

Leicester
City Council

LICENSING (HEARINGS) SUB-COMMITTEE

DATE: WEDNESDAY, 14 APRIL 2021

TIME: 5:30 pm

PLACE: Zoom meeting

Members of the Sub-Committee

Councillors Dr Moore, Sangster, and Singh Johal

Members of the Sub-Committee are summoned to attend the above meeting to consider the items of business listed overleaf.

for Monitoring Officer

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LEICESTER CITY COUNCIL LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE PROCEDURAL GUIDE

INTRODUCTORY PHASE

The meeting will be held in public unless stated otherwise in the report.

Present at the hearing will be Members of the Licensing Sub-Committee (minimum 3 Members), Officers from the Licensing Authority, a Legal Adviser to the Sub-Committee, an Officer from Democratic Services.

1. Participants at the meeting will introduce themselves as follows:
 - a. Members and Officers
 - b. Statutory Consultees (if any)
 - c. The Applicant and any representatives
 - d. Persons who have made representations
2. The Chair will check that the Applicant has received a copy of the Officer report.

INFORMATION GATHERING

3. The Licensing Officer presents the report (previously circulated)

Questions (for clarification purposes only):
Members
Statutory Consultees (if any)
Persons who have made representations
Applicant and Representative (s)
4. Depending on the nature of the report, Statutory Consultees present their comments.

Questions (for clarification purposes only):
Members
Officers
Persons who have made representations
Applicant and Representative(s)
5. Persons who have made representations

Questions (for clarification purposes only):
Members
Officers
Statutory Consultees (is any)
Applicant and Representative(s)
6. Applicant's Case

Questions (for clarification purposes only):
Members
Officers
Statutory Consultees
Persons who have made representations

7. Summing up in the following order

Officers

Statutory Consultees

Persons who have made representations

Applicant and Representative(s)

8. The Legal Adviser to the Sub-Committee to advise the Sub-Committee in the presence of the Applicant, Representatives, Officers, Statutory Consultees, and persons who have made representations on relevant issues the Members need to be aware of when they come to make their decision.

DECISION MAKING

9. Apart from the Sub-Committee Members and the Democratic Support Officer everyone will be asked to withdraw from the meeting The Legal Adviser to the Sub-Committee may be called back to the meeting to advise on the wording of the decision the Sub-Committee Members will have made during private deliberation.
10. The Applicant will be advised that the decision made by the Sub-Committee will be made public within 5 working days of the meeting.

PUBLIC SESSION

AGENDA

LIVE STREAM OF MEETING

The live stream of the meeting can be viewed on our YouTube channel at:
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCddTWo00_gs0cp-301XDbXA.

- 1. APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR**
- 2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
- 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

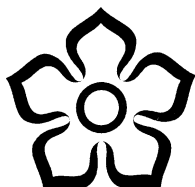
Members are asked to declare any interests they may have in the business to be discussed.

- 4. APPLICATION FOR A VARIATION OF AN EXISTING PREMISES LICENCE - VITAZ SUPERSTORE, 66 CANON STREET, LEICESTER, LE4 6NG** **Appendix A**

The Director of Neighbourhood and Environmental Services submits a report on an application for a variation of an existing Premises Licence - Vitaz Superstore, 66 Canon Street, Leicester, LE4 6NG.

Report attached, A copy of the associated documentation is attached for Members only. Further copies are available on the Council's website at www.Cabinet.leicester.gov.uk or by contacting Democratic Support on 0116 454 6359.

(Wards affected: Belgrave)



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WARDS AFFECTED

Appendix A

BELGRAVE

FORWARD TIMETABLE OF CONSULTATION AND MEETINGS: Hearing under the Licensing Act 2003

14th April 2021

Application for a variation of an existing premises licence Vitaz Superstore, 66 Canon Street, Leicester, LE4 6NG

Report of the Director of Neighbourhood and Environmental Services

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1. This report provides information for Members about an application made under the Licensing Act 2003, to assist them in determining the outcome of that application.

2. Determination to be made

- 2.1. Having considered the application and representations, Members must consider whether to
- Grant the licence without modification
 - Modify the conditions of the licence
 - Reject the whole application

3. Summary

- 3.1 This report outlines an application for a variation to an existing premises licence for the Vitaz Superstore and summarises the representations received. It also highlights the licensing objectives, the relevant parts of the guidance and regulations, and the pertinent sections of the Licensing Authority's Licensing Policy.

4. Location Plan



5. Existing Licence

5.1. The existing licence is attached at Appendix A.

6. Application

6.1 An application was received on 2nd March 2021 from Greenhill Consultancy on behalf of Vijaykumar Hingu, the premises licence holder, for a variation to an existing premises licence for the Vitaz Superstore. A copy of the application is attached at Appendix B.

6.2 The variation sought by the application is as follows:

Licensable activity	Current Hours	Proposed Hours
Supply of Alcohol (consumption off the premises)	Mon-Sun 07:00-23:00	Sun-Thurs 06:00-00:00 Fri-Sat 06:00-02:00
Opening hours	Mon-Sun 07:00-23:00	Sun-Thurs 06:00-00:00 Fri-Sat 06:00-02:00

7. Steps to Promote the Licensing Objectives

- 7.1 The steps the applicant proposes to take to promote the licensing objectives are set out in the operating schedule (see section M of Appendix B and existing licence at Appendix A).
- 7.2 In arriving at its decision on the application, the Licensing Authority's primary consideration must be the promotion of the licensing objectives.

8. Representations

- 8.1 A representation was received on 6th March 2021 from a ward councillor. The representation relates to the prevention of public nuisance the protection of children from harm, the prevention of crime and disorder and public safety. Councillor Solanki is concerned that if the application is granted it would cause disruption to nearby residences and the increase to hours would exacerbate the existing issues of street drinking, noise, litter and general anti-social behaviour in the area. In addition, there are concerns about elderly and young residents in the area as this is a main route for residents walking to schools and places of worship. A copy of the representation is attached at Appendix C1.
- 8.2 Representations have been received from a local resident and a local temple who also submitted photographs. The representations relate to the prevention of public nuisance, public safety, the prevention of harm to children and crime and disorder. They are jointly concerned that customers leaving late at night and the early hours will increase the already unacceptable noise levels and disruption that currently exists and increase anti-social behaviour in the vicinity of the premises. There is also concerns about urinating in the street. The existing litter problems, street drinking and gatherings will also be likely to increase into the early hours if the application is granted. Copies of the representations are attached at Appendix C2 -C3 and the photographs at C3.
- 8.3 A representation was received on 22nd March 2021 from the noise team within Leicester City Council. The representation relates to the prevention of public nuisance. The Noise team are concerned that if the hours are increased in line with the application there will be an increase in noise and disturbance from vehicles, stereos, car doors slamming and talking into the early hours and this will impact on the lives of local residents and likely increase noise complaints in the area. A copy of the representation is attached at Appendix C4.
- 8.4 A representation was received on 22nd March 2021 from the Leicestershire Police. The representation relates to the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public

nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm.

The police are concerned that if the application is granted there will be an increase in noise levels, litter, street drinkers and anti-social behaviour. A copy of the representation is attached at Appendix C5.

On the 24th March 2021 additional information was received from the Leicestershire Police whereby they submitted information on other local premises in the area and reported incidences. This is attached at Appendix C5 (photos and info).

On the 25th of March a further statement was received from Leicestershire police as indicated on the original representation. This is also attached at Appendix C5 (statement).

- 8.5 Discussions have taken place between the applicant's representative, the applicant and the Local Beat Officer PC Martin Rawlings about the potential to amend the hours of application to Midnight every night. A verbal agreement was made at the meeting however no formal written agreement has been made and therefore the application before you is as originally applied for.
- 8.6 The applicant's representative has submitted a signed petition which is in support of the application. This is attached at C6 to the report.

9. Conditions

- 9 The conditions that are consistent with the operating schedule are attached at Appendix D. There are no conditions consistent with either the noise team or the police' representation as both have recommended refusal.

