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17<sup>th</sup> April 2019

Dear Mr Playford,

***Application to extend Provisional Statement for Large Casino, Southampton***

Firstly I wish to apologise for the time it has taken to provide you with directions on how we will proceed with your request to extend the Provisional Statement issued to Aspers Universal Limited, as sought in your letter dated 27<sup>th</sup> March 2019. To ensure we follow an appropriate process we have obtained legal advice.

To allow a proper consideration of your request can you please supply me with information that can be presented to a licensing committee detailing:-

- what has occurred since the award of the Provisional Statement,
- any current activities to realise the project,
- the intended position of the project at the end of the extension period,
- the period of extension
- a time line of key project landmarks to the conclusion of the project.

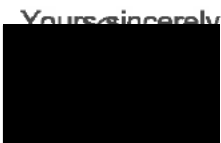
Once this information has been considered and accepted we will require you to advise and invite comment from the Responsible Authorities and the other applicants in the original process on your request to extend the Provisional Statement. Within 10 days of notifying this group a notice will be published in relevant publications. Southampton City Council will advise the details of these publications and the format nearer the time.

Parties will be given a period of 28 days from notifying the Responsible Authorities and other parties to make representations.

A Licensing Committee will be arranged within 20 working days at the end of the consultation period to determine the request. Any further information will need to be submitted no later than 7 days prior to the hearing date.

I hope this provides some clarity on the process and guidance on the information we require in order to properly determine your request.

Yours sincerely,



Phil Bates  
Licensing Manager