

LICENSING ACT 2003

LICENSING AUTHORITY & RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES



ASHFORD
BOROUGH COUNCIL

Licensing Authority

All applications should be sent to:

Licensing Manager
Ashford Borough Council
Civic Centre
Tannery Lane
Ashford
Kent
TN23 1PL

Responsible Authorities

The Licensing Act 2003 also defines a number of 'responsible authorities'. The following gives the relevant contact details of these bodies for Ashford Borough.

1. **Chief officer of police**

The Superintendent
Ashford Police Station
Tufton Street
Ashford
Kent
TN23 1BT

licensing.weald@kent.pnn.police.uk

2. **The fire authority**

Maidstone Fire Safety Office
Fire Station
Loose Road
Maidstone
Kent
ME15 9QB

maidstone.firesafety@kent.fire-uk.org

3. **The local planning authority**

Martin Vink
Joint Development Control Manager
Strategic Planning Unit
Ashford Borough Council
Civic Centre
Tannery Lane
Ashford
Kent TN23 1PL

Martin.vink@ashford.gov.uk

4. Enforcing Authority for Pollution and Harm to Human Health & the enforcing authority for Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 *

One copy of the application may be submitted to:

Environmental Health Manager
Environmental Services
Ashford Borough Council
Civic Centre
Tannery Lane
Ashford
Kent
TN23 1PL

doug.read@ashford.gov.uk

It should be noted that for some premises the enforcing authority for Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 will be the HSE (Health & Safety Executive). In these cases one copy of the application should be sent to the above address and a further copy sent to:

Graham Roberts
HM Principal Inspector, Services Group / Enforcement Liaison
Health & Safety Executive
Phoenix House,
23 - 25 Cantelupe Road,
East Grinstead,
West Sussex,
RH19 3BE

hselicensing@hse.gsi.gov.uk

5. Body responsible for matters relating to the protection of children from harm

District Manager
Social Services Children & Families
Kent County Council
Civic Centre
Tannery Lane
Ashford
Kent
TN23 1PL

Debbie.simmons@kent.gov.uk

6. The local weights and measures authority

Kent County Council
Trading Standards
Invicta House
County Hall
Maidstone
ME14 1XX

ts.licensing@kent.gov.uk