



## **HAVANT BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**Gambling Act 2005 – SECTION 159**  
**APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE**  
**THE WHITE HART, 1 EAST STREET, HAVANT, HAMPSHIRE PO9 1AA**

### **NOTICE OF A HEARING**

To: **Applicant:** Golden Shots (Southern) Limited, The White Hart, 1 East Street,  
Havant, Hampshire PO9 1AA

**Persons Who Have Made Relevant Representations:**

Councillor Tim Pike, Bramlea, St Peters Road, Hayling Island, Hampshire  
PO11 0RX

Canon Tom Kennar, St Faiths Rectory, 5 Meadowlands, Havant PO9 2RP

Mr T Dawes, 55 South Street, Havant PO9 1BY

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that a hearing under Section 159 of the Gambling Act 2005 to determine an application for a premises licence in respect of a premises known as The White Hart, 1 East Street, Havant PO9 1AA will be held by the Council's Licensing Sub-Committee in the Conference Room at Havant Leisure Centre, Civic Centre Road, Havant in Hampshire at 10.15 am on Tuesday 8 March 2015.

### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

#### **Addressing the Hearing**

If you wish to address the hearing, you must submit your request in writing (an email will suffice) to the address set out in the Contact Details below by no later than 12 noon on 4 March 2016

#### **Appointment of a Representative or Someone to Assist You**

If you wish to be represented or assisted by another person at the hearing, you must submit your request in writing (an email will suffice) to the address set out in the Contact Details below by no later than 12 noon on 4 March 2016

### Calling Witnesses

If you wish to call a witness to give evidence at the hearing, you must submit your request in writing (an email will suffice) to the address set out in the Contact Details below by no later than 12 noon on 4 March 2016

### Withdrawal of Representations

If you wish to withdraw your representation, you must submit your withdrawal request in writing (an email will suffice) to the address set out in the Contact Details below by no later than 12 noon on 4 March 2016

### Determination of the Application Without a Hearing

If you are willing to consent to the application being considered without a hearing, you must submit your request in writing (an email will suffice) to the address set out in the Contact Details below by no later than 12 noon on 4 March 2016

### Failure of Parties to Attend the Hearing

**Please Note:** that in accordance with regulation 10 of The Gambling Act 2005 (Proceedings of Licensing Committee and Sub Committee) Premises Licences and provisional Statements)(England and Wales) Regulations 2007 (“the Regulations”):

- (1) The Licensing Sub Committee may proceed with a hearing in the absence of a party\* or a party’s\* representative if the party has—
  - (a) informed the Licensing Sub Committee that he does not intend to attend or be represented at the hearing (and has not subsequently advised the Licensing Sub-Committee otherwise); .
  - (b) failed to inform the Licensing Sub Committee whether he intends to attend or be represented at the hearing; or .
  - (c) left the hearing in circumstances enabling the Licensing Sub Committee reasonably to conclude that he does not intend to participate further. .
- (2) If a party\* has indicated that he does intend to attend or be represented at the hearing, but fails to so attend or be so represented, the Licensing Sub Committee may—
  - (a) adjourn the hearing to a specified date if it considers it to be in the public interest, or .
  - (b) proceed with the hearing in the party’s\* absence. .
- (3) Where, under Regulation 10 of the Regulations, the hearing proceeds in the absence of a party\*, the Licensing Sub Committee must consider at the hearing the application or representations made by that party\*.

- (4) Where, under Regulation 10 of the Regulations, the Licensing Sub Committee adjourns the hearing to a specified date it must, as soon as reasonably practicable, notify the parties of the date, time and place to which the hearing has been adjourned.

### **Admittance of the Public**

The Hearing will normally take place in public, although the Council may exclude the public from all or part of the hearing where the Licensing Sub Committee is satisfied that it is necessary having regard to any unfairness to a party\* that is likely to result from a hearing in public and to the need to protect, as far as possible, the commercial or other legitimate interests of a party\*.

### **Copies of Representations Received**

Copies of the representations received have, in accordance with the Regulations, only been attached to the notice sent to the applicant. A copy of representations received, will be made available to persons, who has made representations, if those persons request them. Requests should be made to (see Contact details below)

\* “party” means a person to whom a notice of hearing is given in accordance with Regulation 5(1) of the Regulations

### **Contact Details**

All requests required to be submitted in writing must be sent to the following address(es)

#### By letter

The Democratic Service Team, Havant Borough Council, Public Service Plaza, Civic Centre Road, Havant, Hampshire PO9 2AX

#### By email:

[DemocraticServicesTeam22@havant.gov.uk](mailto:DemocraticServicesTeam22@havant.gov.uk)

Dated this 19 day of February 2016

Signed

Solicitor to the Council

Enclosures:

Hearings Procedure  
Representations (Notice to Applicant Only)