Our Ref: LIC605486588

Date: 13/04/2024



## **Customer details:**

Title	First name	Surname	Phone number	Mobile number	Email address

## Address:

Enter the postcode or etreet name	Please select the	Flat	House	Street	Town	County	Postcode

Name of premises: Baton Rouge @ Queens

## Location:

Enter the postcode or street name	Please select the address	Flat	House number	Street	Town	County	Postcode
LE1 1RE	41 Rutland Street, Leicester		41	Rutland Street	Leicester	Leicester City	LE1 1RE

## Application No. (If known):

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

Please summarise your concerns about this application: Currently, the wanted opening hours are to be open until 1 am Sunday-Wednesday and then 2 am Thursday-Saturday. These hours are not factoring in local residents at all. Being open for these designated times - is going to cause an increase in disruptive behaviour, with public nuisance and an increase in crime - as even after close, drunk individuals will be causing trouble on the streets outside. The area already has a high crime rate and this is going to increase it.

In addition; I am a resident of the flats above (Queen Building). As a building we are very unhappy with these hours and feel let down - as we haven't even been considered. Neighbouring Athena isn't allowed open for the hours that Baton Rouge has requested - so I don't believe they should be allowed either. Personally, I am a children's nurse working at the LRI, I am now going to have to consider moving - due to the noise and disruption that is going to occur from this and I know this is the same, for my fellow residents in queens.

Please give further details of WHY you believe this application will have an adverse effect on the licensing objectives: I am confident that problems with public safety, an increase in public nuisance and an increase in crime, is going to occur if the premise is allowed to open for those hours all week long. The hours wanted will create an high level of noise all week long which is unacceptable and they have outlined to have events late outside - which will cause disruption.

Are there any changes that could be made to the application that would reduce or remove your concerns?: Yes

Please explain what changes you think would help: For Baton Rouge to be open Sunday-Thursday until 11pm and then open until 2am Friday and Saturday night. As well, for live open air events to only be at weekends - so that all residents in the local area are considered.

If appropriate, would you be willing to take part in mediation to try to reach an agreed outcome?: Yes

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