLICE** have today cordoned off part of a street outside a Southampton night spot to investigate an assault.

A man was left with head injuries during the attack in the early hours of this morning as Halloween revellers poured out on to the streets around Carlton Place.

Investigating officers have taped off a large section of Lower Banister Street, outside the 90 Degrees bar, while a patrol vehicle has also been stationed nearby.

The extent of the victim's injuries is not yet clear, but police have launched an appeal for witnesses to the incident.

### Woman jailed for headbutt assault

11:50am Wednesday 31st October 2012 in News

#### Woman jailed for headbutt assault

A clubber who headbutted a woman has been found guilty of assault occasioning actual bodily harm.

Melissa Louise Caplen, 30, of Englefield Road, Southampton, was charged with assault on April 30




after the 33-year-old victim was head-butted at the Orange Rooms, in Bedford Place in the city on April 1.

Caplen was sentenced to nine months in prison, suspended for 18 months, 200 hours' unpaid work and ordered to pay £1,000 compensation to her victim.

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## Woman fights off sex attacker in Southampton

- 10:28am Thursday 22nd September 2011 in [News](#)  [By Jon Reeve, Education Reporter](#)

### Woman fights off sex attacker

A YOUNG woman fought off a man who tried to sexually assault her as she walked through [Southampton](#) city centre.

The 21-year-old victim was walking along Vernon Walk, between the Salisbury Street car park and the Orange Rooms bar at around 1.30am yesterday when she was approached from behind by the man.

As she got close to the popular nightspot, which was closed at the time, he grabbed her and tried to take hold of her clothing, but the woman managed to punch and kick him and he ran off.

The victim, who is from Southampton, was left shaken and shocked by the attack, but it is believed she was otherwise unharmed.

Police cordoned off a section of Vernon Walk, which runs between Salisbury Street and Lower Banister Street, for part of yesterday as they hunted for any potential evidence.

Detectives were also looking through CCTV footage from the area.

They are now appealing from anyone who saw the incident, or was in the Bedford Place area at the time, to come forward.

The attacker is described as white, of slim build and with short black hair. He was wearing a black polo shirt, blue jeans and black shoes.

Anyone with information should call DC Mark Bradley at [Shirley](#) CID on 101, or Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555111.

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## Vicious attack leaves victim in hospital for two days

4:01pm Monday 28th February 2011 in [News](#)

Vicious attack leaves victim in hospital for two days

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A [Royal Navy](#) engineer has told how he was left in hospital with a catalogue of painful injuries after being punched to the ground in an vicious, unprovoked attack.

Matthew Long was left with a suspected broken nose, hairline cheek fracture and two broken



teeth after being attacked after a night out with friends and his fiancée.  
The 22-year-old weapons engineer technician's injuries are so severe he has been forced to postpone joining his Royal Navy unit for a tour of duty in Bahrain.

[/www.dailyecho.co.uk/news/8880456.Vicious\\_attack\\_leaves\\_victim\\_in\\_hospital\\_for\\_two\\_days/index.php](http://www.dailyecho.co.uk/news/8880456.Vicious_attack_leaves_victim_in_hospital_for_two_days/index.php)

Today detectives hunting the attackers have released CCTV footage of those thought to be responsible and are urging the public to help identify them.

Images show three suspects who were pictured inside a fast food store – one wearing a distinctive grey hoody and another wearing a patterned hooded jumper.

Matthew, from [Lee-on-the-Solent](#), told the Daily Echo he can't remember anything of the impact that left him in a [Southampton General Hospital](#) bed for two days.

He said: "From what I've been told, I instantly blacked out when I was hit on the back of my head, and collapsed onto the concrete headfirst."

The attack happened near the junction of Bedford Place and Henstead Road when Matthew and his friends, including girlfriend Amy, who had spent the evening in nearby Orange Rooms, went to a takeaway to get food while they waited for a taxi home.

Inside the restaurant, some teenagers started harassing one of his friends, trying to steal his mobile phone and money out of his pocket.

Matthew said an argument started between the two groups, although he wasn't involved.

He said: "I was completely oblivious to what was going on. They stole my friend's mobile phone and then they threatened the girlfriend of one of my best mates outside, so my friend ran after them. I ran after him to see what was going on, and the next thing I knew I was in an ambulance. "I was in A&E and they thought I had seriously damaged my back. It was pretty horrific really because I had to have a CT scan, which is quite daunting.

"These are young lads, and I just don't think it's acceptable – a small minority of people who can't handle their drink ruin it for everyone else."

Anyone with information about the attack in the early hours of Sunday, February 20 should call Pc Mick Connolly at [Shirley](#) CID on 101 or Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

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### Man fighting for life after street attack

A MAN was today fighting for his life after suffering serious head injuries in an unprovoked street attack in Southampton.

The 28-year-old was struck around the head and knocked to the ground after telling a gang of four men to stop tampering with his car, parked in Henstead Road.

He was left unconscious on the pavement and taken to [Southampton General Hospital](#) where he is in intensive care in the neurological unit. His girlfriend was yesterday at his bedside.

Now police are appealing for any witnesses who saw the assault, at 2.30am on Sunday near The Bedford pub, to come forward.

"There must have been a lot of people around at the time after all the pubs and clubs in the area were closing," said DC Keith Bailey, one of the investigating officers.

"A lot of people would have been walking back to their homes or getting taxis.

"This is something we are treating very seriously.

"The victim has been left with life-threatening injuries in a completely unprovoked attack."

The suspects are described as two black and two white men.

They were seen walking towards Devonshire Road after the assault.

They are all described as aged between 20 and 25.

One of the black men was wearing a dark T-shirt and dark trousers. The second black man had a skinhead hair style and was wearing a light-coloured shirt with dark trousers.

Officers are carrying out house-to-house inquiries in the area in an attempt to piece together what happened.

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- **Police to target gangs of rowdy city revellers**

11:50am Wednesday 30th January 2013 in [News](#)

### Police to target gangs of rowdy city revellers

**GANGS of rowdy revellers will be banished from nightlife hotspots as police launch a crackdown on anti-social behaviour in [Southampton](#).**

Officers have joined forces with city council bosses in a bid to slash the number of anti-social behaviour incidents in and around Bedford Place and London Road with the threat of a fine or even imprisonment.

From Friday a dispersal order will be implemented in designated areas to tackle crowds of clubbers who fail to head home from the city's bars and nightclubs peacefully.

But residents whose lives have been blighted by booze-fuelled noise nuisance fear that the orders do not stretch far enough and will just push trouble-makers into nearby residential streets.

The order allows officers and PCSOs to tell a group of two or more people to leave the area, to force those who do not live in the area to stay away for 24 hours and send home anyone aged under 16 who is not with an adult. Anyone who violates the order could face up to three months in prison or a fine of up to £2,500.

Police say the action comes in response to complaints made by residents and businesses about continued antisocial behaviour in the area, which is popular with the city's student population. The new order will run until July 31 and it will include five council car parks in Grosvenor Square, Bedford Place, East-gate Street, West Park Road and The Marlands.

Sector Inspector Ryan Bartlett said: "This area of the city is a popular location for the city's night-time economy and attracts a significant number of people throughout the week and at weekends.

"Disappointingly a minority few of these people fail to conduct themselves properly which impacts on others. By implementing the dispersal order it provides us with alternative powers to deal with those individuals."

The initiative comes just three months after police launched Operation Shush that saw

boozed-up revellers threatened with an £80 on-the-spot fine if caught making a nuisance in the Polygon area.

Just two fines were handed out by officers during the course of the two-month operation.

- Lorraine Barter, who has lived in Harborough Road for 25 years and is a member of local campaign group Residents Action, said: “The fact that the police are doing this shows that the situation must have been escalating badly in recent years.  
“While we do welcome the dispersal order, it is not going to have any effect on the noise for those residents living in Henstead Road and Kenilworth Road. The orders will get people out of the hotspot, well-lit areas but it is not going to make the slightest difference to people suffering from the noise as these groups make their way home.”
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Please accept edited diary evidence of night time nuisance in Polygon and surrounding area.

Although many of the entries refer to noise from houses I do go to some of them to try to quell the noise and often the occupants will say they are sorry but they are drunk, having just come back from clubbing.

Lorraine Barter 42 Harborough Road Polygon Southampton SO15 2FY

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DIARY 2014 followed by 2012

JAN

2 Two bottles thrown down in Harborough

8 Bottle in Henstead cutway

12 All night party in Wilton Ave HMO

13 Agents sign pulled down in Newcombe

14 Bottles smashed in Devonshire and Handel Roads

19 Cryers sign pulled up and left outside HMO Harborough.

23 Smashed bottles in Devonshire

24 Devonshire Road street name sign damaged

25 Loud music from HMO Newcombe at 14.00

27 Four agents signs uprooted and on pavement in Milton Road

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1 Man attacked in Devonshire Road

3 Sign thrown down in Harborough

5 Loud music from HMO Harborough at 22.00  
 5 Bottles in Coventry, Henstead, Harborough.  
 6 Two signs thrown down in Henstead  
 7 Smashed bottle in Harborough, car wing mirror damaged in Henstead  
 8 05.00-0600 Awoken by door knocking at HMO Harborough  
 Chair and smashed bottle in Henstead  
 9 Three smashed windows at 2 take aways in Bedford Place  
 10 Bottle in Kenilworth  
 13 Police at HMO Harborough, smashed front door panel  
 15 Bottles in Harborough Road  
 19 Smashed front door panel at HMO Henstead  
 Smashed bottle in Newcombe  
 25 Wing mirrors damaged in Henstead, Harborough  
 3 phones stolen from girls 02.00- 03.00 in Bedford Place  
 26 Three bins knocked over in Kenilworth.  
 28 Wing mirror damaged in Henstead  
 Bottles in Coventry and Harborough  
**MARCH**  
 10 Smashed bottle Coventry  
 14 Man knocked unconcious in Bedford Place between 01.00 - 02.30  
 17 Smashed bottles Wilton Ave and Fitzhugh alley  
 21 Two wings mirrors off in Kenilworth  
 During night doors smashed at flats Carlton Studios, Roxx , Posh Pads window in Banister St  
 Damaged plastic advert at Aura Vernon Walk.  
 24 Police attend in London Road at 13.55  
 30 Smashed bottles in Milton  
**APRIL**  
 5 Three smashed bottles in Milton and more in Wilton, Harborough  
 8 Smashed drinking glass in Newcombe  
 Night mugging in Wilton  
 14 Burglary in Milton  
 20 During night and at 05.30 men shouting and kicking bins in Harborough  
 23 Cracked car mirror in Henstead  
 26 Door banging in Harborough at 03.00  
 Car wing mirror damaged in Henstead  
 30 Smashed glass in road in Harborough  
**MAY**  
 1 Men shouting in Harborough during night  
 Bottle in Kenilworth  
 2 Loud music at HMO Wilton and at 3 HMOs Harborough  
 5 Loud music at HMO Wilton and bottles in Devonshire, Harborough  
 10 Party and loud music at HMO Harborough, drunken party guest who was ejected  
 then smashed front door panels and front window with bottle.  
 13 Bins over in Kenilworth  
 14 Loud music l day at HMO Harborough, bins over in Handel Terrace  
 15 Bottles in Devonshire  
 16 Smashed glass in Harborough, Newcombe and bottle in Wilton.  
 17 Bins kicked over in Newcombe at 04.30  
 21 Loud music at HMO Harborough  
 24 Smashed glass in Newcombe and Harborough  
 25 Loud music at HMO Harborough at 23.30