10. Statutory Guidance

- 10.1 Any decision made by the Licensing Authority must be in accordance with the licensing objectives. In addition, the government has issued guidance under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003. The parts of the guidance that are particularly relevant in this case are as follows:

Section	Heading
1.2 – 1.5	Licensing objectives and aims
1.15 – 1.16	General Principles
1.17	Each application on its own merits
2.1 – 2.6	Crime & Disorder
2.7 – 2.14	Public Safety
2.15 – 2.21	Public nuisance
2.22 – 2.31	Protection of children from harm
8.41 – 8.49	Steps to promote the licensing objectives
9.11 – 9.12	Role of responsible authorities
9.31 – 9.41	Hearings
9.42 – 9.44	Determining actions that are appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives
10.1 – 10.3	Conditions - general

10.8 – 10.9	Imposed conditions
10.10	Proportionality
10.13 - 10.15	Hours of trading
13.10 – 13.11	Giving reasons for decisions
14.51 – 14.52	Licensing Hours

11. Statement of Licensing Policy

- 11.1 The relevant parts of the Licensing Authority's Statement of Licensing Policy are as follows:

Section	Heading
2	Fundamental Principles
5	Licensing Hours
7	Prevention of Crime and Disorder
8	Public Safety
9	Prevention of Public Nuisance
10	Protection of Children from Harm
11.4 – 11.5	Planning
12	Duplication
13	Standardised conditions

12 Points for Clarification

- 12.1 The applicant and the parties making the representation have been asked to clarify certain points at the hearing, as follows:

By the applicant

- Whether the applicant considers that the concerns outlined in the representations are valid, and if not why?
- In the light of the representations made, does the applicant wish to propose any additional steps for the promotion of the licensing objectives?

By the parties making the representations

- Whether they have any additional information to support the representation they have made?
- Whether there are any additional steps that could be taken which would be equally effective in the promotion of the licensing objectives?

13 Other Implications

OTHER IMPLICATIONS	YES/ NO	Paragraph/References Within Supporting information
Equal Opportunities	No	
Policy	No	
Sustainable and Environmental	No	

Crime and Disorder	Yes	Representations relate to crime and disorder
Human Rights Act	No	
Elderly/People on Low Income	No	
Corporate Parenting	No	
Health Inequalities Impact	No	

14 Background Papers – Local Government Act 1972

- a. None

15 Consultations

- a. As this application was received electronically, the Licensing Authority was required to consult with the relevant responsible authorities as set out in the Licensing Act 2003.

16 Report Author

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APPENDIX	CONTENT
A	Existing licence
B	Application
C1 – C6	Representations and additional information
D	Conditions consistent with application

Licensing Act 2003 Premises Licence

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Leicester City Council
Phoenix House
1 King Street
Leicester
LE1 6RN

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licensing@leicester.gov.uk

Part 1 - Premises Details

POSTAL ADDRESS OF PREMISES, OR IF NONE, ORDNANCE SURVEY MAP REFERENCE OR DESCRIPTION

Vitaz Superstore

66 Canon Street, Leicester, LE4 6NG.

WHERE THE LICENCE IS TIME LIMITED THE DATES

Not applicable

Expires **no expiry**

LICENSABLE ACTIVITIES AUTHORISED BY THE LICENCE

- the supply of alcohol

THE TIMES THE LICENCE AUTHORISES THE CARRYING OUT OF LICENSABLE ACTIVITIES

Activity (and Area if applicable)	Description	Time From	Time To
J. Supply of alcohol for consumption OFF the premises only	Monday to Sunday	7:00am	11:00pm

THE OPENING HOURS OF THE PREMISES

Description	Time From	Time To
Monday to Sunday	7:00am	11:00pm

WHERE THE LICENCE AUTHORISES SUPPLIES OF ALCOHOL WHETHER THESE ARE ON AND / OR OFF SUPPLIES

- J. Supply of alcohol for consumption OFF the premises only

Part 2

NAME, (REGISTERED) ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER AND EMAIL (WHERE RELEVANT) OF HOLDER OF PREMISES LICENCE

Vijaykumar Hingu

REGISTERED NUMBER OF HOLDER, FOR EXAMPLE COMPANY NUMBER, CHARITY NUMBER (WHERE APPLICABLE)

NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR WHERE THE PREMISES LICENCE AUTHORISES THE SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL

Vijaykumar HINGU



Licensing Act 2003
Premises Licence

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**PERSONAL LICENCE NUMBER AND ISSUING AUTHORITY OF PERSONAL LICENCE HELD BY DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR
WHERE THE PREMISES LICENCE AUTHORISES FOR THE SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL**

Licence No. LEIPRS4493

Issued by Leicester

ANNEXES

Annex 1 - Mandatory conditions

No supply of alcohol may be made under the premises licence -

- a) at a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of the premises licence, or
- b) at a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or his personal licence is suspended.

Every supply of alcohol under the premises licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.

The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.

The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licence must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.

The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either-

- a) a holographic mark, or
- b) an ultraviolet feature.

A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.

Annex 2 - Conditions consistent with the operating schedule

The licence holder shall ensure that a CCTV system is installed and implemented. The CCTV will be retained for a minimum of 28 days and made available within 24 hours of a request being made by a relevant authority.

A member of staff will be present at all times whilst the premises is open to the public, who is trained to operate the CCTV system.

All staff training on Licensing Act 2003 and safeguarding issues will be refreshed every 12 months and a written training log will remain on the premises and be produced to the relevant authorities upon a request being made.

A refusal and incident book will be kept on the premises, this will be updated accordingly and produced to the relevant authorities upon a request being made.

The licence holder shall ensure that bins aren't emptied before the shop opens or after it closes.

The licence holder shall display Challenge 21 posters. Acceptance of accredited 'proof of age' cards and/or passport or driving licence with photograph.

Annex 3 - Conditions attached after a hearing by the Licensing Authority

None



Licensing Act 2003

Premises Licence Summary**LEIPRM1833**

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66 Canon Street, Leicester, LE4 6NG.

WHERE THE LICENCE IS TIME LIMITED THE DATES

Not applicable

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Vijaykumar Hingu

REGISTERED NUMBER OF HOLDER, FOR EXAMPLE COMPANY NUMBER, CHARITY NUMBER (WHERE APPLICABLE)

NAME OF DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR WHERE THE PREMISES LICENCE AUTHORISES THE SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL

Vijaykumar HINGU

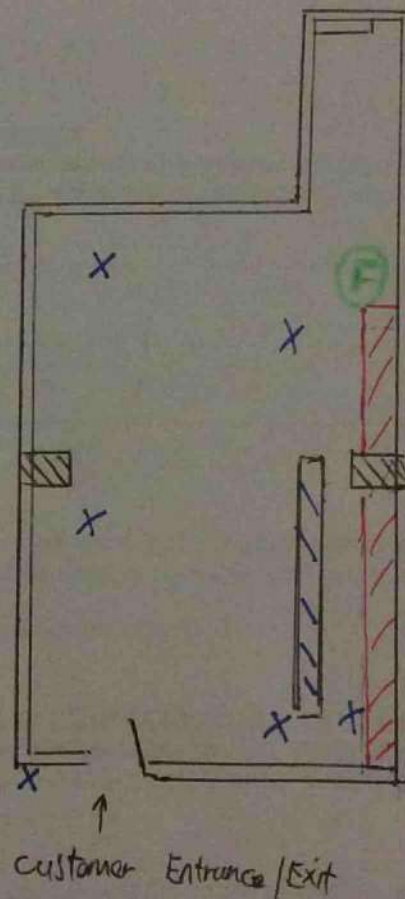
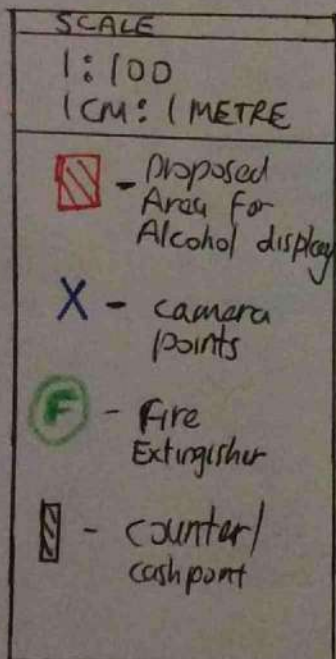
STATE WHETHER ACCESS TO THE PREMISES BY CHILDREN IS RESTRICTED OR PROHIBITED

Not applicable



Annex 4 - Plan

VITAZ SUPERSTORE
66 CANNON STREET. LEICESTER. LE1 6NG





Leicester
Application to vary a premises licence
Licensing Act 2003

For help contact
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 Telephone: +44 116 454 3040

* required information

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You can save the form at any time and resume it later. You do not need to be logged in when you resume.

