

LICENSING HEARING PANEL

26 APRIL 2022

EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

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Summary

This report summarises an exempt appendix, Appendix G and recommends that the Panel exclude the press and public from the meeting during the viewing of CCTV footage and also 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 to enable CCTV footage to be viewed, and also during the decision-making process because consideration of these matters in public would disclose information falling within two 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 review of a Premises Licence, Baba Food and Wine, 75 High Street, Gillingham, Kent, ME7 1BJ
Agenda Item Summary	6 Appendix G – CCTV stills from the incident on 22 March 2022 and CCTV footage of the incident to be viewed at the meeting. Licensing Hearing Panel's deliberations and decision making.
Category of exempt information (Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972)	Not for publication under paragraphs 1 and 5 of part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 – on the grounds that it relates to:

	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Information relating to an individual.5. 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.