

## LICENSING HEARING PANEL

## **22 DECEMBER 2020**

# **EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

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### Summary

This report recommends that the Panel exclude the press and public from the meeting during part of the meeting if required and during the Panel's deliberations and decision making.

#### 1. Recommendation

The Panel is required to decide whether to exclude the press and public during part of the meeting if required and also during the decision-making process because consideration of these matters in public would disclose information falling within one or more 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	Licensing Act 2003 – Application for a new premises licence in respect of Gallegos, 68, Avery Way, Allhallows, Rochester, Kent, ME3 9PZ.
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Category of exempt information (Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972)	Not for publication under paragraph 5 of part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 – on the grounds that it relates to information in respect of which a claim to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.

Licensing Act 2003 – Application for a summary review of the premises licence, The Hop and Rye, 4 Wainscott Road, Wainscott, Kent, ME2 4LB. 7
Part of the hearing as required, for example during the showing of CCTV evidence, and during the Licensing Hearing Panel's deliberations and decision making.
Not for publication under paragraphs 1, 5 and 7 of part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 – on the grounds that it relates to:
<ol> <li>Information relating to an individual.</li> <li>Information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.</li> <li>Information relating to any action taken or to be taken in connection with the prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime.</li> </ol>

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Appendices

None.

**Background Papers** 

None.