## **31 Mugging in Wilton**

### **JUNE**

- 1 Man shouting and drunk in Kenilworth, Harborough at 05.00**
- Band playing at HMO Newcome at 16.00**
- 2 Bins kicked over in Devonshire and Newcombe early hours of morning.**
- 3 Smashed glass in door at HMO Newcombe**
- 7 Bottle in Newcombe**
- 18 Bottle in Devonshire**
- 20 All night party at HMO Milton**
- 30 Report of noisy all night party at 2 HMOs Henstead**

### **JULY**

- 1 Live band playing at HMO Harborough**
- 2 Shouting at HMO Harborough between 04.00 and 05.00**
- Live band at HMO Harborough 18.00**
- 3 Live band in evening at HMO Harborough**
- 4 Loud music same HMO at 19.00**
- 13 All day and night loud music and party at HMO Wilton**
- 14 Mid-day music at noise at HMO Wilton**
- 16 Smashed bottles in Holt**
- Report of very loud 21.00 music from HMO Devonshire**
- 18 Loud music from disco deck in back garden at HMO Newcombe at 19.00 and shouting at 21.00 to 02.30 and at 05.30**
- 19 Door banging at HMO Harborough at 04.00**
- Door knocking at 04.30 at Harborough**
- Bottles in Wilton**
- 21 Smashed bottles Harborough and Kenilworth**
- 22 Girls and men midnight shouting in Harborough**
- 24 All night loud voices from HMO Newcombe**
- Shouting at 04.30 from HMO Newcombe**
- 26 Party in Harborough and all night party in HMO Milton**
- 28 23.30 - 03.00 loud talking from HMO Newcombe**

### **AUGUST**

- 5 Mattresses set on fire in Fitzhugh cutway at 21.00**
- 7 Fire in Wilton cutway**
- 8 Noise from HMO Newcombe at 21.00, same at 23.15**
- 10 Police called to Holt Road, six cars attended**
- 14 Door knocking at HMO Harborough at 23.00 and door ,window knocking at 01.05**
- 15 Loud music from HMO Holt at 17.00 and 19.00**
- 17 Man arrested in Wilton for kicking cars**
- 19 Car side window smashed in Harborough during night**
- 24 Loud music from HMO Harborough 22.00 - 03.15**
- Loud music from HMO Holt mid afternoon**
- 26 Loud music from HMO Harborough 14.15 to 17.00**
- 29 Loud TV at HMO 20 Harborough and music at HMO 19 at 21.00**
- 30 Loud music at HMO Harborough at 17.00**
- 31 Live saxophone playing at HMO Harborough at 01.10**

### **SEPTEMBER**

- 1 Smashed bottle in Milton**
- Loud music at HMO Harborough at 14.30**

3 Bin knocked over at 03.15 in Harborough  
 Smashed bottles in Wilton  
 7 Loud music at HMO Harborough at 13.45  
 8 Report of drug incident at the Dell  
 9 Three smashed bottles in Milton  
 11 Smashed bottle in Kenilworth  
 14 Loud music at HMO Holt Road at 17.30  
 and all evening/night loud music at HMO Milton Road  
 16 Same again at in evening at this address  
 17 Same again at this address  
 Shouting at HMO Harborough at 01.00  
 18 Loud music again at HMO Milton  
 19 Loud music at HMO Harborough at 22.00  
 Men shouting 23.00 to midnight at HMO Newcombe  
 20 Live guitar playing at HMO Harborough 02.40 - 03.45  
 Very loud music from HMO Harborough at 16.30  
 Burglary at HMO in Milton during evening  
 21 Very loud music at HMO Harborough at 01.10  
 Loud music and party at HMO Harborough 01.20  
 All yesterday evening and all night party and loud music until  
 04.30 at HMO Milton Road.  
 Three men climbing scaffolding and banging on windows at upper  
 floors of Thorners Flats Henstead at 05.00  
 22 Report of bicycle stolen from HMO in Wilton Ave  
 23 Loud music from HMOs in Newcombe 22.00 - 2300  
 24 Same until 01.00  
 Agents sign thrown down in Harborough  
 Broken front window panel at HMO Milton  
 Shouting in street at 04.00  
 25 Bottle in Wilton  
 26 Loud music from HMO Harborough at 22.15  
 Loud music at HMO Morris at 23.30  
 04.20 - 04.50 Girl shouting in house and garden at HMO Newcombe  
 06.00 people from HMO Morris shouting outside.  
 27 Smashed bottle at bus stop in Newcombe  
 28 Loud music at HMO Milton at 03.30- 04.00 and 06.00- 0800  
 29 Bottle in Newcombe  
 Bottles in Henstead cut way and Wilton  
**OCTOBER**  
 2 HMO Milton girl occupier banging on door and waking neighbours at 03.30  
 Smashed car mirror glass in road Harborough  
 3 Three police persons to an HMO in Harborough at 20.00  
 Smashed car mirror glass outside HMO Harborough  
 4 Loud door knocking and window banging at HMO Harborough at 03.30  
 Men from HMO Harborough shouting on frontage at 04.10  
 Girl at gate of HMO Newcombe shouting about being drunk at 05.00  
 5 03.30 Very loud music at HMO Harborough  
 18.15 Same at HMO Harborough  
 18.30 Same at HMO Harborough (electric guitar)  
 7 Telephone post in Henstead wires pulled out and same at link box in Kenilworth  
 8 00.30 Bin left outside HMO Harborough knocked over by men from another HMO

9 Bins knocked over in Sandhurst Road  
 10 Loud music at HMO Harborough 22.30 to 23.05  
 12 Woken by door knocking 01.55 at Harborough  
 15 Beat music at HMO Harborough 01.00- 02.00  
 Four bottles in Fitzhugh alley, some smashed  
 17 All night shouting at intervals in road 23.00 - 04.00 from drunken students  
 Smashed bottle in Devonshire.  
 18 Some shouting in road 01.30 to 02.30  
 19 Drum and guitar music from HMO Harborough Road at 01.00  
 20 Smashed glass and bottles in Harborough  
 22 Same  
 23 Report of loud music from HMO Holt Road (occurs weekly )  
 Report of student party at Wilton ( police attended )  
 24 Smashed bottles in Devonshire  
 25 Woken at 05.00 by men from HMO Harboorough Road shouting in the street.  
 Noticed smashed in glass door of take away Bedford Place  
 25 Members of live band playing in upper front room of HMO Harborough from 16.00 .  
 27 Smashed bottle in Fitzhugh alley, reports of all recent night party at HMO Newcombe and fights,  
 parties, police attending in Newcombe. White van sought in connection with burglaries in that area.  
 28 Smashed brick gate post at HMO Harborough  
 30 At 00.55 men in car noisy visiting HMO Harborough

#### **NOVEMBER**

Two men visitors at HMO Harborough shouting, swearing, banging on door at 01.45, police had called at  
 01.25 but got no answer.  
 At 02.20 HMO Harborough 4 men shouting, knocking over bin, then drunken male visitor banging at  
 03.10, he went to Wilton Ave and came back for more banging.  
 Smashed glass in the road in two places.

End of recorded incidents at that time but more follow below

*House numbers have been removed to protect the privacy of the occupants, except to pinpoint the location of any damage on street that is not connected to any particular persons.*

#### ***Last night of 2011 and year 2012***

***Dec 31st Party at HMO Harborough started middle of night until 05.15, on Jan 1, it was so loud it was heard by other students at their house in Wilton Avenue.***

***2012***

***Jan 1 04.45 Men HMO Harborough threw three fireworks at a car outside 44 Harborough.***

***Jan 4 Car damaged during the night in Kenilworth Road***

***Jan 18 Bins knocked over in Kenilworth and Harborough***

***Jan 19 Report of burglary in Harborough and forensic police team in Holt Road Fitzhugh***

***Jan 21 Bins over in Kenilworth and Harborough***

***Police in action in Kenilworth with van***

***Jan 24 Very loud music in evening from HMO Sandhurst Road.***

***Jan 26 Revellers take fridge from pavement in Kenilworth and throw it in the road at night.***

***Jan 26 Police help landlord evict man from house in Kenilworth re drugs.***

***Report of damaged phone box in Burlington box***

***Jan 27 Police called about man in back garden in Burton Road Fitzhugh.***

***Jan 29 Bins over and damaged wing mirror in Wilton Ave***

**30th Police in front room at HMO Kenilworth  
Glass panel out of phone box in Henstead**

**Fox Agents sign thrown down in Sandhurst  
Complaint to Council about street litter and smashed bottles in Kenilworth  
and messy garden at HMO Harborough**

**31st Loud music from HMO Sandhurst at 17.15**

**Complaint to Council about bin on pavement and refuse sacks /rats at HMO Kenilworth  
FEB**

**1st Noisy crowd in front garden at 2 HMOs in Kenilworth 10.30 - 11 p.m**

**Milton Road bins kicked over, shouting and screaming crowd, urinating in doorway by the closed pub at  
03.40**

**Smashed bottle in Cromwell Road.**

**Six bins over and cars kicked in Kenilworth 02.00- 03.00 - much shouting and screaming**

**02.00 Noisy students running around in Kenilworth between 2 HMOs and noisy crowd at HMO house..**

**Many students noisy in the street, Kenilworth and Coventry, bins kicked over.**

**Feb 2nd Police car with two officers parked in Harborough outside my home during mid morning.**

**Smashed bottle in road at Harborough -Sandhurst corner**

**Feb 4th Man smashed in door glass at HMO Kenilworth**

**Feb 5th Smashed bottle in Harborough, car wing mirrors damaged in Kenilworth.**

**Feb 6 th Food thrown on top of sports car in Kenilworth. Much street noise there during night.**

**Feb 10th Report of many noisy young people coming out of HMO Kenilworth after 10.30 and shouting in  
road for a long time, then heading shouting loudly towards Henstead Road.**

**Feb 16th Report of a lot of street noise in Kenilworth at 04.15, also report of noisy students returning to  
HMO Kenilworth early hours of morning another night.**

**Smashed bottle in Harborough Road.**

**Feb 20th HMO in Harborough, girl and men shouting in road/ garden after arrival by taxi at 03.45**

**Feb 21 Night time trail of gloss paint on road and pavement between Park View to HMO 82 Wilton Ave (  
but may not be connected to that house ) broken bottles in Harborough and Coventry.**