System reference

Not Currently In Use

This is the unique reference for this application generated by the system.

Your reference

vitaz supertore variation

You can put what you want here to help you track applications if you make lots of them. It is passed to the authority.

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Put "no" if you are applying on your own behalf or on behalf of a business you own or work for.

Applicant Details

* First name

VIJAYKUMAR PRAVINBHAI

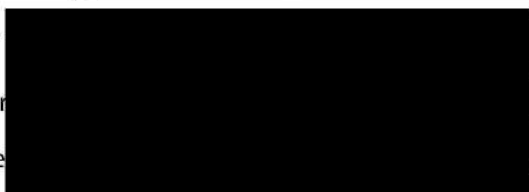
* Family name

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* E-mail

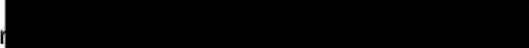
greenhill.licences@hotmail.com

Main telephone number



Include country code.

Other telephone number



☒ Indicate here if the above is a mobile telephone

Is the applicant:

☐ Applying as a business or organisation, including as a sole trader

☒ Applying as an individual

A sole trader is a business owned by one person without any special legal structure. Applying as an individual means the applicant is applying so the applicant can be employed, or for some other personal reason, such as following a hobby.

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Address

* Building number or name	
* Street	
District	
* City or town	
County or administrative area	
* Postcode	
* Country	United Kingdom

Agent Details

* First name	ANIL
* Family name	BHAWSAR
* E-mail	GREENHILL.LICENCES@HOTMAIL.COM

Main telephone number	
Other telephone number	

Include country code.

☐ Indicate here if you would like to be contacted by telephone

Are you:

- ☐ An agent that is a business or sole trader
- ☒ A private individual acting as an agent

A sole trader is a business owned by one person without any special legal structure.

Your Address

* Building number or name	
* Street	
District	
* City or town	
County or administrative area	
* Postcode	
* Country	United Kingdom

Address official correspondence should be sent to.

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APPLICATION DETAILS

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This application cannot be used to vary the licence so as to extend the period for which the licence has effect or to vary substantially the premises to which it relates. If you wish to make that type of change to the premises licence, you should make a new premises licence application under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003.

I/we, as named in section 1, being the premises licence holder, apply to vary a premises licence under section 34 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in section 2 below.

* Premises Licence Number

Are you able to provide a postal address, OS map reference or description of the premises?

☒ Address ☐ OS map reference ☐ Description

Postal Address Of Premises

Building number or name

Street

District

City or town

County or administrative area

Postcode

Country

Premises Contact Details

Telephone number

Non-domestic rateable value of premises (£)

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VARIATION

Do you want the proposed variation to have effect as soon as possible? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Do you want the proposed variation to have effect in relation to the introduction of the late night levy?

☐ Yes ☒ No

You do not have to pay a fee if the only purpose of the variation for which you are applying is to avoid becoming liable to the late night levy.

If your proposed variation would mean that 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, state the number expected to attend

Describe Briefly The Nature Of The Proposed Variation

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Describe the premises. For example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies, you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.

THE CONVENIENCE STORE WISHES OPEN AT 6AM FROM 7AM CLOSE AT 12AM FROM 11PM ON SUNDAY TO THURSDAY AND CLOSE AT 2AM ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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PROVISION OF PLAYS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will the schedule to provide plays be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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PROVISION OF FILMS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will the schedule to provide films be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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PROVISION OF INDOOR SPORTING EVENTS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will the schedule to provide indoor sporting events be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?

☐ Yes ☐ No

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PROVISION OF BOXING OR WRESTLING ENTERTAINMENTS

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will the schedule to provide boxing or wrestling entertainments be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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PROVISION OF LIVE MUSIC

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will the schedule to provide live music be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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PROVISION OF RECORDED MUSIC

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[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will the schedule to provide recorded music be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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PROVISION OF PERFORMANCES OF DANCE

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will the schedule to provide performances of dance be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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PROVISION OF ANYTHING OF A SIMILAR DESCRIPTION TO LIVE MUSIC, RECORDED MUSIC OR PERFORMANCES OF DANCE

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will the schedule to provide anything similar to live music, recorded music or performances of dance be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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PROVISION OF LATE NIGHT REFRESHMENT

Will the schedule to provide late night refreshment be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?

☐ Yes ☒ No

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SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL

Will the schedule to supply alcohol be subject to change if this application to vary is successful?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Standard Days And Timings

MONDAY

Start

End

Start

End

TUESDAY

Start

End

Start

End

Provide timings in 24 hour clock (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.

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WEDNESDAY

Start 06:00

End 00:00

Start

End

THURSDAY

Start 06:00

End 00:00

Start

End

FRIDAY

Start 06:00

End 02:00

Start

End

SATURDAY

Start 06:00

End 02:00

Start

End

SUNDAY

Start 06:00

End 00:00

Start

End

Will the sale of alcohol be for consumption?

☐ On the premises ☒ Off the premises ☐ Both

If the sale of alcohol is for consumption on the premises select on, if the sale of alcohol is for consumption away from the premises select off. If the sale of alcohol is for consumption on the premises and away from the premises select both.

State any seasonal variations.

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the supply of alcohol at different times from those listed above, list below.

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

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ADULT ENTERTAINMENT

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Highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, or other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children.

Provide information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises which may give rise to concern in respect of children, regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises, for example (but not exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups etc gambling machines etc.

NONE

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HOURS PREMISES ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Standard Days And Timings

MONDAY

Start

End

Start

End

Provide timings in 24 hour clock (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.

TUESDAY

Start

End

Start

End

WEDNESDAY

Start

End

Start

End

THURSDAY

Start

End

Start

End

FRIDAY

Start

End

Start

End

SATURDAY

Start

End

Start

End

SUNDAY

Start

End

Start

End

State any seasonal variations.

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

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Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises to be open to the members and guests at different times from those listed above, list below.

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

Identify those conditions currently imposed on the licence which you believe could be removed as a consequence of the proposed variation you are seeking.

- ☒ I have enclosed the premises licence
- ☐ I have enclosed the relevant part of the premises licence

Reasons why I have failed to enclose the premises licence or relevant part of premises licence.

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LICENSING OBJECTIVES

Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e)

List here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.

IN ADDITION TO ALL THE ORIGINAL OBJECTIVES , THERE WILL BE 2 MEMBERS OF STAFF EACH DAY FROM 8PM

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

c) Public safety

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d) The prevention of public nuisance

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e) The protection of children from harm

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NOTES ON REGULATED ENTERTAINMENT

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In terms of specific **regulated entertainments** please note that:

- Plays: no licence is required for performances between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
- Films: no licence is required for 'not-for-profit' film exhibition held in community premises between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day provided that the audience does not exceed 500 and the organiser (a) gets consent to the screening from a person who is responsible for the premises; and (b) ensures that each such screening abides by age classification ratings.
- Indoor sporting events: no licence is required for performances between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000.
- Boxing or Wrestling Entertainment: no licence is required for a contest, exhibition or display of Greco-Roman wrestling, or freestyle wrestling between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000. Combined fighting sports – defined as a contest, exhibition or display which combines boxing or wrestling with one or more martial arts – are licensable as a boxing or wrestling entertainment rather than an indoor sporting event.
- Live music: no licence permission is required for:
 - o a performance of unamplified live music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, on any premises.
 - o a performance of amplified live music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
 - o a performance of amplified live music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, in a workplace that is not licensed to sell alcohol on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
 - o a performance of amplified live music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
 - o a performance of amplified live music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.
- Recorded Music: no licence permission is required for:
 - o any playing of recorded music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
 - o any playing of recorded music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
 - o any playing of recorded music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school proprietor or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.

