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North Eight, 26 High Street, London, N8 7PB clarification statement.

I submit this statement to help clear up any serious concerns, confusion or misunderstanding in the interpretation of any evidence that has already been previously submitted. This is to assist the committee, and all parties concerned and is made in good faith.

A Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) is a system used by the police to manage and record incidents, grade calls and assign units. It enables call handlers to log information quickly, ensuring police can respond to a variety of incidents.

When a member of public contacts the police call handlers assess the information provided and apply an opening code to the CAD. This opening code categorises the type of call- Such as Violence Against the Person, Theft, ASB or a Welfare Check- and helps determine what response the incident may require. The opening code is based on the initial details provided at the time of the call and is used to determine the priority of the call and resources that may be required.

However, it is important to understand that the opening code is not definitive. As officers arrive on scene and investigate further, the nature of the incident may change. Outcomes may not always align with the original opening code applied- for example, a call initially reported as a fight might be no further action if no offence is substantiated with parties on scene. As a result, the final outcome recorded may not match the opening code initially applied.

It is also important to acknowledge that calls resulted in no further action does not mean the incident didn't happen. A member of public was concerned enough to contact police, and their call reflects a perceived need for help or intervention from the police.

The CAD system is a dynamic record that may evolve as more information becomes available. The information and CADs are in date order. The reference numbers in RED are those that have resulted in a crime reference number being recorded and or arrest.

INVESTIGATION 01/364441/24- 18/05/2024 ASB Call to police on CAD 8679/13MAY2024 from local resident regarding large group of people loitering outside the pub and doing drugs.

CAD 7226/25MAY24 21.04 hours- Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON. There was an allegation of a female assaulting delivery driver. OUTCOME- Female arrested for drunk and disorderly and taken to hospital as a result of being so intoxicated.

CAD 1167/07JUL24 03.09 hours – Call came in as ROWDY OR INCONSIDERATE BEHAVIOUR, ASB from employee of the pub. People parked outside pub being violent and threatening and staff closed the pub. OUTCOME- Group have left prior to police arrival and resulted as no offences.

CAD 351/15JUL24 00.47 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from employee of the pub. There is a fight ongoing, we can't break them up. OUTCOME- Parties had all left prior to police arrival and resulted as no offences.

CAD 4567/24AUG24 15.49 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from third party. Two people fighting with knives outside of the pub. OUTCOME- Police arrived and detained one male. The male was found with a Stanley knife and was intoxicated and arrested for Affray.

INVESTIGATION 01/883465/24- 25/09/2024. Common assault report whereby victim had alcohol thrown at her by a male inside the pub. Victim did not wish to provide a statement. Crime recorded.

CAD 494/29AUG24 01.35 hours – Call came in as SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES from a believed employee of the pub. A domestic incident between husband and wife and stated " I am closing the pub". " outside the pub screaming, they are from the traveller community." OUTCOME- Police arrived and parties did not wish to speak to police and resulted as no offences.

CAD 103/24NOV24 00.13 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from Verisure Alarms as a fight in progress. Staff have pressed panic button 15 times.

CAD 123/24NOV24 00.17 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON, LINKED INCIDENT from manager of the pub as "urgent situation, 20 men fighting, using stools as weapons". "I pressed the panic button but don't know how effective it is, I believe Irish travelling community, all fighting, female staff only here".

CAD 124/24NOV24 00.16 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON, LINKED INCIDENT from a male caller “ a load of travellers have turned up and they are fighting”.

CAD 150/24NOV24 00.17 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON, LINKED INCIDENT from believed employee of pub requesting police “ I’m not leaving it’s my pub”.

OUTCOME- CAD 103/24NOV24, CAD 123/24NOV24, CAD 124NOV24 and CAD 150/24NOV25 are linked to one incident at the pub. Working CAD 103/24NOV24 resulted as “ travellers have been dispersed.”

CAD 520/16DEC24 02.15 hours – Call came in as ROWDY OR INCONSIDERATE BEHAVIOUR, ASB. From employee at pub “I have a group of people in the pub who are refusing to leave. They are travellers”.

OUTCOME- Police attended, all parties had left, no offences.

CAD 261/09JAN25 01.04 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from alarm company. Panic button pressed at premises.

