## FORM FOR APPLYING FOR A SUMMARY LICENCE REVIEW

### **BRIDGEND COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL**

Licensing Section, Civic Offices, Angel Street, Bridgend, CF31 4WB

Application for the review of a premises licence under section 53A of the Licensing Act 2003 (premises associated with serious crime or disorder)

#### 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.** 

I Licensing Officer Colwill [on behalf of] the chief officer of police for the South Wales 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 if none or not known, ordnance survey map reference or description:

Station Hotel, 1 Caerau Road, Caerau

Post town: Maesteg

Post code (if known): CF34 0PB

Name of premises licence holder (if known): Lynette Lewis

Number of premises licence (if known): BCBCLP221

3. Certificate under section 53A(1)(b) of the Licensing Act 2003 [Please read quidance 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 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]

Station Hotel, Caerau, Maesteg has been the subject of a warrant executed on 16 July 2021, during which a large quantity of controlled drugs, suspected firearms with ammunition and an assortment of weapons including knives, swords and a mace were found.

South Wales Police are now investigating the criminal offcences of controlled drug supply, prohibited weapons and firearms linked to the Station Hotel.

Signature of applicant:

Date: 16/07/2021

**Capacity: Licensing Officer** 

Contact details for matters concerning this application:

Address: Bridgend Police Station, Mid Glamorgan BCU, Brackla Street,

Bridgend, CF31 1BZ

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## Notes for guidance:

1. A certificate of the kind mentioned in the form must accompany the application in order for it to be valid under the terms of the Licensing Act 2003. The certificate must explicitly state the senior officer's opinion that the premises in question are associated with serious crime, serious disorder or both.

Serious crime is defined by reference to section 81 of the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000. In summary, it means:

- conduct that amounts to one or more criminal offences for which a person who has attained the age of eighteen and has no previous convictions could reasonably be expected to be sentenced to imprisonment for a term of three years or more; or
- conduct that amounts to one or more criminal offences and involves the use of violence, results in substantial financial gain or is conduct by a large number of persons in pursuit of a common purpose.

Serious disorder is not defined in legislation, and so bears its ordinary English meaning.

2. Briefly describe the circumstances giving rise to the opinion that the above premises are associated with serious crime, serious disorder, or both.