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- Dance: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500. However, a performance which amounts to adult entertainment remains licensable.
- Cross activity exemptions: no licence is required between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, with no limit on audience size for:
 - o any entertainment taking place on the premises of the local authority where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the local authority;
 - o any entertainment taking place on the hospital premises of the health care provider where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the health care provider;
 - o any entertainment taking place on the premises of the school where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the school proprietor; and
 - o any entertainment (excluding films and a boxing or wrestling entertainment) taking place at a travelling circus, provided that (a) it takes place within a moveable structure that accommodates the audience, and (b) that the travelling circus has not been located on the same site for more than 28 consecutive days.

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PAYMENT DETAILS

This fee must be paid to the authority. If you complete the application online, you must pay it by debit or credit card. Fees are dependent on the business rate band of the premises. Further information is provided at the link below: <https://www.leicester.gov.uk/business/licences-and-permits/entertainment-food-and-drink-licensing/alcohol-entertainment-and-late-night-refreshment/policy-and-guidance/>

* Fee amount (£)

190.00

DECLARATION

1 I/WE UNDERSTAND THAT IT IS AN OFFENCE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE
* STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION. THOSE WHO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT MAY BE LIABLE ON
1 SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE OF ANY AMOUNT.

[Applicable to individual applicants only, including those in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership]: I
* understand I am not entitled to be issued with a licence if I do not have the entitlement to live and work in the UK (or if I
am subject to a condition preventing me from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity) and that my
licence will become invalid if I cease to be entitled to live and work in the UK (please read guidance note 15).

☒ Ticking this box indicates you have read and understood the above declaration

This section should be completed by the applicant, unless you answered "Yes" to the question "Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?"

* Full name

ANIL

* Capacity

LICENSING AGENT

* Date

24 / 02 / 2021
dd mm yyyy

Add another signatory

Once you're finished you need to do the following:

1. Save this form to your computer by clicking file/save as...
2. Go back to <https://www.gov.uk/apply-for-a-licence/premises-licence/leicester/change-1> to upload this file and continue with your application.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO VARY PREMISES LICENCE

Name of Applicant: Vijaykumar Hingu

Postal Address of Premises:

66 Canon Street, Leicester, LE4 6NG

Details of Application,

To open store and retail alcohol from 06:00 to 00:00 Sunday to Thursday, 06:00 to 02:00 Friday, and Saturday for consumption off the premises.

The Licensing Register can be inspected at any time by visiting www.leicester.gov.uk/licensing . During office hours arrangements may be made for the register to be viewed at the Customer Services Department, Leicester City Council, 91. Granby Street, Leicester, LE1 6FB.

Any representation relating to this application must be made in writing to the Licensing Authority by 24/03/2021.

It is an offence knowingly or recklessly to make a false statement in connection with an application. The maximum fine on summary conviction for this offence is £5,000.



From: Cllr Nita Solanki <Nita.Solanki@leicester.gov.uk>
Sent: 06 March 2021 16:58
To: Licensing <Licensing@leicester.gov.uk>
Cc: Deborah Bragg <Deborah.Bragg@leicester.gov.uk>
Subject: FW: Vitaz Super Store

Hi Team

Reviewing the licencing list I see Vitaz Superstores, 66 Cannon street has applied for a variation to their licence. My understanding is they want to extend the licence to 2am. I have received calls of concern from the residents. I would like to object to this on the following reasons.

The ward already has an issues around street drinking and this is something that has been raised to the relevant teams in the council, having a premises extending there hours we feel will only add to the problem.

Based on the feedback and complaints received from our residents we object to this on the following grounds
Noise Pollution – Residents already feel they have to deal with issues and ASB around street drinking and noise as street drinking is already seen as an area of concern in the ward and several complaints and calls are received by ward Cllrs from residents

Litter – There is an increase in alcohol litter and an extending the hours we believe will only add to this issue
Public and safety of children – Cannon street is a main route for children walking to and from school and also for elderly residents walking to the places of worships nearby to this store.

Can you please let me confirm my concerns have been put forward for consideration.

Regards
Cllr Nita Solanki

From: Cllr Nita Solanki <Nita.Solanki@leicester.gov.uk>
Sent: 15 March 2021 19:19
To: Licensing <Licensing@leicester.gov.uk>
Cc: Deborah Bragg <Deborah.Bragg@leicester.gov.uk>
Subject: Vitaz Superstore

Dear Team,

I've been contacted by [REDACTED] from [REDACTED]. She would like to object to the licence extension for 66 Cannon st.

Her Reason for objecting is

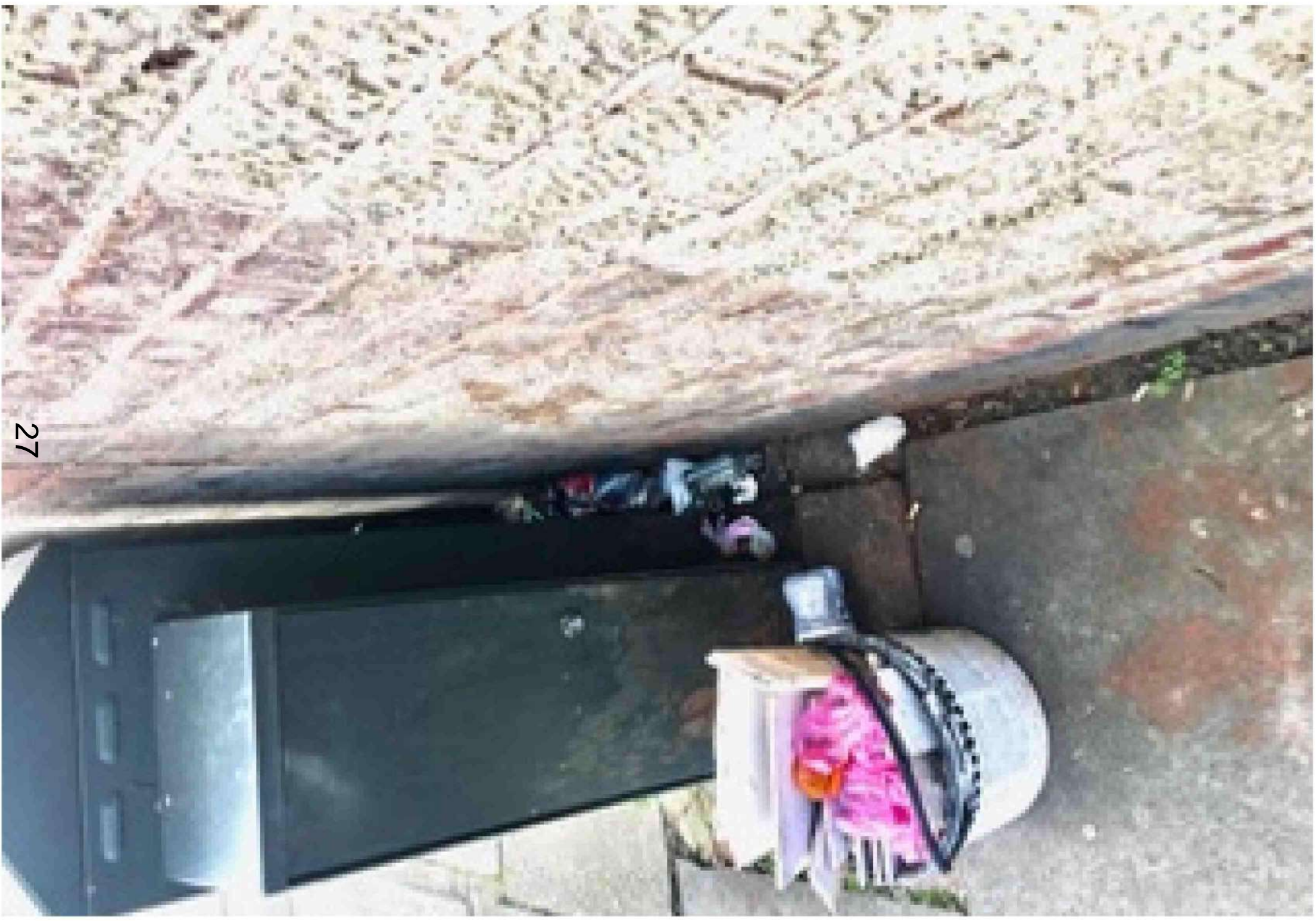
- 1) Noise – she feels extending the licence will increase the noise levels and cause disruption to the residents in the area the extension will encourage people accessing alcohol and drinking into the early hours of the morning in a residential area.
- 2) Rubbish and Litter – The area has seen an increase of alcohol litter in the surrounding areas where the premises is, allowing the shop to extend their hours will add to the issue that is already on her door step
- 3) ASB – she is a member of the church nearby on Weymouth street. She has often had to clean up alcohol litter from the church grounds and also has to arrange the cleaning of individuals urinating near the church ground and neighbouring areas.

