

**WITNESS STATEMENT****Criminal Procedure Rules, r 27.2; Criminal Justice Act 1967, s. 9; Magistrates' Courts Act 1980, s.5B****Crime No.****URN**

Statement of Mark Swallow

Age if under 18 Over 18 (if over 18 insert "over 18")

Occupation Police Licensing Officer 60264.

This statement (consisting of 2 page(s) each signed by me) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that, if it is tendered in evidence, I shall be liable to prosecution if I have wilfully stated in it anything which I know to be false, or do not believe to be true.

**Signature: M.Swallow.** (witness)**Date 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2024.**Tick if witness evidence is visually recorded ☐ (supply witness details on rear)

I am Police Licensing Officer 60264 Mark Swallow of the West Midlands Police currently stationed at Lloyd House Police Station.

Following negotiations with the premises license holder from the Belle View Public House. 289, Icknield Port Road, Birmingham. B16 0AG premises license number 4773 an agreed position has been reached.

That is for the following conditions to be added to the premises license:

1. CCTV that is approved by West Midlands police and able to capture images particularly outside under conditions of low lighting will be fitted in the premises. Images will be retained for a period of at least 31 days and will be made available to any of the responsible authorities to view or copies produced on request. If for any reason the CCTV hard drive needs to be replaced the previous / old hard drive will be kept on site for a minimum of 31 days and made immediately available to any of the responsible authorities on request. The CCTV system will be checked once each week to ensure that it is in working order. The identity of the checker and the result of the check will be noted in the incident log and signed off by the DPS.
2. A new DPS will be appointed for the premises. This application will be submitted within 14 days and until then the person identified will have the powers of a DPS.
4. There will be no regulated entertainment in the beer garden/ smoking area at the premises after 2200 hours
5. Access to the garden only to be permitted via the premises itself.
6. Licensable activities to be permitted until 2300
7. The premises will be free of all members of the public by 2330.

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8. All staff will receive training in the Licencing Act 2003 and the Licencing objectives. No staff will work at the premises until this training has been completed and the required refreshments have been completed. Refresher training should take place once a year.

9. All staff Licencing Act 2003 and Licencing Objective training will be documented and signed by both the trainer and trainee. No staff to work at the premises until this training has been completed. Training records to be made available to any of the responsible authorities on request. All training records will be retained for a period of 1 year.

10. The premises will not re-open till all of the above are in place.

West Midlands Police request and recommend that these conditions be added to the premises license as they will promote the licensing objectives and will prevent an incident as has triggered these proceedings from occurring again.M.Swallow.

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Signature witnessed by .....