**Feb 22 Vomit on pavement in Wilton**

**Feb 24 Bins over at night in Burlington and Harborough**

**Feb 25th Noisy men returning to Harbrough HMO at 04.30, loud voices from house for nearly an hour.**

**Noisy men arrived back to HMO Harborough at 05.00**

**Feb 27 Loud music in evening from HMO Kenilworth**

**Feb 28th Went to HMO about loud music from back garden, they were friendly and turned it down**

**Phone box panel kicked out in Henstead Road**

**Feb 29th Man and woman attacked in Bedford Place late evening**

**Man engaged in indecent act in front of girls in Milton Road after 02.00**

**MARCH 2nd Bin set on fire at 04.00 in Wilton Ave**

**Mar 3rd Smashed bottles in Henstead Loud music from HMO in Harborough**

**Burglary during the night at HMO 20 Coventry**

**Mar 4th Wall /gate post damaged during night at HMO Harborough**

**Mar 5th Burglary at HMO in Morris Road**

**Mar 7th Five blue wheelie bins kicked over at 03.15 in Harborough**

**Mar 8th Four blue bins kicked over on pavement in Newcombe Loud music at 10.30 p.m. at HMO in  
Harborough**

**Loud music from another HMO at 13.30**

**Used condoms thrown into front garden of non HMO resident in Milton Road**



**Mar 9th** Girls returning to Harborough HMO screaming in road/shouting to another HMO residents at 04.00

**Mar 10th** Noise, music shouting from Harborough HMO at 05.30,08.10, and 08.50

**Mar 11th** Three blue recycle bins kicked over in Harborough and one pulled out of HMO garden and tipped on pavement.

**Mar 13th** Loud music from HMO in Sandhurst Road

**Mar 14** Loud music from another HMO in same road

**Mar 15th** Car wing mirror damaged in Wilton Ave

**Mar 16th** Loud music from HMO in Sandhurst Road

**Mar 17th** Yet more trouble at HMO Harborough Road Polygon.  
This morning at 03.45 I was awoken by banging and knocking on front door of HMO Harborough, shouting by the arrivals and then loud music from the open top front window after that.  
More loud music from this house 14.15 -15.15

**Mar 18th** Woken by girls shouting at 01.00 and banging on door of HMO at 03.15  
Police were seeking man for crime in Coventry Road at 03.50

**Mar 19th** Wing mirror cover off in Wilton Ave

**Mar 20th** Bins kicked dover during night in Harborough.

**Mar 21st** Car mirror cover gone in Wilton

**Mar 22** Bottles thrown down in Harborough Road and Thorners Court Garden.  
Man stabbed in London Road during night

**Mar 23rd** Police attended HMO in Newcombe re suspicious behaviour by two men at 02.30.

**Mar 25th** Men in Wilton HMO garden smashing bottles with football game, bottles smashing into Milton cutweay.  
Bins kicked over along Wilton  
Went to HMO Coventry about loud music from garden

**Mar 26th** Smashed bottles in Kenilworth, to HMO Coventry again about loud garden music at 19.15  
Report of recent burglaries in Devonshire Road

**Mar 27th** Man came on skate board and pulled out bins from Harborough HMO middle of night

**Mar 28th** 03.00 Men paying football in Harborough, smashed bottles in Henstead, some thrown in Thorners flats garden, loud music from two HMOs in Harborough.

**Mar 29th** Burglary last night at HMO in Milton Road, afternoon students party of flat roof at HMO in Wilton , made three visits to HMO in Harborough during evening about loud music.  
Burglary bid foiled  
11:30am Friday 30th March 2012 in News Burglary bid foiled  
A SUSPECTED burglary was foiled in the Polygon, Southampton when a man was confronted in a communal area of a shared house in Milton Road.  
The man, who ran off, was also seen trying to get into another property in the same road at 9pm on Wednesday.  
Smashed bottle in Wilton  
Reported that police cone was thrown through window at house from street in Carlton Road during night about two weeks ago.  
Afternoon and evening, loud music from HMO in Harborough.

**APRIL**

**1** Loud music from HMO in Harborough 19.00 to 20.50 and more after 21.00  
Car wing mirror and smashed mirror on the pavement in Morris Road

**2** Smashed alcohol bottles in Burlington and Morris, 5 pavement bottles binned by me.

**3** Two wing Mirrors off in Kenilworth

**4** Bins over in Kenilworth and Harborough

**6** Back Garden Disco at HMO in Harborough 19.45 to 22.30  
Male student followed me into a front garden in Coventry Road, swearing at me and threatening violence to my person and property, approx 21.20

**8 Mattress set on fire in frontage of 30 Wilton Ave**  
**17 Bin kicked over in Harborough at 03.00**  
**19 Noisy party at HMO in Kenilworth**  
**20 Noise from Kenilworth HMO at 02.30**  
**21 Take away stuck to car window outside 18 Harborough**  
**Man arrested by police in road The Polygon near junction with Morris Road at 19.20**  
**22 Music and noise of guests arriving/leaving with an agents sign at Harborough HMO 02.30 more guests and music until 07.30**  
**Police at flats in Wilton Avenue/on duty there all week ..**  
**25 Duvet thrown in the hedge at Thorners Court Henstead Road . Loud music from Harborough HMO at 22.00**  
**26 Four panels of missing phone box glass in frontage of HMO in Harborough**  
**27 Men shouting in Newcombe at 03.00**

#### **MAY**

**2 Reported serious car damage during night in Milton Road at Carlton Road end**  
**5 Smashed bottle in Harborough**  
**6 Bin over in Devonshire, 2 burglaries in Polygon**  
**7 Woken by man shouting at 03.30**  
**11 Reported that street noise at night in Kenilworth terrible, two people there are moving out. Girls shouting in Newcombe 02.30, loads of men to HMO in Harborough at 03.15, banging doors, drunken others kicking over bins.**  
**Also that night a lot of street noise in Wilton/Milton cutway and Holt Road 02.40 approx.**  
**Men from HMO playing football in Harborough at 18.15 .**  
**12 All night music from Harborough HMO 01.00 until daylight**  
**Another burst of during day. Shouting at 03.30 in Newcombe**  
**Burglaries in at HMOs in Kenilworth , Cromwell Roads and Wilton Ave**  
**13 Huge number of drunken young people in Wilton cut into Holt Road at 03.00,one shouting and pretending to be Tarzan.**  
**All night party until 10.a.m Sunday morning at HMO in Wilton Avenue.**  
**15 Loud music from HMO in Harborough at 17.15**  
**16 Three girls shouting on returning to HMO in Harborough at 03.35**  
**17 Awoken at 04.30 by man singing and then at 05.00 girls shouting in Newcombe**  
**20 Had to go to Harborough HMO re music and party at 04.00**  
**22 Men from 2 HMOs playing football in road, ball hit our door, phoned 101**  
**02.00 onwards noise from HMO party in Newcombe**  
**23 Police to party in HMO in Wilton**  
**24 Two damaged car wings mirrors in Devonshire**  
**Had to go to Harborough HMO re loud music 18.30 to 20.30**  
**At night police called to garden party at HMO in Wilton**  
**25 Alcohol bottles and agents sign thrown down in Wilton**  
**26 Music from Harborough HMO at 18.00, than at another HMO 18.45 ,went to speak to him, plus men drinking on pavement, phoned 101**  
**Had to go to Harborough HMO at 20.45 re live band at party ,band played from 20.35 to 23.30, then awoken by shouting man leaving party at 01.30 and more shouting and kicking bins over at 04.30**  
**May 31st 2012**  
**A MAN is due in court today charged with the sexual assault of a woman in Southampton.**  
**The charge relates to the alleged sexual assault of a 21-year-old woman in the Bedford Place area of Southampton in the early hours of yesterday morning.**  
**Damaged car wing mirrors and alcohol bottles in Devonshire and Wilton Ave.**  
**Students playing football in Harborough in the evening.**

#### **JUNE**

**1st All night party at student HMO in Harborough**  
**13 Front fence panels smashed in Henstead**  
**14 Some alcohol bottles in Wilton Ave**  
**17 All night party at Harborough HMO started at 01.45**

#### **JULY**

**1st All night loud music and party at HMO Harborough Road**  
**2 All night music and party at HMO Newcombe Road**  
**5 All night party and music at HMO Newcombe Road**  
**6 Two wing mirrors off cars in Harborough**  
**7 Echo reported resident of Milton Road jailed for armed robbery**  
**8 Awoken by music from Harborough HMO at 05.00.**  
**13 Car has wing mirror off in Harborough**  
**Man breaking into two cars in Kenilworth at 02.45**  
**15 All yesterday evening and all night party until 05.00 at student HMO Milton Road**  
**16 Back garden entered during night, vandalised, vegetables destroyed in Burton Road**  
**18 Loud music indaytime from HMO Harborough**  
**19 Bottles on pavement in Wilton Ave**

#### **DAILY ECHO July 19**

**Two men were robbed of cash at knifepoint in a Southampton street. The men, both 21, were threatened with a blade by a gang of four youths, before being assaulted and robbed of ?100, during the incident on Sunday.**

**Police believe the four suspects followed their victims from Waterloo Terrace, near the Rhino nightclub, to Berkeley Road, where they struck at around 4am.**

**One of the victims was punched in the head, but neither were seriously injured.**

**Detectives are now appealing for witnesses in their hunt for the gang, who were all white and aged 19 to 20.**

**Anyone with information is asked to contact Detective Constable Simon Bembridge, at Southampton Central police station, on 101, Crimestoppers anonymously 0800 555 111.**

#### **AUGUST**

**1 Night Time burglary from back cut in Milton Road between Berkeley and Burton Roads**  
**8 Bin kicked over in Wilton**  
**10 Two bins kicked over in Wilton**  
**11 People shouting from Wilton HMO at 0.45 and music until 06.00 when I went and asked for less noise. Alcohol bottles left around in Wilton, Bedford Place, Cumberland Place, and Handel Terrace**  
**Loud music in afternoon from HMOs in Harborough and Newcombe.**  
**14 Burglary in Milton Road**  
**17 Bus sign damaged in Carlton Road**  
**19 Noise, music from party at Harborough student HMO 03.00 to 07.30**  
**22 Wing mirror damaged in Wilton Ave**  
**23 Had to go to see about party at HMO 24 Coventry at 03.45, party started at 01.00**  
**Residents woken by noisy students returning to HMO Kenilworth at 04.30**  
**28 Phone receiver smashed at kiosk in Henstead Road**  
**31 Burglary at HMO in Kenilworth, television and car stolen.**

#### **SEPTEMBER**

**4 Bins kicked over In Harborough**  
**5 Smashed window at HMO Wilton Ave**  
**Broken bottles in Coventry and Wilton**  
**Wing mirror damaged in Milton**  
**8 Same in Burton**  
**Same in Wilton Ave**  
**10 Vomit in Milton cutway**