Can you please confirm that [REDACTED] objection has been forwarded on.

Thank you

Cllr Nita Solanki

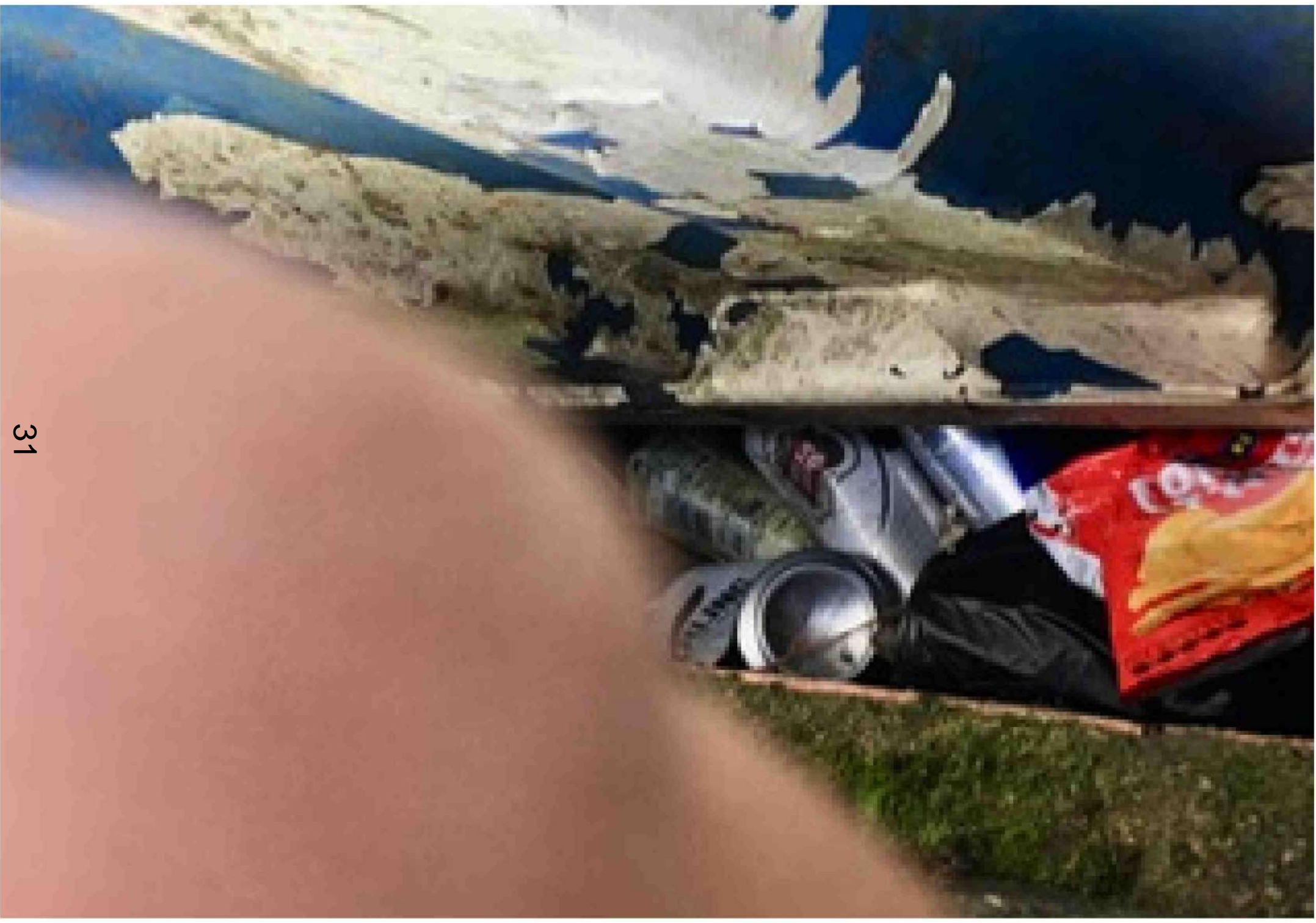


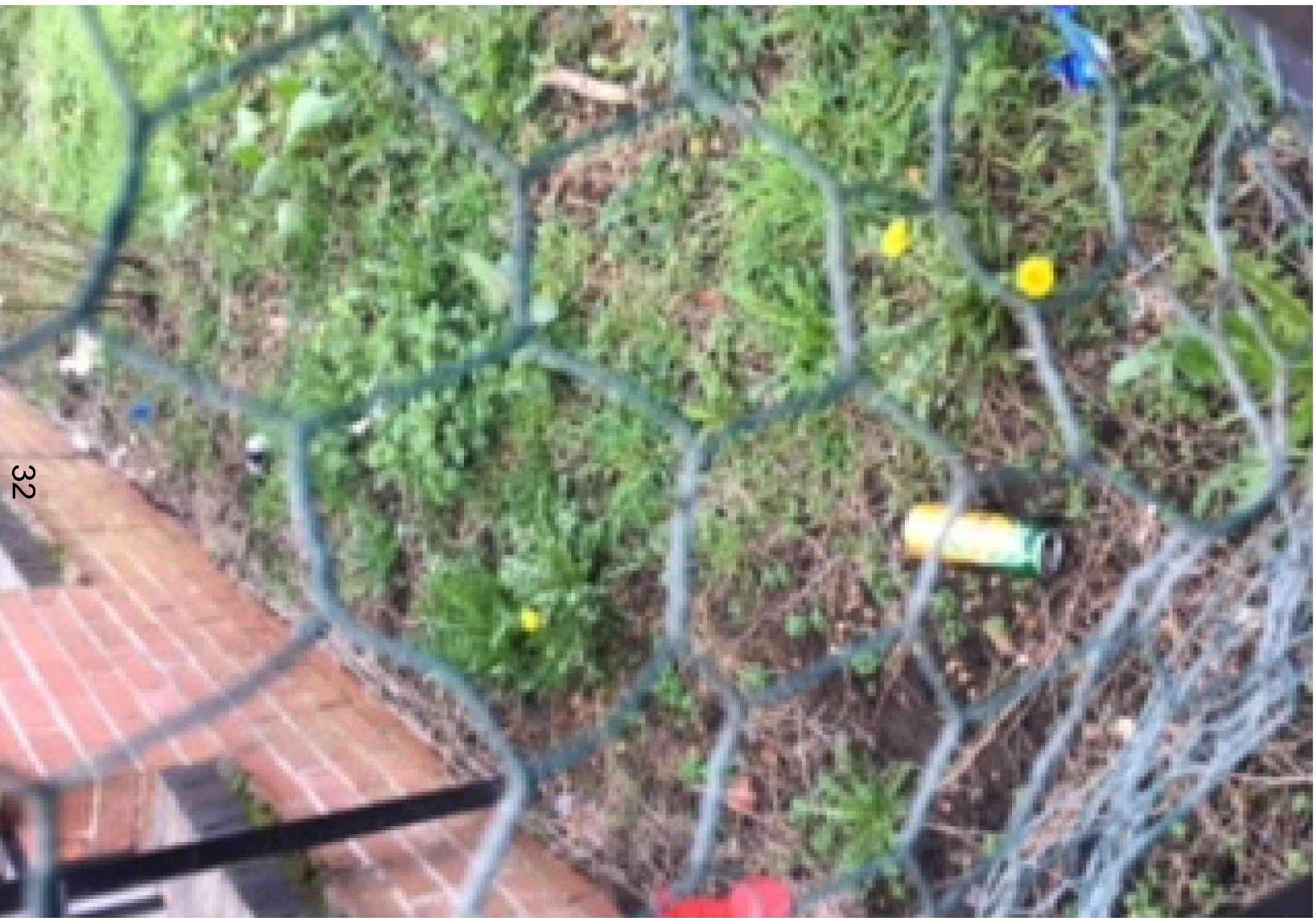




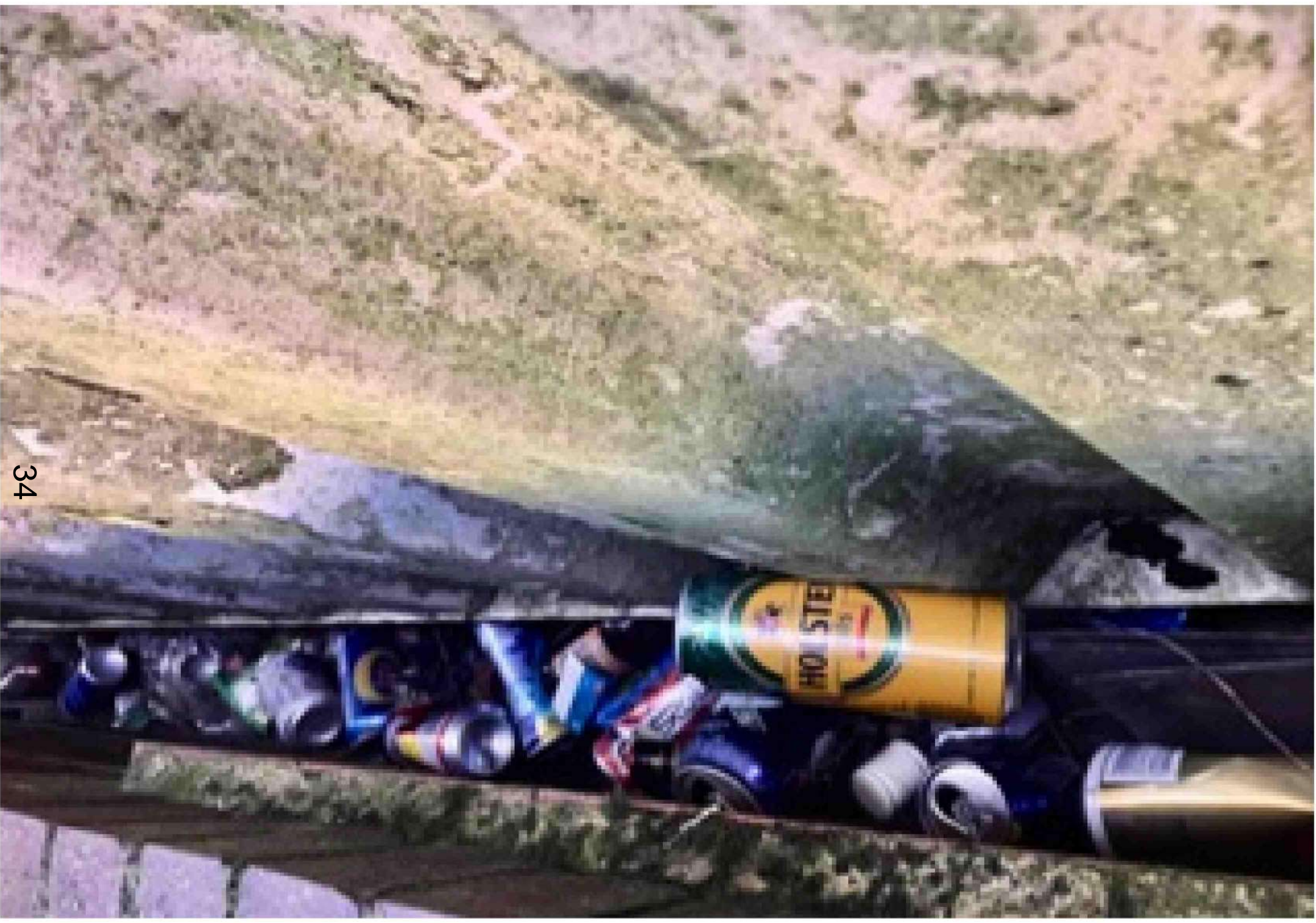












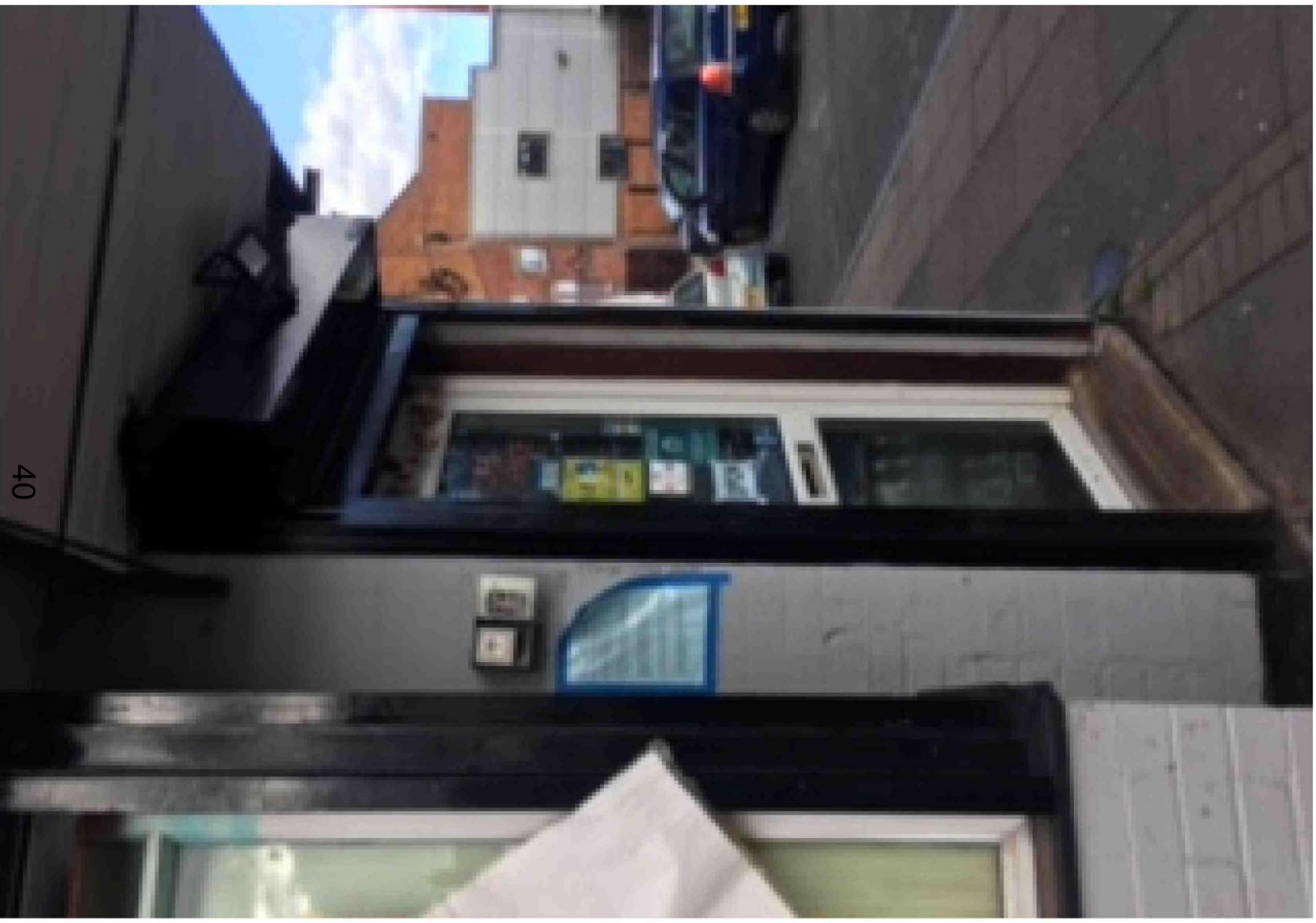
















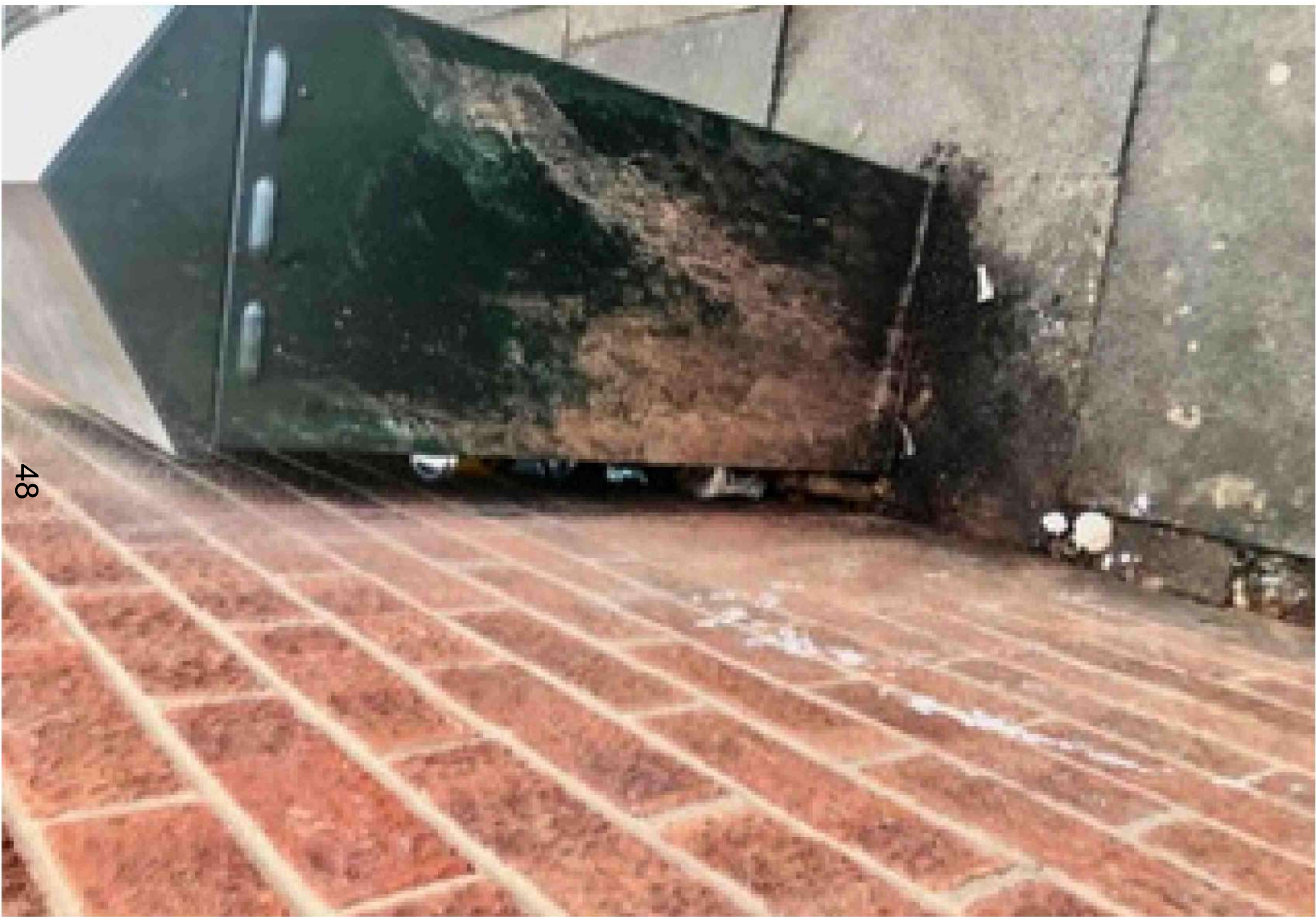






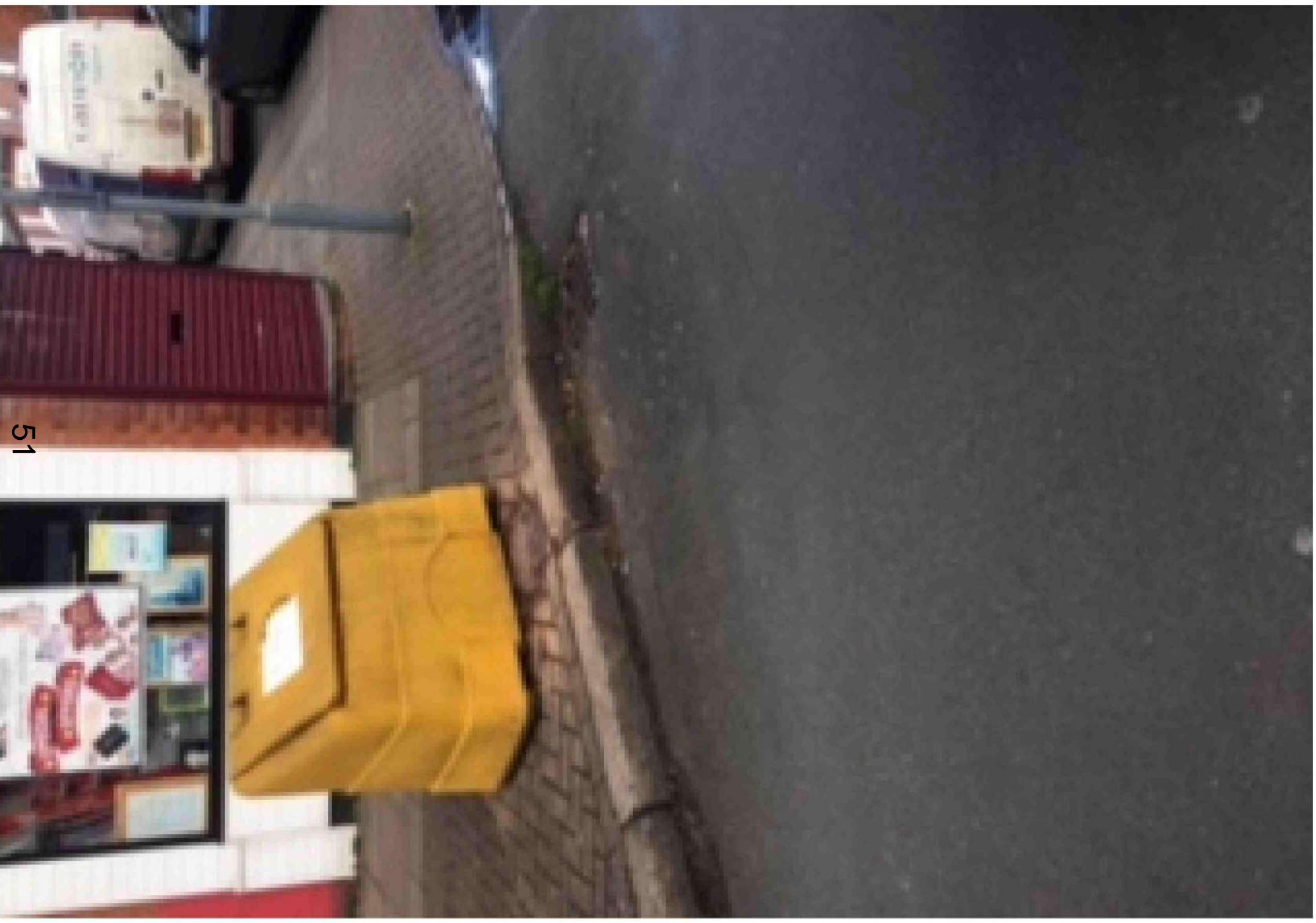


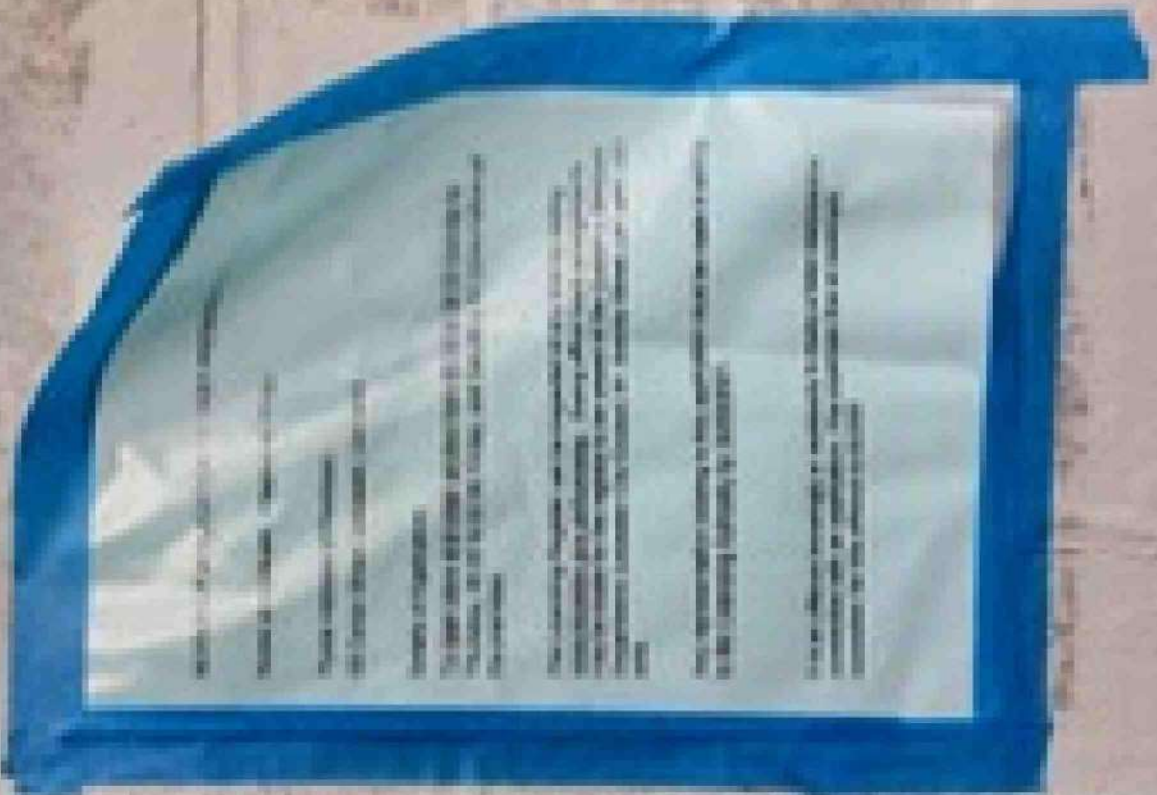




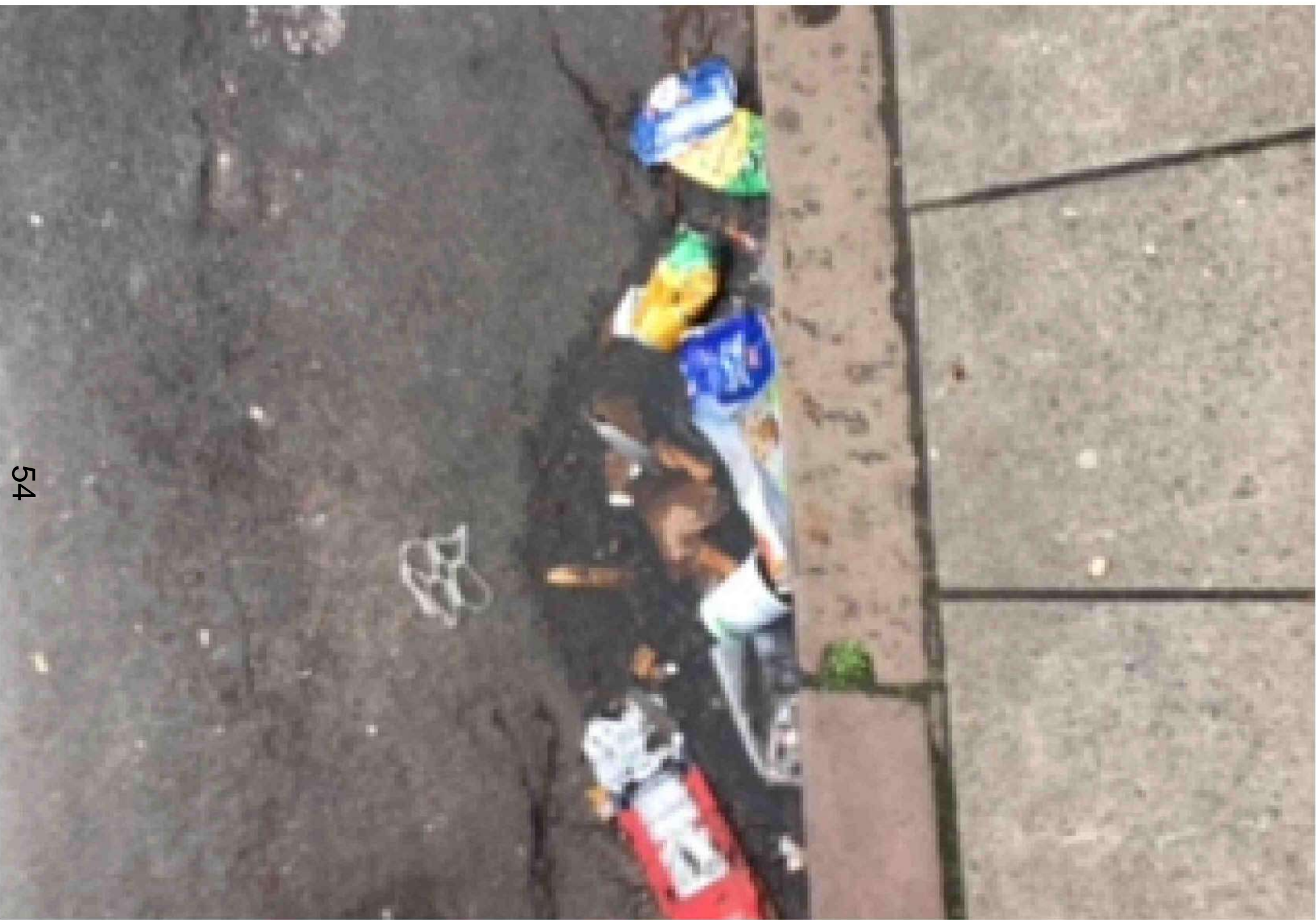












Subject: FW: EXTENDED ALCOHOL HOURS FOR LICENSE APPLICATION REGISTRATION WITH LCC
Importance: High

Hello

Deborah, Nita, Padmini, Mahendra

We hope you all are well.

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen

Re: 66 CANON STREET, LEICESTER LE4 6NG
