

**Valentina Cenic**

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Dear Sir / Madam

In regard to your notice in relation to the licence of the above store, I feel I need to add support to the owner in question.

If the alleged charges are found to be true then I believe that his license should be revoked, but currently as far as I'm aware he has not been formally charged with any offence.

I believe that you should be judged as in the law of the land, innocent until proven guilty.

I am a regular customer and have lived in the area for 25 years. I find the owner of the shop to be very pleasant and obliging, on occasions I have witnessed him challenging and refusing to serve individuals for various reasons and quite rightly so.

There used to be young people hanging around the area and outside the shop but he has discouraged that.

The local Community hold him in high regard and he is a valued asset to the area, which at times has its issues with ASB. His premises do not attract this ASB where in other areas, shops of this nature do tend to attract vulnerable individuals who could be deemed intimidating.

I respect that the Police have to act upon perceived crime and yourselves for upholding licensing conditions.

But from my experience of the gentleman in question I find the allegations against him quite a surprise.

Regards

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