**Human toilet droppings nearby**  
**18 Bottles in several roads**  
**19 Police in Harborough and Wilton in day**  
**Noisy last night in Kenilworth**  
**23 Three lots of shouting from Newcombe and police called at 04.00 re loud bangs and crashes**  
**24 12 bottles found in Wilton and Milton**  
**Bed base thrown around in Harborough**  
**25 Bottles in Morris and Coventry**  
**26 Shouting in Harborough during night, 3 bed bases thrown in road and motor bike knocked over**  
**28 Noisy last night in Kenilworth**  
**OCTOBER**  
**3 Daytime loud music from HMO Harborough Road**  
**5 Shouting and night noise at HMO Harborough**  
**Bins over in Sandhurst Road and Newcombe**  
**6 Daytime loud music and annoying behaviour at HMO Devonshire**  
**Loud night music at HMO Newcombe**  
**7 Bin over in Rockstone Place**  
**10 Police at HMO Harborough at 21.20 I spoke to girls there about garden noise. They did quieten.**  
**11 Kept awake by girls and one shouting, lost her key 02.50 to 04.20 at HMO Newcombe**  
**Car wing mirror cover off in Harborough**  
**13 Shouting and music at HMO Harborough 04.15 to 06.15 and man from there urinating on pavement at 05.15**  
**14 Two burnt out green wheelie bins seen at 2 HMOs Wilton Ave**  
**15 Spoke to HMO landlord in Harborough re his students night noise nuisance.**  
**Awoken during night by visitors to HMO Newcombe.**  
**16 Car mirror damaged in Wilton, gave owner of HMO details of his students night noise nuisance in Newcombe.**  
**17 Smashed bottles Newcombe and in Wilton alley, 8 HMOs in Wilton have many uncollected black sacks, loose refuse in front gardens.**  
**Car mirror damaged in Harborough**  
**18 Same in Holt Road**  
**Night noise , shouting, chanting, drinking and kicking car by men on Carnage from student HMO Harborough**  
**19 Smashed front window at HMO Wilton Avenue ( told it was burglary )**  
**20 Bottles around in Harborough, Newcombe and Wilton**  
**22 Damaged brick gatepost HMO Burlington, car keyed by phone box, night time party in road The Polygon closed down by Council and Police.**  
**24 Woken by drunken men shouting at 01.50, 15 minutes of noisy crowd returning to HMO approx 03.35, smashed bottle sin Newcombe and three other roads.**  
**27 Two smashed bottles in Wilton, spoke to HMO Harborough twice about loud music**  
**Music from HMO Harborough 20.30 for 12 hours, guests arriving/ leaving on foot and five taxis 03.35 - 05.15 on 28th**  
**30 Smashed bottle in Fitzugh alley**  
**31 Wing mirror damaged in Wilton, reported two messy HMO gardens there and another in Henstead Road, bin kicked over in Henstead last night.**  
**NOVEMBER**  
**1 Smashed bottle and new graffiti in Fitzhugh cut on back wall of Milton Road**  
**2 Egg thrown at sports car in Newcombe Road**  
**3 Woken by men shouting and kicking over bin in Newcombe during night. Three burglaries in Milton Road this week**  
**4 Car wing mirror pulled off in Wilton Ave**

**No further diary kept until January 2013**

**January 2013**

- 1. Arson attack on Milton Road student HMO**
- 5 Two bins over in Kenilworth**
- 6 Two smashed bottles in Wilton - Milton alley**
- 9 Awoken at 03.45 by shouting men from Wilton Ave to HMO Harborough**
- 11 Disturbed by 10 minutes of noise by man at front door of HMO Harborough**
- 13 All night party at HMO in Fitzhugh**
- 15 Chips on bonnet of car in Kenilworth**
- 18 Man from HMO hit upper window of family home in Harborough with snowball**
- 19 Loads of furniture and bits thrown in road outside HMO Harborough**
- 20 Shouting and some loud music at 03.30 in Harborough**
- 24 Broken bottles in Milton alley and Kenilworth**
- 25 Students attacked and injured at HMO in Newcombe Road**
  - Wing mirror damaged in Harborough**
- 26 From 02.00 visitors door banging and some music from HMO Harborough**
  - 05.20 Loud music from car and men at HMO Harborough**
- 29 Churchill flats frontage metal board bent in Henstead**
  - 02.00 Front door banging ( visitors) at HMO Harborough**

**February**

- 3 02.00 - 04.00 Music and noisy men at HMO Harborough**
- 4 Broken bottle Harborough and wing mirror off in Wilton**
- 7 Damage car wing mirror in Kenilworth**
- 10 03.40 Loud music from HMO Harborough**
- 11 Noise from HMO Harborough at 14.20 and evening noise from HMO Harborough**
- 13 Two smashed bottles and two wing mirror damaged in Wilton**
- 15 Road barrier thrown down in Kenilworth and loud music from HMO Newcombe at 23.00**
- 22 Wing mirror damaged in Wilton**
- 25 Bottle smashed in Handel Road**

**March**

- 4 Men in Cromwell Road breaking off wing mirrors at 03.00**
- 6 Very loud music from front garden of HMO Kenilworth at 15.45**
- 16 Bin over in Kenilworth**
- 18 Bin over in Kenilworth**
- 19 Two bins over in Wilton and burglary in Burlington**
- 31 Badly keyed car in Harborough and loud music noise at HMO 03.00- 06.30**

**April**

- 5 Visitors and cars all night to HMO Harborough**
- 6 Smashed glass in Sandhurst**
- 9 Smashed glass in Wilton**
- 10 Police in Milton cut way at 16.10**
- 12 Smashed bottle and noisy men to HMO Harborough at 04.00**
  - Bin over in Kenilworth**
- 15 Bin over in Kenilworth**

- 17 Last night man to HMO Kenilworth smashed front door panel and damaged wall
- 19 Bin placed on top of car in Wilton
- 20 03.45 Loud music from party at HMO Harborough
- 22 Wing mirror pulled out in Henstead
- 23 Loud music in day at HMO Harborough
- 24 Loud music in day at HMO Harborough
- 25 Smashed glass in Kenilworth
- 29 Loud music from HMO Harborough 21.30 - 22.45

## May

- 2 At 09.30 loud music from HMO Harborough
  - 3 Last night wing mirror kicked off in Coventry
  - 4 Loud guitar music from HMO Harborough last night
  - 5 21.30 Music and shouting from HMO Harborough  
Music and party noise from HMO Harborough until 05.40  
All night party in Milton Road  
Street noise there at 05.30
  - 6 Loud music from HMO Harborough 04.15 - 05.45  
Man smashed window at HMO Harborough 06.15  
At 17.15 very loud music from frontages of HMOs Newcombe, Sandhurst, three HMOs in Harborough at HMO Sandhurst disc deck in front garden could be heard two roads away.  
Reported burglary in Milton Road
  - 10 Smashed bottles outside Churchill flats in Henstead
  - 11 Car wing mirrors damaged in Wilton and Kenilworth  
Music from HMO Harborough  
Loud night music from HMO Harborough  
Shouting and loud music from HMO Harborough 05.00 -06.45  
Skate boarding in Cromwell Road at 00.30
  - 16 Phone box glass levered out in Henstead
  - 17 At HMO Harborough loud music started at 21.00, off and on most of night
  - 18 Music and loud voices from HMO Harborough 04.00- 0700
  - 20 All night party in Milton Road
  - 25 Wing mirror off in Harborough
  - 26 Party at HMO Harborough 20.00 - 04.30  
04.30 Fight at junction of Milton and Holt Road
  - 27 Music at HMO Harborough at 03.00 and at HMO 14.15 - 14.15
  - 30 Woken by shouting from street at 01.00  
Loud music from HMO Harborough in afternoon
  - 31 Very loud music from HMO Newcombe at 04.30  
From 01.00 until 05.15 June 1st very loud music from HMO Harborough
- June 2nd at HMO Harborough Road Report published in the Daily Echo

**TWO armed attackers burst into a home and held the householder at knifepoint in a dramatic raid in [Southampton](#) last night.**

**One man told how he feared for his life during the raid in the heart of the city. Police have launched a hunt for the attackers, one of whom fled the home with blood pouring from his head.**

**Householder Andy Palmieri, who suffered a cut to his arm during the incident, described how he was**

threatened at knifepoint when the men, one of who was shirtless, burst into his home. They threatened to stab me," he said. "One of them had a knife and he held it against me. "I was scared – I thought I was going to get stabbed."

The 23-year-old said the drama happened while he was at home in Harborough Road with a flatmate when there was a knock at the door at about 6.20pm.

He said his flatmate who answered the door recognised the people, who had gone to a party at the house, two weeks before. He tried to shut the door but one of them forced it open.

They then burst into the house, shattering the glass of the door window pane. Mr Palmieri, a Solent University student, said one of the men was armed with a knife.

Another flatmate, who asked not to be named, had just returned to the flat shortly after the attack. He said: "I came back and there was smashed glass everywhere.

"They had thrown something through the window. "It's a bit of a shock, I had no idea why it had happened." It is unclear why the two men targeted the house but the flatmate added: "I know that there have been house parties where people have gone to them, and then gone back and tried to rob the house at a later date." Last night police officers launched a hunt for the two men.

They were carrying out door to door inquiries, before a forensics team started an investigation at the house.

Shocked residents on the street described the drama. One neighbour said: "I heard people shouting and loud swearing and there was smashing glass."

Police have appealed for witnesses to contact them on 101.

By James Franklin james.franklin@dailyecho.co.uk

#### June 6th Daily Echo report

A MAN is in hospital today with serious injuries after a vicious gang attack in Southampton. Part of Milton Road in the Polygon area of the city has been taped off as forensics examine the scene of the brutal assault.

Police were called at around 6.20pm last night amid reports of an attack carried out by a group of men. It is believed that the incident started on the street before moving in to a home on the largely residential road.

The victim was left with serious facial injuries and detectives will be investigating well in to the afternoon while forensics are also examining blood stains left at the scene.

An appeal for witnesses is underway.

DS Damon Kennard, said: "This was a vicious and sustained attack that has left the victim with serious injuries.

"As a result of our inquiries, some key witnesses have been identified but I believe there are still around 10 to 15 people who saw this incident who we have yet to speak to.

"I would urge those people to come forward and talk to us. I would also like to hear from anyone who was in Milton Road before this assault took place as they may have witnessed the build up to this incident."

Police have arrested three men, two aged 24 and one aged 23

9 Wall damaged at Handel Terrace

Loud music at Newcombe 1-5 p.m.

10 Smashed bottle in Fitzhugh alley

11 Large piece of stone wall top thrown down outside HMO Harborough



**14 Loud music from two HMOs Harborough at 10 p.m.**

**19 Vomit in Fitzhugh alley**

**21 Loud music at two HMOs Harborough at 22.40**

**Girl attacked at Devonshire/Kenilworth junction at 22.30**

**24 Burglary in Morris Road**

**27 Noise from HMO Harborough at 02.00**

## **JULY**

**1 Loud music from HMO Kenilworth, and three HMOs Harborough in afternoon**

**2 Woman sexually assaulted in London Road at 23.45**

**4 Loud music at two HMOs Harborough 18.00, same at HMO Newcombe 23.00**

**5 Reports of loud music at HMOs in Milton Road recently**

**6 Loud music at HMO Newcombe**

**8 Messy gardens two HMOs Wilton Ave**

**13 Loud music from HMO Cromwell Road in afternoon**

**16 Noise from Fitzhugh HMO flat at 22.00**

**17 Reports of an 11 hour party at HMO Cromwell**

**19 Loud music from Harborough 03.00- 04.00**

**20 Phone smashed at kiosk in Henstead Road outside Churchill flats.**

**ATM slot damaged at Sainsburys Bedford Place**

**22 Loud music at HMO Newcombe at 18.00**

**23 Men shouting in back garden 05.30 at HMO Newcombe**

**27 Midnight burglary in Harborough**

## **AUGUST**



**7 Middle of night shouting in street from students at HMO Harborough**

**17 All night garden party at HMO Wilton Ave**

**31 Midnight shouting in Milton Road**

## **SEPTEMBER**

**1 Shouting, smashing of glass and wood in Milton at 03.45**

**2 Several smashed bottles in road outside 12-2 Harborough**

**6 Car wing mirror damaged in Henstead and report of much night noise from street last week.**

**10 Smashed bottle in Harborough**

**19 Loud voices and banging of front door at HMO Harborough at 04.40**

**23 Agents signs pulled up and thrown in Sandhurst and Newcombe**

**Loud music at HMO Harborough and HMO Sandhurst at 19.45, noisy return to HMO Harborough middle of night**

**25 Night noise from from two HMOs Burton Road**

**Bins over in Sandhurst and Newcombe**

**26 Bin over in Holt Road, smashed bottles Fitzhugh alley, loud music at two HMOs Harborough and at HMOs in Wilton and Devonshire**

**27 Bin kicked over in Milton Road at 03.00, garden party at HMO Wilton, girls in Milton screaming and shouting**

**29 Agents sign thrown down in Holt Road**

## **OCTOBER**

2 Observed three wooden front fences damaged and a gate knocked down on south side of Henstead Road.

3 Report of drunken students trespassing in gardens of Thorners Court at night, sat on lawn shouting.

4 23.15 Crowd of about 12 young people being noisy and shouting at junction of Milton / Holt

5 Men shouting and smashing glass at Milton / Holt junction at 03.30 and house noise/party/ loud music at HMO Holt Road at 04.30

**Burglary at HMO in Milton Road**

Report of drunken students sat around during night shouting/drinking in the private gardens of Thorners Court retirement flats in Henstead Road recently.

