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Our Ref: LA03/ - 18/00223/PRMVAR- Prem1434

Mr Henry Nicholls-Iggulden
Tea House Theatre Ltd
The Licensee & Designated Premises Supervisor
139 Vauxhall Walk
London
SE11 5HL

Dear **Mr Henry Nicholls-Iggulden**

Licensing Act 2003: Breach of conditions
Re: Tea House Theatre 139 Vauxhall Walk, London SE11 5HL

On Friday 23rd April 2021 at 21:00 licensing and metropolitan police officers visited the above premises and carried out a full licensing inspection.

The member of staff on this occasion was yourself Mr Henry Iggulden. Officers discussed the reason for the visit and photographs were taken.

You confirmed that you had CCTV cameras installed however you had recorded that as there was a connection issue an engineer was required. You also confirmed that this was scheduled for the 24.4.2021.

As the CCTV was not working this is a breach as identified as per conditions from 18/00223/PRMVAR Prem1434;

18. *A CCTV system covering areas inside and directly outside of the premises should be updated and maintained according to police recommendations with properly maintained log arrangements and recordings/tapes to be kept for a minimum of 31 days.*

19. *The CCTV system is to comply with the Data Protection Act 1998 and must be working and recording correctly when the venue is open to the public.*

20. *A staff member from the venue who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system must be on the premises at all times that the venue is open to the public. This staff member must immediately be able to show police or local authority officer's contemporaneous and recent data or footage on request.*

21. *The Premises are to use all reasonable efforts to provide police and local authority officers with recordings from the CCTV system on request (e.g. by supplying recordings on DVD, CD, tape etc and any software needed to play the footage if necessary)*

22. *In the event of any breakdown of the CCTV system, any correspondence and receipts relating to it's repair or the replacement of parts must be kept on file for a minimum of 12 months.*

Please can you confirm to licensing@lambeth.gov.uk by the 30th April 2021 that the CCTV is now fully operational and that the premises is no longer in breach of these conditions.

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I must also note that Licensing officers visited at the end of March 2021 and it was confirmed to them that the CCTV would be installed ahead of the premises opening to the public. The connection issue has been recorded and further monitoring will be made.

These breaches identified contravene s.136 of the Licensing Act 2003. A person guilty of an offence under this section is liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months or to a fine, or to both.

As the holder of a Premises licence and the designated premises supervisor for these premises, it is your responsibility to ensure that the conditions on the licence are complied with whilst you providing licensable activities authorised under the licence held.

These breaches have been noted by the Licensing Authority and failure to confirm that this has now been rectified may result in legal proceedings being brought against you.

Additionally, the Act makes provision for a Premises licence to be called for review. As a result of this process, licences may be restricted, suspended or revoked entirely. These breaches may be cited as grounds for initiating any review process.

Yours sincerely



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