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Mr David Knowles-Ley
Licensing Unit
Chichester District Council
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Dear Mr Knowles-Ley,

RE: APPLICATION FOR VARIATION OF THE PREMISES LICENCE FOR EAST WALLS HOTEL, 3 EAST ROW, CHICHESTER, WEST SUSSEX, PO19 1PD. 21/00209/LAPRE1. UNDER THE LICENSING ACT 2003.

I write on behalf of the Chief Officer of Police for Sussex to raise a representation in respect of this variation application on the grounds of the prevention of crime and disorder.

This variation is to extend the hours for the supply of alcohol to non-guests and non-residents to 11:00 to 23:00. There is currently a condition on the licence restricting the sale of alcohol to guests with a cut off of 18:00. On page eleven of the application it is stated that the intention in seeking the variation is to enable the general public with restaurant reservations only to consume alcohol on the premises.

Sussex police have no objection to this variation proposal, and anticipate that this will assist the business during the current Covid-19 situation. Following consultation with the applicant Ms Kelly, the following new condition has been agreed to go on the licence:

Between the hours of 18:00 and 23:00 alcohol may only be supplied to non-guests and non-residents with a restaurant reservation and seated at tables, with the supply of alcohol ancillary to a table meal only.

I attach an email confirmation from Ms Kelly confirming acceptance of the above new condition. Accordingly Sussex Police are able to withdraw their representation subject to the new agreed condition being added to the new varied licence.

Yours sincerely,



Inspector Dan Hiles
Local Policing Support Team
Criminal Justice and Custody Department

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