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Dear Parent/Carer

**Re: Hotel Hideaway – For Your Information**

We are contacting you about a social online 3D role playing game called Hotel Hideaway; which is advertised as a game full of opportunities to meet new people and make new friends.

However, we wish to inform you that Hotel Hideaway is a free 3D virtual world app where users can create their own avatar and hotel room and chat with others worldwide in public or private chat rooms. Users should be 17+ but the use of cartoon avatars makes this appealing to younger audiences. The chat function puts young children at risk of being exposed to mature language and grooming behaviour.

Yours faithfully

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