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Form for Applying for a Summary Licence Review

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

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.

Insert name and address of relevant licensing authority and its reference number:

Name: London Borough Of Haringey

Address:

Haringey Licensing Authority ,Licensing Team,Level 4 ,Alexandra House,10 Station Rd ,Wood Green

Post town: London

Post code:

N22 7TR

Ref. No.:

I PC Adriana Costache

on behalf of the chief officer of police for the Metropolitan 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 club premises, or if none, ordnance survey map reference or description:

Selby Centre,Selby Road,Tottenham

Post town:

London

Post code:
(if known)

N17 8JL

2. Premises licence details

Name of premises licence holder or club holding club premises certificate (if known):

Selby Community Centre, Selby Road, Tottenham, N17 8JL

Number of premises licence or club premises certificate (if known):

LN/00002506 & LN/000003257

3. Certificate under section 53A(1)(b) of the Licensing Act 2003 (Please read guidance 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 serious disorder or both, and the certificate accompanies this application.

Please tick the box to confirm:



PROTECTIVE MARKING

4. Details of association of the above premises with serious crime, serious disorder or both
(Please read guidance note 2)

PROTECTIVE MARKING

Premises: Selby Centre, White Hart Lane, London N17
Applicant: Metropolitan Police Service
Ground: Summary Review – Serious Crime and Serious Disorder
Licensing Objectives breached
Prevention of Crime and Disorder
Public Safety
Protection of Children from Harm

This representation is submitted on behalf of the Metropolitan Police Service following a serious firearms incident that occurred at the Selby Centre on Friday 1 May 2026.

The circumstances surrounding this incident, alongside broader concerns regarding the operational management of the premises, demonstrate a clear failure to uphold the licensing objectives, in particular the prevention of crime and disorder and public safety.

At approximately 22:50 hours, police were called to the Selby Centre following reports from security staff of multiple gunshots fired within the enclosed car park.

CCTV footage shows a silver Toyota Prius entering the car park, from which two males exited before discharging a firearm.

Muzzle flashes and projectiles striking vehicles were clearly visible on CCTV.

A subsequent forensic search recovered eleven spent bullet casings, confirming multiple live rounds were discharged.

Officers, assisted by a police dog, located a trail of blood within the car park and recovered a bullet.

A linked CAD confirmed that a male self-presented at North Middlesex Hospital with a stab/slash injuries, and a suspected gunshot wound to the hand

This level of violence constitutes serious crime, meeting the statutory threshold (offences likely attracting sentences of three years or more).

The incident required deployment of, armed police units, and specialist Trident resources

This demonstrates that the premises were directly associated with serious crime and serious disorder within the meaning of Section 53A of the Licensing Act 2003.

A Police visit to the premises was conducted on Tuesday 6 May 2026 at 14:06 hrs. The following individuals were present, Paul Butler Selby(PLH), Unique West-Alese (DPS), Saaet (Head of Security) and Erol Gurgur (GALA)

Neither the Premises Licence Holder (PLH) nor the DPS were present at the time of the incident.

Those responsible for the premises were unable to account for events or provide any accurate details, responsibility appeared to be delegated between multiple parties, with no clear control.

This points to a serious absence of effective management and oversight, with Inadequate Security Measures, security staff did not conduct searches of attendees, there was no control over items brought into the premises, including potential weapons, no accurate capacity management system was in place, the security admitted there was no use of clickers, however they estimate 100 people inside the venue, but were not able to verify.

CCTV timelines did not align with accounts provided by staff, undermining credibility, poor Event Management and Booking Practices by

GALA who accepted bookings without due diligence or background checks.

The event in question was organised by a third party (Maliq Coote) with no vetting process, and no risk assessment being conducted.

The venue operator relied solely on existing in-house SIA staff without reviewing adequacy, and the venue admitted that there was no monitoring of alcohol being brought onto premises, there was no clarity on licensable activities occurring during the event and a lack of control significantly increased the risk of disorder.

It has been confirmed that children under 18 were present at the event, this occurred despite, violent in an unmanaged environment with no effective safeguarding or risk assessment. This represents a failure to uphold the objective of protecting children from harm.

This incident is not isolated, on the 9 April 2026, police received five separate calls reporting a fight at the venue involving approximately 50 individuals, with objects being thrown, and a knife sighting, this demonstrates an ongoing pattern of disorder, violence, and Poor control of events.

The Officer in Charge has confirmed that the victim of the shooting is associated with a local gang, this significantly heightens the risk of retaliatory violence, and further serious incidents linked to the premises, Police assess there to be a high likelihood of recurrence unless decisive action is taken.

The current operation of the premises is fundamentally undermining the following objectives, Prevention of Crime and Disorder, which has seen a Firearms discharged on site, serious violence including stabbing and shooting, and a lack of controls enabling criminal activity.

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Patrons have been exposed to extreme violence, there are no adequate risk management or emergency response coordination, no consideration for the Protection of Children from Harm, there were children present during a violent firearms incident

With no safeguarding measures in place.

Conclusion and Recommendation

The evidence demonstrates a breakdown of management control, a failure to implement even basic security and safety measures, the premise is directly linked to serious crime and disorder, and the current Premises Licence is, in police view, no longer fit for purpose.

The Metropolitan Police respectfully request that the Licensing Sub-Committee:

Immediately Suspend the Premises Licence pending a full hearing.

This incident represents an extreme and unacceptable risk to public safety. The discharge of multiple firearm rounds in connection with the premises is among the most serious scenarios envisaged under the Licensing Act 2003.

Urgent intervention is necessary to prevent further harm to and restore public confidence..

Signature of applicant

Signature:

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Date:

06.05.2026

Capacity:

Police Licensing Officer

Contact details for matters concerning this application

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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.