

## **Licensing Act 2003 - Representation in respect of Premises Licence**

Details of person or body making representation		
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Details of premises representation is about			
Name Premises:	of	The Bricklayers Arm	
Address premises:	of	78 Welford Road Leicester LE2 7AB	
Application (if known)	No.	145708	

Please tick one or more of the licensing objectives that your representation relates to:				
Prevention of crime and disorder				
Public Safety				
Prevention of public nuisance	yes			
Protection of children from harm				

## Please summarise your concerns about this application:

I refer to the above-mentioned application for a variation of premises licence for The Bricklayers Arm, 78 Welford Road, Leicester. My representation relates to the prevention of Public Nuisance.

The premises is near residential properties on Regent Road and on Welford Road, Leicester.

I am concerned that if the variation is granted as applied for, without further measures to control noise from the premises, it is likely that noise nuisance will occur.

Therefore, in order to prevent the occurrence of public nuisance I recommend that unless suitable conditions are placed upon the licence to protect nearby residence the application should be refused.

## **Recommended Conditions**

- 1) All external doors and windows must be kept closed, other than for access and egress, in all rooms when events involving live music and recorded music are taking place.
- 2) The outdoor courtyard (beer garden) must not be used between 9pm and 8am daily.
- 3) All amplified music, voice and film must be played through the sound limiting device currently installed at the premises.
- 4) Disposal of waste bottles into external receptacles where the noise will be audible to neighbouring properties must not occur between 21.00 hours and 09.00 hours.
- 5) Prominent, clear notices shall be displayed at all exits and in designated smoking areas requesting customers and staff respect the needs of residents by keeping noise to a minimum when using the outside area and when leaving the premises.
- 6) The licensee shall take reasonable steps to prevent public nuisance being caused by customers outside whilst smoking.

However, I have had a telephone conversation with Sam Okafor (DPS) regarding the likelihood of public nuisance and the measures considered necessary to prevent its occurrence. He appears willing for the above conditions to be added to the licence. I have requested that the applicant contacts the Licensing Department to formally agree to the request that conditions be added to the licence.