**Big all night party attended by police in Milton Road**

A lot of glass smashed in the road.

03.00 Three men on bicycles stole mans mobile phone and tried to rob woman of handbag in attack at Milton/Berkeley corner

7 Very loud music from HMO Harborough at 09.30

9 Pot plant taken from front garden in Burton Road

10 Car wing mirror damaged in Harborough outside my home

11 Woken by men shouting in Harborough at 02.15

12 Loud music from HMO Harboorough at 18.00

16 Police deliver flyers in Harborough Road about night time car damage

18 Smashed bottles in Sandhurst

Traffic cone placed on top of car in Sandhurst

21 After midnight break in at Morris Road house by drunken man dressed in a ballet tutu also party at HMO in Burton Road and abuse to neighbours who complained

23 Loud music at HMO Harborough at 17.00

25 Smashed garden planter on pavement in Sandhurst

26 Smashed bottles in Harborough and Handel Terrace

29 Whole front fence panel at HMO Henstead down on the pavement

## **NOVEMBER**

1 Bin knocked over outside HMO Harborough at 03.00 and same outside HMO at 04.00.

• Man had mobile phone stolen by masked and caped man in Fitzhugh alley at 03.00

• Three men rob man of phone in Wilton Ave at 14.00 .

Smashed bottles in Newcombe .

- **Loads of smashed glass in Holt Road**

**2 Echo had report on man in court for attacking 2 students during night time in Bellevue Road**

**Two bottles on the wall of Thorners Court in Henstead Road**

- **4 Bottles in Harborough**

- **8 Awoken by men shouting in road at 02.00**

**9 Bin turned upside down at 60 Harbrough during night**

**10 Woken during night by bins over at four HMOs Harborough, 1 over and four pulled out and put on walls in Kenilworth.**

**Bottles in Harborough and Devonshire.**

- **Residents Action Crime/ASB Diary Polygon and Fitzhugh Area 2011 October to December**

Oct 1

Just before 02.00 Two men with stolen roads signs, stop sign on post and square sign come from Henstead and enter Coventry Road on the east side.

04.00 Rushed out to see who was banging knocker and shouting toward Wilton Ave, loud music and shouting was coming from the upper front room at HMO Harborough.

Ambulance in road at 05.10

Report of car scratched with key in Coventry Road

Wing mirrors pulled off too numerous to report or type up in all Polygon streets for past 20 years.

Report of loud music from HMO in Devonshire Road in evening.

Loud music from upper front of HMO Harborough Road until 23.30.

1:58pm Sunday 2nd October 2011

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A YOUNG woman was raped while walking home through a Southampton park in the early hours. The 20-year-old woman from Southampton was walking alone through East Park when she was approached by a man she did not know, police said. He raped her when she refused to talk to him.

Officers were called to the scene shortly after 4am. It will remain sealed off for a forensic examination

Oct 2 Loud music from upper front room at HMO Wilton Ave at 14.00

Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> St Moores agent promised to get obscene poster removed from front window of HMO in Kenilworth

Very loud radio type sound from HMO Wilton Ave at 16.35

Police helicopter flying over Polygon /City most of afternoon.

Oct 5 Milton Road resident awoken by drunken girl student shouting at 02.40

Police called to HMO in Harborough Road at 04.45 as man tried to climb up front to open upper window.

Noisy party until 03.00 at HMO in Cromwell Road.

Daily Echo had news of night sexual assaults on girls in Bedford Place area on on Sept 21<sup>st</sup> in Vernon Walk at 00.20 and Sept 28<sup>th</sup> in Carlton Crescent.

Echo report of attack on man returning home from night club, he was punched several times and his mobile phone stolen in Newcombe Road.

Oct 6 Loud music after midnight from HMO in Harborough Road, also during night bins kicked over.

Car wing mirror damaged, belongs to long term resident in Milton Road..

Oct 7<sup>th</sup> /8<sup>th</sup> Bike stolen from family home in Devonshire Road

Oct 8 Last night loud music from two HMOs in Milton Road, long term residents went out to deal with it

Oct 9 03.30 fight and disturbance in Wilton/Harborough when noisy crowd including students had one of their group punched by a man.

Also two church advertising boards had plastic glass stolen in Devonshire Road.

Oct 11 Report of all night music last week at HMO in Sandhurst Road.

Very loud music from HMO in Cromwell Road until 23.00

Men visiting HMO in Harborough kicked over bins.

Oct 12 02.00 Road sign thrown out of top window in Harborough Road , 02.30 went to HMO in Newcombe about music, shouting crowd of visitors to two HMOs in Harborough just after, at 03.30 awoken by men shouting in Harborough

02.30 Drunken girl alone in Cromwell Road woke up residents with noisy phone call.

Solent Uni , PCSOs and police delivered booklets about students being good quiet neighbours in Polygon early evening.

Oct 13 At 00.10 and 02.10 had to go to another Harborough HMO about loud music from front of house.

Police van visit in Kenilworth and police car in Harborough during the day.

At 13.00 went to different HMO about loud music in Harborough.

All house noise is from Solent students except in Wilton Ave house.

Four visits in evening to Harborough HMO about loud music, they went out at 10.15, crowd came back 03.45 and I asked them to not play any more music.

Before this at 22.45 I went to HMO opposite in Harborough about loud music, they was a disco deck and disc jockey in the kitchen. They shut the door and kept it as quiet as they could, guests left about 4.30 and quiet but audible music finished at 05.15 on Oct 14<sup>th</sup>

Oct 14 Rude word written on car and wing mirror damaged in Devonshire road, also front gate kicked in.

All night loud music from HMO in Milton Road.

Oct 15 I had to go to two HMOs in Harborough as residents were talking and drinking in their front gardens at 02.30, I then went on to HMO in Newcombe Road where men in back garden had woken me up, I spoke to the men there, on way back at 03.05 front of house drinkers still there so I told them to go in and they did.



A drunken man came from Wilton Ave, was staggering all over the road, I got to opposite my home and found a man and woman with pants and trousers down fornicating on the front wall of an HMO, being filmed by a mobile phone held by someone hidden behind a car. The couple swore at me and shouted, very angry, they were joined by the drunken man and they all banged on the door of the HMO, more swearing at me, the resident there told them to go away, then they tried to get in HMO next door but girls there said they did not know them. The swearing couple then walked away towards Wilton Ave.

At 02.30 in Henstead Road two girls were fighting and fell down drunk outside pensioners flats Thorners Court, they were still there at 06.30 this morning.

Three night time fights among drunken girls in that road this week.

Daily Echo Saturday Review had two page article on Carnage and students, report of party in Harborough Road.

Oct 16 Police visit and man arrested at HMO all night party in Harborough Road.

Report of complaints about loud music from HMOs in Coventry Road.

Sunday morning- Milton Road resident came across students with bare bums doing photographic protest outside school. He remonstrated and they were abusive to him, then one walked all the way to the Bedford Place Co-op with his bare bum exposed.

Oct 19

During night brick wall damaged at 87 Milton and report of same at 35 Devonshire Road.

Car wing mirror cover kicked off in Harborough.

Oct 22

At 03.10 16 bins kicked over in Harborough Road.

During night men arrested for breaking into car in Devonshire Road.

Oct 23

Wing mirror damaged at Harborough /Wilton corner and wiper pulled off in Coventry, at Wilton end.

Oct 24

Bins over during night in Kenilworth and Harborough.

Oct 25

Went to Harborough HMO about loud music, noise maker argued that was only 21.00 and I had no right to complain, said they could play loudly any time they like ( but the music went off )

Noisy after 02.00 in Kenilworth

Oct 26

Woken during night by man shouting . Bins over in Kenilworth .

Oct 30

At 02.20, 03.20 and 04.30 had to go to HMO 27 Harborough about party music from disco deck in the kitchen.

Nov 1

Two agents signs uprooted and thrown on pavement in Wilton Ave.

Nov 2

Awoken by two fireworks from garden in Newcombe Road at 03.10

Nov 5

Noticed that front door at HMO 16 Kenilworth was boarded up after damage.

Nov 7

01.00 Man attacked for phone and kicked in the face in Carlton Road.

Nov 12

Seven bins kicked over in Harborough Road at 03.45.

Three agents signs pulled out of gardens.

Man seen repairing smashed window at Baptist Church, on Kenilworth Road side.

Nov 13 01.30

Several bottles rolling around and some smashed outside 51 Wilton Ave.

Report of mirror smashed in road in Fitzhugh area.

Nov 15 Two policemen visit HMO in Wilton Ave at 10.0

Nov 16 Report of burglary in Harborough Road

Shopping trolley rammed into back of car in Milton Road

Nov 18 Loud music from HMO in Sandhurst Road at 17.00

Nov 19 Went to HMO in Harborough about loud rock music at 01.00  
22.30

In Milton Road by closed down pub, drunken girl lay in road with her legs in the air, another girl stood by holding bottle of beer, young man took down trousers and put his bum into the face of the girl on the road.

Nov 20 Noisy arrival of group at 02.45 and an hour of audible music at HMO 27 Harborough Road .

Later woken by man passing along road shouting and kicking bin.

Nov 21/22

Wheelie bin set on fire in Wilton Ave between Harborough and Newcombe.

Very loud night time music started at 22.30 and party at HMO in Kenilworth Road.

Loud afternoon music from HMO in Sandhurst Road.

Report on pavement barriers thrown all over the road in Newcombe.

Nov 23

Police came to HMO 27 Harborough approx 03.00 after group of men gone round back / one had tried to open front door with a strip of plastic taken from front garden at 29.

Nov 27

Nov 28

Report that two cars had smashed windows in Wilton Ave, outside houses 23 and 47, photos taken .

Dec 7 03.30

Dec 10 Car windscreen wiper off in Wilton Ave

Dec 11

Dec 14 Bins over in Kenilworth and Harborough

Noise in Harborough approx 03.00 by residents and visitors at HMO

Dec 22 Crime scene taped off outside 2 HMOs in Devonshire Road.

Two men had jumped on girl as she entered and sprayed her face, then ran off. There had been a burglary at same house the week before.

