



Re: Premises Licence Transfer & Clarification – 31 New Street, Weymouth DT4 8DB – Subside Diner / Subside Grill

From Licensing [REDACTED]
Date Mon 29/06/2026 14:26
To Shams Khan [REDACTED]
Cc Aileen Powell [REDACTED] Samantha Spracklen
[REDACTED]

Dear Mr Khan, thank you for your email, I have answered your questions in red below.

As Samantha has stated in her previous email, we recommend you seek independent legal advice.

I will be on leave from 3 July for two weeks, if you have any questions during this time, please contact my manager Aileen Powell.

Many thanks

Kathryn Miller
Senior Licensing Officer

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From: Shams Khan [REDACTED]
Sent: Sunday, June 28, 2026 16:58
To: Licensing [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Premises Licence Transfer & Clarification – 31 New Street, Weymouth DT4 8DB – Subside Diner / Subside Grill

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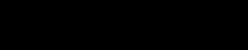
Dear Samantha Spracklen,

Thank you for your email dated 24 June 2026 regarding the transfer of the premises licence.

Business details:

- Premises: 31 New Street, Weymouth, DT4 8DB
- Former trading name: Surfside Diner
- New trading name: Surfside Grill

Please find below my Right to Work share code:

 This will allow you to verify my immigration status and right to work in the UK online, as requested.

I have a few follow-up queries:

1. Review hearing: Could you please confirm the exact date of the review hearing submitted by HM Home Office Immigration Enforcement, and when a final decision will be issued? **The hearing is due to take place on 23 July - you will receive a formal invitation to this in the next week or so. A decision is not made on the day - this will be emailed to you within five working days of the hearing.**
2. Contact details: You advised Kathryn Miller is handling this review – please share her direct email address and telephone number so I can contact her directly. **You can contact me on licensing@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk and the phone number is 01305 838028, please note phone lines are open from 0900-midday, Monday to Friday.**
3. Application progress: Once you have checked all documents and confirmed everything is complete, please send me confirmation. Also, could you confirm the expected date I will receive the updated premises licence once processing is finished? **We have now received your documents to transfer, and these have been sent to the Police and Immigration for their comment as per the Licensing Act 2003 requirements. They have two weeks to respond, however, as you have ticked that you wish for the transfer to have an immediate effect, you can continue to trade.**

Thank you for your assistance.

Kind regards,
Mr Khan
Surfside Grill
31 New Street
Weymouth DT4 8DB

On Wed, 24 Jun 2026 at 12:05, Licensing [REDACTED] wrote:

Dear Mr Khan,

Thank you for your email regarding the proposed transfer of the premises licence.

I confirm we have received the application form and signed consent, your passport & and payment of £23.00. However, we are still waiting for you to supply a share code so that we can check your right to work in the UK online. I emailed you requesting this document on 17 June. Once we have the RTW share code we can progress with the application. The consultation period for the application is 14 days so you will receive your updated licence 2 weeks after it is formally accepted and processed.

The historical matter relating to the previous owner is on-going and has resulted in an application to review the premises licence being submitted by HM Home Office Immigration Enforcement. The review hearing will take place in July, and as the licence holder you will receive an invite to the hearing in due course. My colleague Kathryn Miller is dealing with the review process so please contact her for further information.

There is a possibility that the review committee will revoke the licence, so we would recommend that you seek appropriate legal advice.

Kind regards

Samantha Spracklen

Licensing Officer

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From: Shams Khan [REDACTED]

Sent: 23 June 2026 17:43

To: Licensing [REDACTED]; Samantha Spracklen
[REDACTED]

Subject: Premises Licence Transfer & Clarification – 31 New Street, Weymouth DT4 8DB – Subside Diner / Subside Grill

I am writing formally regarding the premises at 31 New Street, Weymouth DT4 8DB, currently trading as Subside Diner, with a request to update the trading name to Subside Grill.

I recently took over the business and submitted my application to transfer the Premises Licence into my name on [Surfside Grill]. The required fee was taken and processed by your team more than one week ago, and I have submitted all signed transfer documents, identification, and supporting information. However, I have not yet received any update or acknowledgment since the payment was made.

I am also aware that the previous owner had a historical matter raised by the Home Office regarding illegal working. I wish to make this completely clear:

- This issue relates only to the former operator and their management — it has no connection, liability, or link to me, my business, or any staff I employ.
- I hold valid right-to-work documents for the UK and will strictly comply with all immigration, employment, and licensing laws at all times.

Could you please confirm the following:

1. That my transfer application has been received, is progressing, and no objections have been raised so far.
2. That the historical matter involving the previous owner does not carry over or apply to me and to the business in any way.
3. When I can expect the updated Premises Licence — showing my name and the new trading name Subside Grill — to be issued, so I can display it at the premises as required.
4. Written confirmation once the transfer and name change are fully completed.

Please let me know immediately if you need any further details or paperwork from me.

My contact details:

Name: Shams Khan

Email: [REDACTED]

Telephone: [REDACTED]

Address: 31 New Street, Weymouth DT4 8DB

Business: Subside Diner (proposed: Subside Grill)

Kind regards,

Shams Khan