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To: Legal Regulatory Services <lrs@npt.gov.uk>

Subject: Live lounge (other place)

Hi

I would like to put forward my objections for the return of the license to the live lounge.

Reasons and responsibilities of the management and the owners, which have over time increasingly refused to limit the level of loud music egress from the building.

Which intern has become a public nuisance to the resident of Ynysderw road and Francis street .

I would also like to add that if environmental health have been monitoring over a number of months and have actually seen the stress that this venue has caused with excessive loud music every weekend which extrudes from the building.

This issue could have been resolved by making the premises sound proofed so that the residents and the surrounding area does not suffer.

Also the prevention of children from harm is a big issue, as residents of this street have children which many do, they are prevented from their sleep at a reasonable time due to the noise level.

After months of this venue's inconsideration in regard to public nuisance as they leave at all hours and urinate on your walls and leave their bottles cans glasses anywhere they like which intern increases the level of noise that this venue accepts no responsibility for.

This is not responsible behavior from the live lounge .

Therefore the license should only be revisited when they resolve these issues.

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Personal Impact Statement A2

Live Lounge

I am A2. I live at xx Ynysderw Road. I have lived here for about 40 years. When we first moved in, the premises that is now Live Lounge was The Royal British Legion Club. They used to have the occasional party, but it was never very loud; and it finished early. The rest of the time there was just darts and dominoes and things like that. They used to be open until 11pm, and everyone was out soon after. Now and again there would be a bit of noise as someone left, but it was always early enough for it not to cause any real problem with disturbance.

Since live music is being put on at the pub; the noise in my house is unbearable. I can hear the lyrics to the music when I am sat in the living room. If I sit in the garden on a nice evening, it is like the music is on in the garden. It takes over and it is impossible to sit and enjoy the garden and sun.

The music is on most weekends, and usually for 3 evenings: Friday, Saturday, Sunday. People say that we should not be trying to close the pub down, we are not trying to do that. We just want them to have the pub properly sound proofed so that they can carry on having their entertainment, without us having to hear it in our homes. Its not unreasonable to ask for that.

The pub is now a live music venue, it is in a residential street with many elderly residents, and working people and families living here. Some people that live in the street are happy with the music being so loud, but that is up to them. Just because they are happy with it; doesn't mean the rest of us have to be.

The petition that is online has hundreds of signatures; these are not people that live in our street. Even if they were; it should not take away our right to peace and quiet. They are not putting up with this every weekend.

The pub has a licence until 1am, closing by 1.30. When people have had a night out until that time; they have usually had plenty to drink. When they come out of the pub; they are shouting and swearing, sometimes fighting. They wake me and my family up, this happens regularly. I think it is reasonable to expect to go to sleep at a reasonable time; and not be woken up every week.

When they come out of the pub, they often urinate in the street, against our garden walls, in between our cars. There is often piles of sick that we have to clean up. There are bottles smashed in the road which we have to clean up. Cars are parked all over the road, including on double yellow lines, and on the pavement. If an emergency vehicle had to go up the road it would struggle to pass.

I have tried loads of times to speak with Andrew; the manager of the pub, to ask if he can keep the music down, and keep the customers from causing so many problems. But he does not care; He just shrugs his shoulders, and everything carries on as it was, and says I ve got to make money.

I understand that businesses have to make money; but they should not do it at the cost of the neighbours nearby. All we ask is for some respect for us to live peacefully, without having music forced into our home 3 times a week.

People say why don't we go away for weekends to avoid the music if we don't like it? Are these people serious? Why should we go away from our home to allow other people to make as much noise and mess as they like, when this is our home? I wouldn't be able to afford to do that anyway. I think it is unreasonable to have to do this, just because the pub doesn't want to turn the music down.

The venue could and should resolve the issue which causes the problem. And that would sort out the correct sound proofing, that's not too much to ask? Yes it cost money but it would resolve the issue for the most part.