Dec 23 Settee taken from garden and dumped on pavement in Wilton Ave, also bins over and signs pulled out of gardens in Newcombe. Road

Dec 30

Awoken by loud music from HMO in Harborough Road at 00.40 and kept awake for an hour.

Bin kicked over at junction of Kenilworth and Harborough.

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- End of diaries for part of 2011, and 2012, 2013, 2014

Lorraine Barter 42 Harborough Road Polygon Southampton SO15 2FY

## Jeffery, Andy

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**From:** Residents Action <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** 24 August 2015 17:41  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Objection evidence for Cricketers Arms Carlton Place.

Objection to extended hours at The Cricketers Arms Carlton Place extension of hours.

The proposed extra time drinking and any resulting potential actions on local streets would be contrary to the licensing objectives, Prevention of Public Nuisance, Prevention of Crime and Disorder, and Public safety.

The evidence provided here is in support of the Cumulative Impact Policy which is supposed to prevent more bars and clubs opening and extended hours at others. It was used to prevent a bar in Southampton Street opposite the side of Cricketers ( behind the bar Seymours.)

Will the Cricketers garden be open until 02.00 and 03.00 ? There are flats opposite ( St James ).

I was disappointed to see the Panel award later hours at other nearby bars since CIP was introduced.

I do have permission from the Echo Editor to copy and paste articles to back up my contention that this area has violent night time incidents, and this email has already been sent to and acknowledged by Licensing.

However I have just heard that these articles and those sent previously may not be accepted after all, if that is the case please inform me so that I can type out the dates /locations of the crimes in time to get it all in before the closing date. The website is faulty and says the public cannot write in, has been since middle of July , but there are ways round these obstructions for the determined objector.

Sorry about gaps in type ( removed adverts ) although I was not able not take out the photos of footballer and night club.

Lorraine Barter 42 Harborough Road Polygon Southampton.

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Jenny Makin, Deputy News Editor / Friday 31 May 2013 / Southampton

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TWO men have been questioned by detectives investigating a grievous attack that left a man unconscious on the ground.

As reported by the *Daily Echo* yesterday, the 29-year-old victim was left with a bleed on the brain and spent several days in hospital after being assaulted outside a pizza shop.

The incident happened on the street outside Pizza GoGo in Bedford Place, Southampton, moments after the victim had ordered takeaway food before stepping outside the store.



Two men are understood to have been involved in the attack in which he was punched in the face twice before he fell to the ground.

He was left unconscious as the pair left the scene.

Police have now confirmed that following an appeal to find two men pictured in

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5 October 2011 Last updated at 15:26

Detectives have released CCTV footage of a man thought to be responsible for two attacks on women in Southampton.

A 21-year-old victim was forced to the floor by a man in Vernon Walk, an alleyway next to the Orange Rooms bar, at 00:45 on Wednesday 21 September.

The victim was sexually assaulted but she managed to fight free by punching and kicking the man, who then ran off.

A 19-year-old was indecently assaulted over her clothing by a man in Carlton Crescent at 02:15 on 28 September.

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Reviewed 30 July 2012 The Cricketers 34 Carlton Place.

This traditional pub is situated near the legal centre of Southampton and is clearly popular with locals. Inside the pub is old fashioned with patterned carpet and dark tables and chairs. The staff are young, friendly and pretty laid back.

Outside there is seating area in the rear yard, it consists of one long bench which you share with other patrons. There is a large parasol giving some protection from the weather.


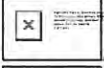
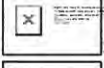

There is a good choice on the menu and we chose chili chips which came in a huge bowl, The chili was quite hot but tasty. Nearby people had ordered scampi and chips and a very nice looking crayfish and mango salad.

We ordered our food and drinks at the bar and for two drinks and two bowls of chili the bill was £11 which was quite reasonable. The food arrived quickly along with cutlery and a basket of various sauces.

There is a small ladies toilet which is clean but looks a bit jaded.

If you want to try a traditional pub then this is as authentic as any you will find and the place has a great atmosphere.

- Visited July 2012

- o  Value
- o  Atmosphere
- o  Service
- o  Food

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4 September 2013 01:53 pm

**A man was put in hospital with a bleed in his brain after a serious assault outside Junk.**

Police are investigating the incident which occurred on Bedford Place outside the back entrance to Junk, just after midnight on the morning of Friday 30th August. A 19 year old man was punched to the ground and had to be taken to Southampton General Hospital.

It is believed that the offender was then involved in a larger fight with several other people. Detectives want to locate a group of Asian men who were in the area at the time and may have been approached by the offender and his friends.

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Southampton police are appealing for witnesses to come forward who can help them with their investigation.

They are particularly keen to talk to a woman with long blonde hair, who wore a short skirt or shorts, and the man who was with her. This couple were seen leaving Junk at the time and could have vital information for the police.

*Anyone with information is asked to contact DC Abigail Leeson at Shirley CID on 101 or call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 55*



Luke Tugby, Senior reporter / Thursday 21 March 2013 / News

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A Southampton man suffered serious head injuries and needed multiple stitches after being glassed at a city centre bar.

A 22-year-old required 17 stitches after he was involved in a brawl at Bedfords Bar and cafe, in Bedford Place.

The man was rushed to Southampton General Hospital following the incident on Saturday night.

Police have now launched a manhunt to find his attacker and have appealed for anyone who was in the bar between 11pm and midnight to come forward.

Detectives are particularly keen to hear from anyone who saw two men fighting near the pool table and the subsequent glassing incident.

Detective Sergeant Dave Brunnsden said: "This was a very serious incident which caused substantial injury to the victim.

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"Witness information is vital to our enquiry and I would urge anyone who saw what happened to come forward to help us."

Anyone with information should contact Det Sgt Brunnsden at Southampton Central police station on 101.

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Police at the scene of the alleged rape in Watts Park



James Maden, News and Video Reporter / Friday 27 August 2010 / News

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DETECTIVES are appealing for help in finding a man who raped a teenager in a Southampton park.

Police say the 18-year-old girl had been out with friends but was attacked after becoming separated from the group in Watts Park.

Yesterday three large areas of the popular city centre park were sealed off as specialist forensic officers hunted for clues.

The young woman told police she was sexually assaulted just before midnight on Tuesday, but did not report it until Wednesday.

Detectives spent yesterday quizzing a 19-year-old Fareham man about the attack.

He was last night released on police bail, pending further inquiries.

Detective Sergeant Chris Yates, Shirley CID, said: "This was an attack on a young 18-year-old girl who had been out enjoying an evening with friends but had unfortunately managed to get herself separated from her group."

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**19 March 2015** Last updated at 13:26 GMT

A man has been jailed for five years for biting the top of a man's finger off during a drunken brawl.

Paul Rowe, 28, of Aldermoor Road, Southampton, bit Sam Mulhall's finger in a fight outside a nightclub. He was sentenced at Southampton Crown Court for wounding with intent to cause grievous bodily harm, assault by beating and damaging public property.

Up to 20 people were involved in the fight in London Road in December 2013.



Jon Reeve, Education Reporter / Tuesday 5 October 2010 / News

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A DRUNKARD has been caught on camera urinating on Southampton's war memorial, during a student pub crawl.

The image was captured during a controversial organised bar crawl through the city centre.

He was one of 1,000 boozed-up students taking part in the Carnage event to coincide with Freshers' Week at Southampton's two universities.

As they made their way towards the final destination, Squares, the young man stopped to urinate on the Cenotaph in Watts Park, which bears the name of hundreds of heroes who died in the first and second world wars.

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The man was walking past Junk Nightclub on London Road, Southampton, at 1.10am on Wednesday, July 27. He stopped to speak with a group of people who were stood by the post boxes and bicycle storage area when he was punched in the face by an unknown man.

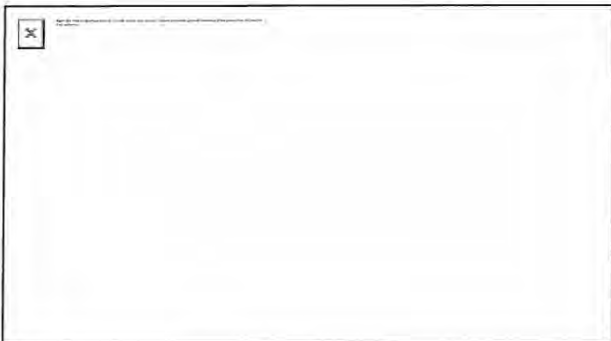
Police have issued a CCTV image of a man they would like to speak to in connection with the incident.

**Anyone who may have witnessed the incident or believes they are able to identify the man in the CCTV image should contact PC Tracey Purcell at Southampton Central police station on 101 or the Crimestoppers charity line anonymously on 0800 555 111.**

August 19th 2011

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- 2 September 2011
- From the section



**Southampton footballer Dan Seaborne has suffered serious head injuries in an attack outside a nightclub in the city.**

Seaborne, 24, was found collapsed on the pavement outside Junk nightclub, London Road, in the early hours.

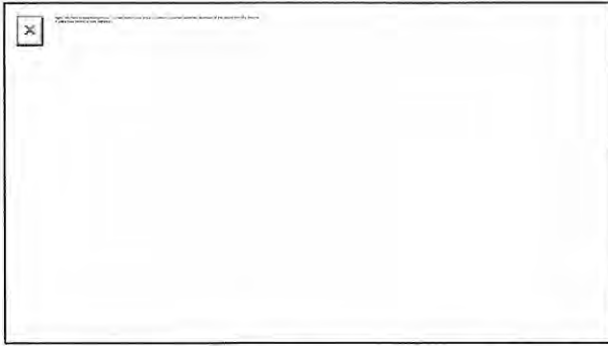
The defender, who signed from Exeter last year, was treated by paramedics before being taken to hospital. Hampshire Constabulary said he was found with "serious and potentially life-threatening" injuries and that two men, aged 35 and 29, had been arrested.

Southampton General Hospital said it was a "police matter" but that Seaborne was now in a serious but stable condition.

The area around the nightclub has been cordoned off.

A police spokesman said: "Investigating officers are trying to establish the circumstances that led to the man sustaining the injuries.

"Although they have identified a number of witnesses they are appealing for others to come forward."



Southampton FC said they could confirm Seaborne had suffered "a significant head injury and is in hospital under close observation".

They said his condition was "currently stable" and he was "showing signs of improvement".

Exeter City have sent the player their best wishes.

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Thursday 22 March 2012 / News

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13 comments

A MAN was left with a stab wound after being attacked in London Road, Southampton.

The victim, a 20 year old man from London, was taken to Southampton General Hospital where police were called on Tuesday

He was described as having minor injuries and was discharged from hospital yesterday.

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A cordon was set up around the Junk nightclub where officers understand the man had been with friends earlier in the evening.

Anyone with information about the incident is asked to contact Hampshire police on 101.

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Sunday 4 March 2012/

A Southampton man suffered serious facial injuries after being assaulted in a popular city centre nightspot.

Police are appealing for information after the victim was attacked in Kelly's Bar, in London Road, at around 12.30am this morning.

The 30-year-old man was assaulted following a disagreement between three men.

He was taken to Southampton General Hospital for treatment and will now require plastic surgery. DC Martin Brewer, from Shirley CID, said: "This was a horrific attack which has left the victim in need of plastic surgery to his face.

"I'd appeal for anyone who saw the attack, or the argument leading up to it, to call us as soon as possible.

