

LICENSING HEARING PANEL

30 JANUARY 2018

EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

Report from: Perry Holmes, Monitoring Officer

Summary

It is recommended that, for the reasons set out below, the Panel exclude the press and public from the meeting during the Panel's deliberations and decision-making. Point 10 of the Guidelines for Licensing Hearing Panels, printed at the front of the agenda, refers.

1. Recommendation

- 1.1 The Panel is required to decide whether to exclude the press and public during the Panel's deliberations and decision making, because consideration of this matter in public would disclose information falling within one of the descriptions of exempt information contained in Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, as specified below, and, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption, outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

Report Title	Application for a Premises Licence – 288 Lonsdale Drive, Rainham, Kent, ME8 9JU.
Agenda Item	6
Summary	Licensing Hearing Panel's deliberations and decision making.
Category of exempt information (Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972)	Not for publication under paragraph 5 of part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 – on the grounds that it relates to information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.

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Appendices:

None

Background Papers:

None