CAD 267/09JAN25 01.03 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON, LINKED from employee stating “ there’s a group of people, there’s about 7 of them in total, but 4 of the are fighting”. No security in place.

OUTCOME- CAD 261/09JAN25 and CAD 267/09JAN25 are linked to one incident at the pub. Working CAD261/09JAN25. Police attended, resulted at no offences, no fight.

CAD 708/17JAN25 03.04 hours – Call came in as ROWDY OR INCONSIDERATE BEHAVIOUR, ASB from alarm company. Panic button pressed at the location by staff. OUTCOME- Police attended, males left prior to arrival. No offences.

INVESTIGATION 01/7063717/25- 18/01/2025 Reported by victim Dog dangerously out of control at the pub causing injury by biting victim.

CAD 825/18JAN25 02.55 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON, CRIMINAL DAMAGE from alarm company. Panic button pressed, staff stated people are smashing windows and fighting in the pub. OUTCOME- Police arrive on scene, two males detained, one arrested for racially aggravated public order, criminal damage and affray. INVESTIGATION 01/7062213/25- 18/01/2025 Criminal damage. A male has become aggressive inside of the pub and when removed smashed a window. In this incident the suspect involved was 16 at the time. It had come to the time when drinks were no longer being served and the suspect has approached the bar and asked for a drink, although the suspect was intoxicated, he has been served to keep him calm and was given two half pints. The premises license clearly states ‘children are only permitted on the premises between 11.00 hours and 21.00 hours, accompanied by an adult’ and this incident occurred at 02.55 hours. As well as ‘A Challenge 25 proof of age scheme shall be operated at the premises’. The statements taken from

Shannon and Katie Kearns, The PLH's daughters states the male was served and looked young. It appears Challenge 25 was not in use. Please see MG11 Shannon Kearns and MG11 Katie Kearns.

CAD 6893/28JAN25 20.47 hours - Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from alarm company. 4 people fighting in the pub. Four other linked calls have come into police from residents. OUTCOME- One arrested for affray.

CAD 545/01FEB25 01.38 hours – Call came in as SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES from alarm company. Panic alarm pressed by staff. OUTCOME- Police arrived on scene, travellers refusing to leave, no offences.

CAD 529/03FEB25 02.38 hours – Call came in as ASB NUISANCE from alarm company. People refusing to leave the premises.

CAD 542/03FEB25 02.48 hours – Call came in as CIVIL DISPUTE, LINKED from alarm company. Panic button pressed 10 times, possibly getting violent.

OUTCOME- CAD 529/03FEB25 and CAD 542/03FEB25 are linked to the same incident. Police arrived and dispersed all parties from the area, no offences.

CAD 243/06FEB25 01.00 hours – Call came in as ROWDY OR INCONSIDERATE BEHAVIOUR, ASB by pub employee. From informant "we get travellers here, being aggressive, refusing to leave, we need urgent help".

CAD 247/06FEB25 01.00 hours – Call came in as SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES, LINKED from alarm company.

CAD 341/06FEB25 01.29 hours – Call came in as LINKED from council CCTV watching males outside pub.

OUTCOME- CAD 243/06FEB25, CAD 247/06FEB25 and CAD 341/06FEB25 are linked to the same incident. Police arrived, all person removed from the pub, no offences.

CAD 6791/09FEB25 23.07 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from alarm company. Panic button pressed. States "when connecting through we can hear a lot of shouting coming through, we always get problems at closing time".

CAD 6798/09FEB25 23.08 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON, CRIMINAL DAMAGE, LINKED to CAD 6791/09FEB25 from staff "customers fighting and throwing things in the pub, smashing the place up".

OUTCOME- CAD 6791/09FEB25 and CAD 6798/09FEB25 are linked to the same incident. Police attended and resulted in no offences.

CAD 53/14FEB25 00.09 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from the alarm company. Fight broke out at location. OUTCOME- Police arrived and resulted in no offences.

CAD 272/14FEB25 00.56 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from alarm company. "A group of people are kicking off and throwing glasses and bottles at staff". OUTCOME- Police arrived and resulted in pub closing and INVESTIGATION 01/7161685/25- 14/02/2025 Minor wound with intent. A fight broke out in the pub causing a glass to smash with victim getting pushed and glass causing injury to her hand.