"This was a busy nightspot and the attack happened at a central location within the bar, so we're aware that there were a number of independent witnesses. Anyone with information is asked to contact Shirley CID..

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Police in Southampton are appealing for witnesses after a man was attacked and robbed. It happened between 03.00 and 03.00 at Bedford Place in the city centre on April 11th.



An 18 year old man was sitting on a low wall opposite the Sainsbury's store when he was punched in the head; causing him to fall backwards.

He was punched a further five times and had his head stamped upon. His mobile phone was taken and his attacker made off along Henstead Road, off of Bedford Place.

The robber is described as: Male Late teens to early 20s 5ft 10 Short blonde hair, cropped at the sides Slim build.

The victim was treated in hospital for his injuries.

Detective Constable John Goulbourne is investigating: "We'd like to hear from anyone who saw this unprovoked attack.

"Did you see anything suspicious as you walked home from a night out?"

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3:01pm Thursday 10th October 2013

By Dan Kerins

POLICE are searching for a couple following an assault which left a man with a bleed on the brain.

Officers say they are looking for "a blonde woman in short shorts or a short skirt and the man with her" who left a Southampton nightclub at the time of the attack.

They have released this CCTV image of the couple, who were seen leaving a club at the time the victim was punched and it is thought they could have vital information.

**As previously reported by the *Daily Echo***, shortly after midnight on the morning of Friday, August 30, a 19-year-old Locks Heath man was punched to the ground near the rear entrance of Junk nightclub at the corner of Winchester and Salisbury Streets, Southampton.

The victim was treated at Southampton General Hospital, where it was discovered he suffered a bleed on the brain.

It is believed the offender then became involved in a larger fight with several other people. Detectives want to locate a group of Asian men who were in the area at the time and may have been approached by the offender and his friends.

Police are appealing for contact from anyone who was in the area at the time of the assault. Detective Constable Abigail Leeson said: "There were many people in the street at the time of the incident, watching what was going on. If this was you, please come forward."

Anyone with information is asked to contact DC Leeson at Shirley CID on 101 or to ring the anonymous Crimestoppers charity line on 0800 555 111.

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She made her way along Bedford Place sometime between 1.20 and 2am on Monday May 7. She then turned into Wilton Avenue where two young men made admiring comments to her which she ignored. As she walked further down the road she was grabbed by the arm and pulled into a front garden of a house or possibly an alleyway. There she was sexually assaulted by a man who then stopped and walked back down Wilton Avenue towards Hill Lane.

The man who carried out the attack is described as: White, 6 foot 1 inches tall, and slim. I was wearing a grey hooded top, with a white zip, he also had a dark coloured jacket or top over the top of the grey hooded top.

Officers are now appealing for witnesses. I

t's known there were lots of people in the area at that time and it's thought likely some of these people may have seen what happened or the man involved.

Officers are also keen to speak to the two young men who made complimentary comments to the women as she went past them at the junction of Bedford Place and Wilton Avenue as it's likely they are important witnesses.

They are asking them or anyone else who may have seen what happened to contact them.

Officers are also advising people - where possible - to always walk home at night with friends.  
**They should call the Western Area CID Team at Southampton Central Police Station on 101 or call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.**

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Julian Robinson, Eastleigh Chief Reporter / Sunday 13 March 2011 / News

A MAN is in hospital with serious head injuries this morning after an attack outside a Southampton nightclub.

The victim, in his 20s, was on a night out with friends when he was knocked to the ground outside 90 Degrees in CarlHe was taken to Southampton General Hospital where his condition is currently described as serious but non life-threatening.

This morning part of the road was cordoned off for forensic examinations and an urgent appeal has been launched for witnesses.

Police, who were called at 1.50am, say an altercation had taken place with another group of men at the scene.

DC Charlie Rimmer, who is leading the investigation, said an incident may have taken place earlier in the evening between the bar and the nearby Junk nightclub.

A large number of revellers were asked for their version of events last night and an urgent appeal has been launched for witnesses.

Two men in their 20s have been arrested following the assault and are being questioned by police.

Witnesses should contact police on 0845 0454545 or call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555111.

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21-year-old was accosted in Handel Road and has his phone and wallet stolen

Gang of thieves rob Southampton man in late-night attack



Emily Ford, Reporter / Tuesday 13 January 2015 / News

THREE men attacked a Southampton man as he walked home.

The 21-year-old was walking through Handel Road when three men approached him. The men demanded the victim hand over his wallet before pushing him to the floor and pinning him down to take his phone and wallet - which had £30 inside.

Hampshire police are appealing for witnesses to the incident which occurred on Saturday, January 10 between 1.30am and 2am.

Two of the men are described as Asian with one about 5ft 6ins tall, scrawny build and about 20-years-old, the second was around the same age but shorter and a bigger build.

The third man is described as Eastern European between 18 and 20-years-old and the group ran away with cash, a bank card, rail card and HTC mobile phone.

Anyone with information about the robbery can contact DC Louise Daniels at Southampton CID on 101 or the anonymous Crimestoppers charity on 0800 555 111.



One year on from a vicious attack on a 21-year-old woman which left her virtually blind detectives in Southampton are renewing their appeal for witnesses. Three women were attacked outside a popular nightclub 'POP' in Vernon Walk.

One of the women, Varenka Guillermprieto, now 22, suffered a stroke after the attack and has been left totally blind in one eye and with very little vision in the other.

All three victims were in their early 20s. It was a student night event at the club at the time. The attacks happened at around 12.40am on Wednesday, May 18, 2011.

Anyone who saw the assaults or has any information about what happened is asked to call DC Gaita at Southampton Central Police Station on 101 or call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

Last updated Fri 18 Jul 2014

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Wednesday, July 22nd 2015 00:00

A fight outside a Southampton nightclub's injured two men, including one who was knocked unconscious Can you help to identify these men after a serious assault on Lower Banister Street, Southampton, early on Sunday morning?

Sometime around 2am, two men were involved in an altercation with another two men near to an alleyway outside of Popworld.

A 24-year-old man and a 29-year-old man both suffered injuries to their faces, one was knocked unconscious and was left with a fractured skull.

The two men that police would like to speak to are described as:

- Aged in their twenties.
  - Around 6ft tall.
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14 March 2012

- From the section [Hampshire & Isle of Wight](#)

Students are being warned after a series of sex attacks on young women walking alone in Southampton. In 12 cases similar descriptions have been given of the attacker and detectives are keeping an open mind over whether some of them are linked.

The latest victim, 20, was sexually assaulted. Days earlier, three other women were attacked in nine-hours. Southampton University is encouraging female students to join a scheme which provides taxis paid for on account.

The most recent attack took place in St Denys Road on 8 March.

The victim was grabbed from behind and pushed to the ground by a man in an alleyway.

He threatened her saying he had a knife, then sexually assaulted her before fleeing as he heard voices approaching.

**'Severely traumatised'**

The victim described her attacker as 5ft 8in but said his face was covered. He spoke with, what is described as a foreign accent and was wearing a leather or hard material black jacket.

Det Sgt Tom Orchard said: "This is a distressing offence for anyone to endure and has, understandably, left this woman severely traumatised.

"We would also like to remind anyone walking alone, especially at night, to be constantly aware of their surroundings and to contact us immediately to report anything or anyone they consider to be suspicious."

Three lone women were indecently assaulted as they walked in the city between 22:00 GMT on 28 February and 07:00 on 29 February.

The assaults occurred in Banister Road, Governor Road, and in the city centre close to the Matalan store. All three victims gave similar descriptions.

The woman who was assaulted in Banister Road believes her attacker held a knife against her.

## 'Personal safety'

A number of attacks occurred between late Tuesday evening and early Wednesday morning, which is one of the city's most popular student nights, but police have not confirmed the same person is responsible. Speaking after the attack on 8 March, Det Sgt Tom Orchard added: "We are keeping an open mind about this assault and are unable to say whether it is linked to other recent incidents of indecent assault against women in Southampton."

A University of Southampton spokesman said all issues regarding student safety are treated with "utmost importance" so students are being reminded of appropriate measures to ensure their safety.

"In light of recent incidents which have occurred within the city, we have taken proactive steps to remind students about personal safety issues through a variety of means," he said.

A Southampton Rape Crisis spokeswoman said: "We understand that when there are reports of this nature within our local community it can cause increased anxiety.

"We would want to encourage people to give thought, as much as they can, to how they might take care of themselves and each other.

"For example, when planning nights out, having arrangements for how to get home, sticking with a trusted group of friends and keeping alcohol intake low can help keep people safer."

Anyone with information is asked to contact Hampshire Constabulary.

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A man's been charged over a sex attack on a woman in Southampton's Bedford Place.

Detectives investigating an allegation of sexual assault on a 21 year old woman in Bedford Place, Southampton, in the early hours of Wednesday, May 30, have charged a man.

Sabir Yaqbi, 25, of York Close, Southampton, has been charged with Sexual Assault on a Female under the Sexual Offences Act 2003.

Mr Yaqbi is due to appear at Southampton Magistrates Court today - Thursday, May 31.

Meanwhile, detectives are continuing their investigations in connection with a similar assault against a 19 year old woman in Palmerston Park, in the early hours of Tuesday, May 29.

Read more at <http://www.heart.co.uk/southcoast/news/local/man-arrested-over-southampton-sex-attacks/#DbmZ0sE6YYrpW2re.99>

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Tuesday 25 March 2014 / [News](#)

A MAN was left with a fractured cheekbone and a broken thumb following a late night attack in [Southampton](#).

The 20-year-old victim is believed to have been attacked in Bedford Place while he was walking with friends to get a taxi, between 1.30 and 2am on Friday night.

They saw a group of men and women across the road shouting at them, before a woman from the group came towards them.

The next thing the victim recalls is waking up about 30 minutes later having been assaulted.

His injuries include a broken thumb which has required wiring and metal rods, a hairline fracture on his right cheekbone, a sprained neck, and bruising to his face.

The victim was treated in hospital for his injuries.

Detectives are keen to speak to potential witnesses who may be able to provide a detailed description of the group of men and women seen on the other side of the road.

Anyone with any information about the assault is asked to contact TDC Lucy Stewart at [Shirley CID](#) on 101 or via [Hampshire Constabulary website](#) or via the anonymous Crimestoppers line on 0800 555 111.


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## Police investigate Bedford Place assault in Southampton.

Published: Tuesday, March 25, 2014

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### Police are investigating after an assault in Southampton which left a 20-year-old man with injuries to his face and hand.

 Sometime between 1am and 2.30am on Friday, March 14, the victim is understood to have been attacked at Bedford Place while he was walking with friends to get a taxi. They saw a group of men and women across the road shouting at them. A woman from the group came towards them. The next thing the victim recalls is waking up about 30 minutes later having been assaulted.

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- From the section Hampshire & Isle of Wight

Detectives have released CCTV footage of a man thought to be responsible for two attacks on women in Southampton.

A 21-year-old victim was forced to the floor by a man in Vernon Walk, an alleyway next to the Orange Rooms bar, at 00:45 BST on 21 September.

The victim was sexually assaulted but she managed to fight free by punching and kicking the man, who then ran off.

A 19-year-old was indecently assaulted by a man in Carlton Crescent at 02:15 BST on 28 September.

It is believed she had been followed for some distance by the man beforehand, police said.

