

The Licensing Department TMBC Council Offices Gibson Road Kings Hill

17th January 2018

Application for new Licence- African Lodge and Marquee

Representation in support of application.

We have been notified today that there are some representations against Mr Barwick's application for a new licence. We write this letter in support of the application today as we understand the time limit for representations expire tomorrow.

We have had dealings with Mr Barwick for a few years now as caterers for his Clay Shoot events. More recently he has trialled use of a marquee in conjunction with the African Lodge. His plan is to provide a limited number of pre-booked functions. We have agreed to provide catering facilities and our trained staff to assist him at these events.

We understand he has sought professional advice to ensure there will be no noise nuisance and with acquisition of Ash Tree Farm he will be able to avoid use of Tower Hill to access the site.

The location is beautiful with wonderful views and will be an idyllic setting for his proposal. Because of the nature of the events to be held and the systems he has discussed with us we know he will not breach the licensing objectives.

We are aware he wishes to support his local community and last year he ran a charitable event raising £2'500 for Spadework - Offham and £2'500 for YouCan - East Malling.

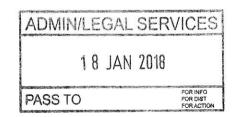
Throughout our dealings with Mr Barwick we have found him to be professional in his approach, willing to take advice and provide first class facilities.

From everything we know about this application and Mr Barwick's proposals, we support his application in the confident knowledge that there will be no breach of the licensing objectives.

Yours Faithfully,

Nick Levantis

Managing Director



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