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Licensing Sub-Committee	8 th September 2022	Classified		

Report of David Tolley Head of Environmental Health and Trading Standards Originating Officer: Kathy Driver Principal Licensing Officer	Title Licensing Act 2003 Application for Review under Section 53 A of the Licensing Act 2003 for Oval Space, 29-32 The Oval, London E2 9DA Ward affected Bethnal Green West
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1.0 Summary

Licence Holder: **Oval Venues Ltd**
 Name **Oval Space**
 Address of Premises: **29-32 The Oval**
London E2 9DA

Review under Section 53A by a senior officer of the Metropolitan Police

2.0 Recommendations

- 2.1 That the Licensing Committee considers the application for review and then adjudicates accordingly

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3.0 **Background**

- 3.1 This is an application made by a senior officer of the Metropolitan Police under Section 53A of the Licensing Act 2003. The Act was amended by the Violent Crime Reduction Act 2006.
- 3.2 The form applying for a summary licence review is contained in **Appendix 1**.
- 3.3 The Certificate under Section 53A of the Act is contained as **Appendix 2**.
- 3.4 The premises licence is in **Appendix 3**.
- 3.5 A map of the premises is at **Appendix 4**.

4.0 **Determinations**

- 4.1 The Licensing sub-Committee is, in effect being asked to make an interim decision, which is subject to a full review hearing within 28 days from receipt of the senior officer's documentation (received on the 7th September 2022).
- 4.2 Members must consider whether interim steps are necessary for the promotion of the licensing objectives as follows
 - The modification of the conditions of the premises licence
 - The exclusion of the sale of alcohol by retail (or other licensable activities) from the scope of the licence
 - The removal of the designated premises supervisor from the licence
 - The suspension of the licence
- 4.3 Members may, of course conclude that no action is necessary.

5.0 **Advice issued by the Home Office**

- 5.1 The Home Office has issued advice to licensing authorities about Section 53 A of the Licensing Act 2003. The relevant Sections, along with a flow chart are in **Appendix 5**.

6.0 **Legal Comments**

- 6.1 A legal officer will advise Members at the hearing.

7.0 **Financial Comments**

- 7.1 There are no financial implications in this report.

8.0 Appendices

Appendix 1 The form applying for a summary licence review

Appendix 2 The Certificate under Section 53A of the Act

Appendix 3 The premises licence

Appendix 4 Map of the site

Appendix 5 Home Office advice