## **Screamed out**

Both victims were attacked in an area of the city that is popular with students on Tuesday nights.

Officers want to trace a group of young men and women who were standing by a white car in Carlton Crescent on 21 September and spoke to the first victim while she was being followed by the attacker.

The victim in the second incident told police two men came to her aid when she screamed out during the attack in Carlton Crescent.

Hampshire Constabulary is appealing for all of these witnesses to come forward, along with anyone else who may have information about the attacks.

## **End of Articles Lorraine Barter**



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**From:** Residents Action [REDACTED]  
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## Alcohol Policy UK

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### Stronger alcohol policy needed to protect ambulance staff, says Balance

Posted: 24 Aug 2015 08:04 AM PDT



Almost half of North East paramedics have been subjected to alcohol-fuelled physical assaults whilst on duty, [according to Balance North East](#).

The regional alcohol group conducted a survey with more than 350 paramedics working for the North East Ambulance Service (NEAS). Two in five of the paramedics surveyed have been sexually assaulted or harassed by drunk patients and members of the public.

Results from the survey also found:

- More than 9 in 10 NEAS paramedics feel that dealing with alcohol-related call outs places an unnecessary burden on their time and resources.
- Two-thirds of paramedics said alcohol-related incidences accounted for at least half of their workload during weekend evenings.
- Two-thirds of paramedics stated that they felt at risk of physical assault when working in the night time economy.
- 9 in 10 have been threatened at least once and almost half six or more times.
- Two-thirds of paramedics stated that in excess of 75% of call-outs for assault were alcohol-related.

As well as the [report \[pdf\]](#), Balance also highlighted a number of case studies within the [press release](#).

#### **A case for action?**

Balance have continually campaigned for firmer alcohol policy such as minimum pricing and tighter advertising and availability, with much [previous work](#) focusing on the need to protect children. Balance say the NHS picks up around a quarter of the £911 million cost of alcohol harms to the region, as well as the personal impact on front line staff.

Whilst the North East may also be amongst the worst affected regions, earlier this year a report by researchers at the University of Bath estimated the costs of binge drinking to the UK at £4.9 million. It calculated that binge drinking increases the average number of daily injury-related A&E admissions by 8% (equivalent to 2,504 additional daily admissions nationally), as well as the impact on policing and road incidents. Add to this the wider impacts to the economy and the estimated £21 billion cost to society figure for England outweighs its tax revenue.

However those wanting to see MUP and other controls are still likely to have their campaigning work cut out. Despite the national Public Health England behind MUP, most would not back it to be instated by the new Government given the coalition's record.

On the other hand, the Home Secretary's last stated position was that she was "not rejecting MUP – merely delaying it until we have conclusive evidence that it will be effective." Meanwhile the next step in Scotland's MUP legal battle will be an opinion of the Advocate General, expected to be delivered 3rd September according to SHAAP.

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## Jeffery, Andy

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**From:** Residents Action <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** 26 August 2015 10:19  
**To:** Licensing; Jeffery, Andy  
**Subject:** Objection /dates of violent acts for Cricketers Carlton Place objection

As I have still not heard if you will accept copies of crime incidents from Daily Echo even though I have permission to copy from the Editor I have had to go to the trouble of typing out the dates of violent assaults during night time hours in the area nearby to Cricketers, bearing in mind that these are just one ones I have found, or found out about.

The violence in the area and night time and noise shows that the CIP Policy should be strongly upheld, as the extra hours and resulting actions would be contrary to the Licensing objectives, Prevention of Crime and Disorder, Public Nuisance and a threat to Public safety.

Violent assaults on person/persons in Bedford Place on:  
28.04.03. 30.10.06 25.09.10 28.02.11 01.03.13 14.03.13  
31.05.13 10.11.13 14.03.14 plus three more in recent years, regret year dates lost through constant copy/paste.

Carlton Place : 01.12.09 12.12.10 13.03.11

Vernon Walk : 05.10.07 22.09.10 30.12.10 18.05.11 05.10.11 31.11.12. 19.08.15

London Road : 07.02.09 19.08.11 02.09.11 04.03.12 Inside a bar 22.03.12 19.03.15 Inside a club

Lower Banister Street : 22.07.15

Watts Park : 27.08.10 05.10.10 29.07.15

Furthermore, it should be known that as well as the St James Flats and student flats in Southampton Street where the pub is situated on the corner, there are eight flats at Number 8 Southampton Street, very close to the back of the pub .

Heard that closed down offices at end of road will also be flats.

Having been told that I must write down in advance what I wish to say on the day of the hearing I shall speak on the local nighttime situation and compare the applicants attempt to mitigate problems with the efforts of other bar owners .

Thanking you

Lorraine Barter 42 Harborough Road Polygon Southampton SO15 2FY



**Jeffery, Andy**

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**From:** Residents Action <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** 28 August 2015 10:45  
**To:** Licensing; Jeffery, Andy  
**Subject:** More on objection to Cricketers extended hours. dhours

Evidence for objection to Cricketers Arms.

August 28th 2015 Daily Echo

TWO Southampton men will appear at Southampton accused of a late-night city centre attack. Mark McMullan, 29, and Craig Lyons, 30, allegedly inflicted grievous bodily harm near Bedford Place in Southampton early on July 19. McMullan, of Deeping Close, Southampton, and Lyons, of Heathfield Road, Southampton, did not enter a plea at a short hearing.

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Both were given conditional bail to appear at crown court on September 18. UNQUOTE

**You have had since Monday to tell me if these article copies are being accepted, you know I have permission from the Echo to do that (make copies for this purpose )**

**Why have you not answered me ?**

**The website still says "no comments taken from the public ", it is ever going to be fixed ?**

**Lorraine Barter 42 Harborough Road Polygon Southampton SO15 2FY.**

**Jeffery, Andy**

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**From:** Residents Action [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 05 September 2015 15:32  
**To:** Licensing; [REDACTED] y  
**Subject:** Cricketers Arms Objection points/speaking at hearing

Cricketers Arms Carlton Road

As part of my objection I give you notice of my requirement to speak on content included in the Consultation Draft Statement on Licensing Policy that I have recently received by email.

Whilst I am not quoting figures I have a statement/opinion about the changing way of reporting crime and ASB by the public and reason why statistics are what they are.

As I do not know until the hearing if the applicants representative will mention this matter, I need to give you prior warning of my intentions.

I believe that I have mentioned already that I will be speaking about viewed night time CCTV footage in Polygon roads, however here it is again for complete clarity.

Thanking you

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**Jeffery, Andy**

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**From:** Steve Eddy <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** 19 August 2015 15:14  
**To:** Licensing; Planning  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** cricketers 2015/02469/01SPRV

I object most strongly to any variation in later opening times for the cricketers as the noise and rowdiness at night is already bad enough, without it being later and us being deprived of even more sleep. they have an outside smoking area to the rear of the premises and even when they talk Quietly the noise rises up and over the rooftops to our bedroom windows. The Rowdiness is legend in the south of England and that is why they flock here from Portsmouth/Bournemouth etc

With the recent additions and more to follow of the residential flats being built it would have a detrimental effect to many peoples lives. There is an abundance of late night venues which the police are already stretched to handle and it will end up as a free for all if allowed to happen.

Some of the present established places already flout the rules with Vodka Revolution flouting the planning rules every warm evening by allowing drinkers on the roof way after the planning times allowed sometimes beyond midnight. I am sure that if allowed the whole area will regret allowing it to happen.

Regards

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**From:** pauline.eddy [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 19 August 2015 15:26  
**To:** Licensing  
**Cc:** residents.action@live.co.uk  
**Subject:** objection to Cricketers change of hours 2015/02469/01SPRV

Dear sir or madam,

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Some of the present established places already flout the rules with Vodka Revolution flouting the planning rules every warm evening by allowing drinkers on the roof way after the planning times allowed sometimes beyond midnight. I am sure that if allowed the whole area will regret allowing it to happen. I would also like to add we are the Council tax paying residents who actually live here so please listen to us.

Regards

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**From:** Stewart Morris [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 13 August 2015 19:37  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Cricketers Arms Carlton Place OBJECTION

Objection to extended hours to 02.00 and 03.00 at Cricketers Arms Carlton Place

#### PUBLIC SAFETY

As a long term Polygon resident since 1985 I strongly object to the attempt by Cricketers to add to the street mayhem and danger to the public by letting their clients out at these later hours. An extra hours drinking can make bad behaviour more likely and it is inconsiderate to add to the nuisance. See next paragraph re Road Closure please.

#### THE PREVENTION OF CRIME AND DISORDER

This could be almost impossible due to added number of people in Carlton Place near to the crowded junction at Banister Street, in fact a few years ago the Council and police were going to close the road at night by the Carlton Place crossing to prevent revellers being run over by any passing cars. This showed proven drunken and uncontrolled behaviour at this point. However the Polygon residents and local shopkeepers objected and the idea was dropped. There have been numerous local newspaper reports of violent night time crime in the vicinity and this proposal is likely to add to that danger.

#### PREVENTION OF PUBLIC NUISANCE

At the Police/ Residents meetings in the local church I have heard from a Banister St flat dweller of constant urination, opening of the bowels of drunken revellers on his step, saw photos of the glass front door of his flats smashed, at the same time I saw smashed glass door at club Roxx- now closed - and the offices off Posh Pads at the north end of Upper Banister Street also had their window broken. A customer in nearby shop spoke of a man being attacked at night opposite the Cricketers pub and there was blood on the pavement next morning.

#### PROTECTION OF CHILDREN FROM HARM

Realise that this means physical harm however it is also harmful to school children to suffer sleep deprivation on a long term basis, in fact many families have moved out of Polygon for this reason.

Wish to add a point on any door staff, applicants always state that no drunken people are allowed in but the door managers cannot stop them getting OUT, due to the location of the pub the door staff will see their patrons swallowed up in the passing crowd, no way of knowing if anti social behaviour occurs or any way of stopping it, or if the pub patrons are in any danger.

It is well known that bar staff do serve until patrons are really drunk, if not then where do all the drunks come from ?

CCTV does not prevent nuisance in fact the installation gives the applicant and Panel a good excuse to ignore objection evidence and assure the Council and objectors that no nuisance will be caused.

Keeping an accident/incident book and toilet checking , serving soft drinks towards closing hour has not prevented drunken street nuisance in the past and the Panel should give any such suggestion scant consideration.

#### PRE LOADING

Some applicants claim that patrons fuel up on booze on the way to the venue, I know this does happen as we citizens see the bottles, some smashed in the roads and pavements, however it is the second part /later hours of the drinking session that sends the clients over the limit into bad or dangerous behaviour. Before the Government stopped Polygon residents from objecting to licences due to the vicinity rule ( a ten year period ) I would go out at night and see not too bad behaviour up until about midnight but then become increasingly bad after 0.100 and positively disgusting /dangerous by 02.00/03.00. Bearing in mind that at this period most drinking holes closed at 02.00 or 03.00.

The area has become more dangerous at night according to what I read in the local press. Not knowing the the pub would want to extend hours naturally I have not been out to view the patrons leaving. I merely wish to add more weight to the possibility of a refusal due to the imposed CIP Policy and see if it is does protect the residents from harm or is it just "window dressing " ?

As far back as 1999 restaurant 2a Bedford Place was refused a bar licence due to proven night time drunken behaviour in the vicinity.

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