

## ANNEX B

Greater Manchester Police  
Ashton Police HQ  
Manchester Road  
Ashton under Lyne  
OL7 0BQ

**CERTIFICATE UNDER SECTION 53A(1)(b) OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003**

I hereby certify that in my opinion the premises described below are associated with serious crime / ~~serious disorder~~ / ~~both serious crime and serious disorder~~<sup>1</sup>.

*Premises*<sup>2</sup>:

The Snipe,  
387 Manchester Road  
Audenshaw  
Tameside  
M34 5GT

Premises licence number (if known): PL0397

Name of premises supervisor (if known): Geoff Lee

I am a Chief Superintendent Rachael Harrison<sup>3</sup> in the Greater Manchester police force.

I am giving this certificate because I am of the opinion that other procedures under the Licensing Act are inappropriate in this case, because<sup>4</sup>:

Greater Manchester Police have evidence of serious crime at the premises. A search warrant under s8 PACE and s23 MODA has been executed at the Snipe Inn, 387 Manchester Road, Audenshaw, M34 5RP.

The Designated Premises Supervisor, Geoff Lee was at the premises at the time the warrant was executed and is currently in custody having been arrested for being concerned in the production of controlled drugs.

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<sup>1</sup> Delete as applicable.

<sup>2</sup> Include business name and address and any other relevant identifying details.

<sup>3</sup> Insert rank of officer giving the certificate, which must be superintendent or above.

<sup>4</sup> Give a brief description of why other procedures such as a standard review process are thought to be inappropriate, e.g. the degree of seriousness of the crime and/or disorder, the past history of compliance in relation to the premises concerned.

*[Handwritten Signature]*

6/7/2021

(Signed)

(Date)

Chief Superintendent R HARRISON.