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Form for Applying for a Summary Licence Review**Application for the review of a premises licence under section 53A of the Licensing Act 2003**
(premises associated with serious crime, serious disorder or both)**PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST**

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

Use additional sheets if necessary.

Insert name and address of relevant licensing authority and its reference number:Name: **Southwark Licensing Team**

Address:

3rd Floor 160 Tooley StreetPost town: **Southwark**

Post code:

SE1 2QH

Ref. No.:

I Police Constable Graham White

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

1. Premises details

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

The K-Che VIP Latin Club, First Floor, 516 Old Kent Road,Post town: **London**Post code:
(if known)**SE1 5BA****2. Premises licence details**

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

The K-CHE VIP CLUB Limited

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

850808**3. Certificate under section 53A(1)(b) of the Licensing Act 2003 (Please read guidance note 1)**

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

Please tick the box to confirm:

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

(Please read guidance note 2)

On Saturday the 30st November 2019 at approximately 03:00 fight started inside the premises the victim was close to DJ booth. It appears he was knocked unconscious and believes was struck with a bottle due to serious injuries sustained. Police were not called by the venue and the victim was allowed to leave with no first aid or internevtion bleeding with a serious facial injry. The injuries required a number stitches to his upper lep and nostril and will possibly require plastic surgery reconstruction of his broken nose.

The report crime report was made to the station officer at Walworth police station at 20.13hrs that evening. Police records have been checked and no call for police or ambulance was made from the premises. The victim phoned the club that day asking about CCTV and they confirmed they did have CCTV and would not do anything unless police requested it and put the phone down on him.

On initial investigation the premises licence was suspended in May and the venue was operating without a licence since then. Warning letters had been sent to venue and the registered address of the licence holder informing them they should not operate on the 9th May 2019.

Previous History.

On Saturday the 1st September 2018 at 04.00hrs a fight started inside the premises and security removed all parties from the venue, once outside two customers removed from K-Che were stabbed on McDonalds car park. Witnesses believe it was a result of interention of the fight inside.

Since December 2018 twelve crime reports of violent incidents have occurred associated with the premises incuding Four (4) for Grevious Bodily Harm (GBH), Four (4) for Actual Bodily Harm (ABH), One (1) assault on Police, One(1) common assault, One (1) Robbery and a Crime related incident for a Fight inside the premises.

The area in proximity to the premises has suffered from considerable amount of Violent incidents, Anti social behaviour and calls for police accidents which we believe the premises has been a contributing factor to.

This incident took place in a licensed premises that at the time was operating without the correct authorisation as the licence was suspended. The premises has a history of violent incidents both inside and outside.

We have no confidence in the management of this premises, they have a number of control measures on the licence that do not appear to be restricting the crime and disorder associated with the premises.

The addition of further conditions as interim steps in my opinion is not appropriate on this occasion. I recommend that the licence is suspended to evaluate the operation of the premises. A suspension will allow for full investigation and recommendations at the full review of the premises licence.

Signature of applicant

Signature:



Date:

3rd December 2019

Capacity:

Police Licensing Officer

Contact details for matters concerning this application

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