CAD 528/18FEB25 02.14 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from resident. OUTCOME- Police arrived and a group of 15-20 travellers were outside the pub, no offences.

CAD 6837/28FEB25 19.52 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from informant stating people were fighting with bottles outside the pub. Stated there was approx. 50 people inside the pub all fighting.

CAD 6860/28FEB25 19.55 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from alarm company for a large altercation. Linked to CAD 6837/28FEB25.

OUTCOME- CAD 6837/28FEB25 and CAD 6860/28FEB25 are linked to the same incident. Police arrived on scene and criminal damage investigation recorded. INVESTIGATION 01/7215791/25- 28/02/2025 Criminal damage. A fight has broken out inside of the pub between two males, during the process of the fight a window has been smashed. The incident was called in by a staff member who was outside the pub about to start their shift. The PLH did not support police action.

CAD 431/03MAR25 02.02 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON, ASB from an employee. From informant there was around 15 people waiting outside the premises for the bouncer to exit after bouncer asked the group to leave earlier. OUTCOME- Police attended and resulted as group moved on, no offences.

CAD 489/03MAR25 02.23 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from staff stating they had closed the pub and travellers have turned up again and threatened to shoot the informant. OUTCOME- Police reattended and group dispersed, spoken to staff and no offences.

CAD 6703/17MAR25 19.59 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from an entertainer stating they had been attacked by a group inside the pub and was waiting around the corner near a bus stop.

OUTCOME- INVESTIGATION 01/7277261/25- 17/03/2025 Common assault. A hired performer was assaulted and thrown against a wall. During this incident the victim stated he had been hired by an

unknown Irish male to dress up as a leprechaun as part of the St Patrick's Day celebrations. When he had arrived, he was thrown about by patrons of the pub and was then thrown against the wall hitting his head. Whilst the victim was still on scene he stated that the manager said several of the group inside had agreed to pay the victim for any inconvenience and he handed him £300 without police involvement and this was the end of the matter.

CAD 8217/17MAR25 23.46 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from informant, believed to be staff, stating a lot of fighting at the location and security couldn't handle it. "Theres only 2 of them". Informant states they saw security guard getting attacked outside and people were forcing their way into the pub, around 70-80 people present. OUTCOME- Police arrived and spoke with the manager, who stated he was happy for persons to stay inside. Resulted in no offences.

CAD 181/18MAR25 00.41 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from employee at pub stating a staff member had been assaulted and there were men punching and women fighting. Report of someone being hit in the face with a bottle. OUTCOME- Police reattended and requested all available units to attend in order to people removed from pub, no offences alleged or apparent by any persons on scene.

CAD 8217/17MAR25 and CAD 181/18MAR25 demonstrate that the venue has stated customers can stay inside the premises and then had to call police around an hour later due to fighting taking place and not being able to manage their patrons. When police have attended and established control no persons have substantiated any crimes and wanted to support any prosecutions. If police had not attended and prevented a Breach of Peace on both occasions the incident may have escalated to a more serious nature, resulting in serious injuries. This has required extensive resources and the considerations for TSG to be deployed.

CAD 7605/18MAR25 21.49 hours – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from a local resident for people fighting. OUTCOME- Police attended and one male was arrested for racially aggravated public order. INVESTIGATION 01/7281524/25 & 01/7282435/25- 18/03/2025 racially or religiously aggravated harassment, alarm or distress. Police were called to the premises regarding a fight and during ejecting patrons from the premises, requested by staff, two officers were racially abused. Subsequently the male was arrested.

CAD 6965/01APR25 21.00 hours- Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON, CRIMINAL DAMAGE from a resident stating 4 males were fighting and one of them urinated in a car. OUTCOME- Police did not attend due to an ongoing firearms incident.

CAD 494/04APR25 02.10 hours- Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from employee stating a man had attacked her in the pub and threw a glass at her face. OUTCOME- Police attended and reported a common assault. INVESTIGATION 01/7340868/25- 04/04/2025 Section 4 POA Fear or provocation of violence. Victim reported that when she had tried to clear refuse from a table the

suspect began to launch 3-4 glasses at her. None of them hit her and she had gone behind the bar to call the police and the suspect had appeared he was leaving but then threw a drink over her.

CAD 338/14APR25 01.16 hours- Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from employee. From informant there was a group of travellers being racist in the pub and refusing to leave. Security tried to get them out but they then went behind the bar and started helping themselves. OUTCOME- Police attended and resulted in all persons ejected from the pub, no offences.

CAD 157/16APR25 00.28 hours- Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from employee stating 10 people fighting in the pub and had smashed the bar up.

CAD 165/16APR25 00.29 hours- VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON, CRIMINAL DAMAGE from employee regarding the same incident.

OUTCOME- CAD 157/16APR25 and CAD 165/16APR25 are regarding the same incident. Police attended and reported as GBH. INVESTIGATION 01/7385508/25- 16/04/2025 GBH. Officers were called to the premises regarding a fight where approx. 10 males were smashing up the bar and smashing glasses. When officers arrived there was a considerable amount of damage to the pub with stools everywhere and the staff had been injured. When officers attended to view CCTV, as no one was able to work it that night, it was clear that the bar staff had thrown the first glass after a male had picked up the soda gun to spray her after being refused service. The members of staff's boyfriend had also placed the male in a headlock. After a fight between a few of the males the suspect has then picked up 5 tall bar stools, one after the other and thrown them at the staff behind the bar.

CAD 54/18APR25 00.11 HOURS – Call came in as SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES from alarm company. Panic button pressed 3 times and shouting heard in background. OUTCOME- Police attended and pub was closed, spoke to informant on the phone who stated everyone had left, no offences.

CAD 8392/24APR25 23.22 HOURS – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from a resident stating large crowd outside premises fighting with glasses in their hands. OUTCOME- Police attended, no fighting just arguments, no offences.

CAD 645/25APR25 02.27 HOURS – Call came in as ASB, ROWDY OR INCONSIDERATE BEHAVIOUR from alarm company. Panic alarm pressed 5 times inside venue. Caller could hear shouting and raised voices. OUTCOME- Police arrived, travellers at location, officers on scene requested more units needed to remove the amount of people inside the premises. Resulted in no offences as no allegations made to police.

CAD 823/25APR25 03.30 HOURS – Call came in as ASB, ROWDY OR INCONSIDERATE BEHAVIOUR from resident stating a group was smashing bottles and peeing on cars outside the pub. OUTCOME- Police have reattended and moved persons on. No offences.

These CADs demonstrate that although there are no offences alleged at the time of police attendance, a Breach of the Peace has been prevented by multiple officers having to attend the premises and eject patrons to prevent any crime and disorder taking place on the first occasion CAD 645/25APR25 and have then been called just over an hour later to reattend the venue on CAD 823/25APR25 as persons have continued to cause enough concern that a resident has called police to report persons outside the premises acting in a rowdy or inconsiderate manner.

CAD 487/01MAY25 01.42 HOURS – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from a resident stating people were fighting outside the pub. OUTCOME- No offences.

CAD 7892/03MAY25 22.06 HOURS – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from a resident for people fighting outside the pub and have gone round the corner.

CAD 7911/03MAY25 22.08 HOURS – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON informant states men fighting outside the pub who then went back into the pub and there was 4-5 of them.

OUTCOME- CAD 7892/03MAY25 and CAD 7911/03MAY25 are linked to the same incident. Police attended and located male with injury his eye, stated he was trying to break up the fight. No offences alleged or recorded by officers on scene.

CAD 39/10MAY25 00.03 HOURS – Call came in as SEXUAL OFFENCES from security at the premises stating there was a male present who had been touching a female. OUTCOME- Police attended, male and female have left the premises. OUTCOME- Police attended and reported a common assault on INVESTIGATION 01/7470619/25. Not a sexual offence as first recorded by operator when initial call taken.

CAD 9202/13MAY25 22.11 HOURS – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from a resident reporting taxi driver picking customers up has been verbally threatened by patrons of the pub. OUTCOME- Police did not attend, CAD for info only.

CAD 942/26MAY25 03.15 HOURS – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from a third party female stating that males were outside the pub fighting and one had been glassed.

CAD 1029/26MAY25 03.43 HOURS - Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON, LINKED to CAD 942/26MAY25, from a resident. Police have attended due to males returning to the pub and started fighting again.

OUTCOME- CAD 942/26MAY25 and CAD 1029/26MAY25 are related to the same incident. Police attended, no offences alleged or apparent.

CAD 892/02JUN25 04.28 HOURS – Call came in as SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES from alarm company stating the panic alarm was pressed approximately 7 times. Linked to earlier CAD 896/02JUN25 stating customers were still in the pub refusing to leave and being racist towards the bar staff. OUTCOME- Police rang informant who stated people have left the pub and did not attend due to resources.

CAD 5815/03JUN25 16.38 HOURS – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from a resident stating males were fighting in the street. OUTCOME- Police attended, resulted as group have gone back inside the pub, no allegations.

CAD 7714/03JUN25 20.25 HOURS – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from a female local resident for travellers fighting outside the pub.

CAD 7771/03JUN25 20.30 HOURS – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from a male local resident, stating a fight was breaking out inside the premises.

CAD 7806/03JUN25 20.30 HOURS – Call came in as ASB, ROWDY OR INCONSIDERATE BEHAVIOUR from a female caller for people fighting outside the pub

OUTCOME- CAD 7714/03JUN25, CAD 7771/03JUN25 and CAD 7806/03JUN25 are linked to the same incident. Police attended, resulted on CAD 7706/03JUN25 (also linked) as drunk males who have been inside the pub now waiting for cabs. No offences.

CAD 380/16JUN25 01.26 HOURS – Call came in as ASB, ROWDY OR INCONSIDERATE BEHAVIOUR from informant stating there was a disturbance happening outside the pub. OUTCOME- Police attended, area searched and no trace.

CAD 911/22JUN25 02.22 HOURS – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from a male caller, believed resident, stating there was 30 travellers outside the pub blocking traffic. OUTCOME- Police attended, no travellers outside the pub, no issues.

CAD 624/03JUL25 02.14 HOURS – Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from employee at the pub stating “ I have been grabbed by customers, they are refusing to leave and have assaulted me as I have been trying to get them out”. There was approximately 30-60 people refusing to leave and 2 security that could not manage the situation.

CAD 635/03JUL25 02.23 HOURS - Call came in as VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PERSON from security at the pub regarding the same incident. States travellers not leaving the pub, highly intoxicated.

CAD 793/03JUL2025 03.10 HOURS - Call came in as SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES, CRIMINAL DAMAGE

from a resident stated the same group at the pub earlier throwing chairs at windows of the first floor flats. OUTCOME- Police attended at 04.12 hours and spoke with the bar maid. Reported as a criminal damage. INVESTIGATION 01/7687614/25 – Criminal Damage. The second incident occurred around an hour later at 03.10 hours where a third party called in stating there had been a group outside the pub making noise and throwing items and one of the males had thrown a chair at the pub, causing the window to smash.

OUTCOME- CAD 624/03JUL25, CAD 635/03JUL25 and CAD 793/03JUL2025 relate to the same incident. Police arrived on scene and requested more units and dog unit. 2 dog units assigned. Appeared to calm down and reported a common assault. INVESTIGATION 01/7687582/25 – Common assault. A staff member had their arm grabbed by a patron after being told to leave. The victim stated the travelling community were attending the pub for a wake and had become extremely drunk and were refusing to leave. The CAD stated the security on scene could not manage the situation.

For clarification The Police licensing team have been in contact with a serving MPS constable PC Shane Martin who is the MPS chair and National Gypsy, Roma, Traveler Police association (GRTPA) Co Chair. Whose national role mainly focuses on advice, guidance, cultural awareness and doctrine within policing.

Guidance was sort from PC Martin whether the term ‘traveller’ is considered acceptable and appropriate in its use. From a Policing standpoint, Gypsy, Roma, Traveler (GRT) appropriately addresses the whole range of diverse groups represented. If the person represented is from the “Traveler” community, It’s perfectly reasonable for a member of the Police service to state that as a fact of heritage if relevant in a professional setting.

The Collage of Policing refers to the GRT community as that, but does go on to say that they are in general terms to be addressed as Gypsy or Travelers. This is mirrored with the Traveler Movement and ourselves as the GTRPA. The agreed, acceptable term for use therefore would be guided by ourselves and to the COP and NPCC that Police officers if unsure if someone is from the Gypsy or Traveler community to address them in formal settings as from the “GRT” community or otherwise if from a known heritage by the more specific terms such as a “Gypsy” or “Traveler”.

Regards,

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