LICENSE APPLICATION to extend the sale of alcohol hours
Applicant: VIJAYKUMAR HINGU

As it has to ours, we want to bring to your attention that the applicant has requested/registered with the LCC Licensing Department to extend alcohol sale hours.

- Please do see the attachments for your verification
- Photographs are taken on Tuesday 16Th March 2021

Foremost, the issues we have in our area (Canon Street, Moira Street, Jermyn Street, Harrison Road) are alcohol and social stimuli issues.

- The extended hours will Not support the ongoings of crime and disorder, public safety, prevention of public nuisance, protection of children and single parenting from harm.

Our office is opposite the applicants business. We have seen activities from our office window and through CCTV Cameras that young and older men are drinking alcohol socially from paper-brown-bags. These are regular gathering on most evenings.

Cars pull-up late evenings to purchase alcohol, and empty cans and bottles are being dumped on the Canon Street and Harrison Road corner kerb-side road in tied-up carrier bags.

It has also brought to our attention that the shop sells tobacco and alcohol to under-age (only if they know them).

- **The residents are deeply frustrated with these ongoing's in our area.**
- **There is NO public signposting of the applicant's application.**
- **Please accept our Community Communication.**

We kindly request the LCC License Issuing Authority Department to object/deny/refuse the said applicants application in extending the sale of alcohol hours.

Thank you for reading our email, and we look forward to a favourable community request.

Kind Regards

[Redacted signature block]

[Redacted content block]





Licensing Act 2003 - Representation in respect of an application for the variation of a premises licence

Details of person or body making representation

Your Name:	Kennedy Nwokolo
Your Address:	Pollution Control Officer Noise and Pollution Team Phoenix House 1 King Street Leicester LE1 6RN

Details of premises representation is about

Name of Premises:	Vitaz Superstore
Address of premises:	66 Canon Street Leicester LE4 6NG
Application No. (if known)	132885

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:

The premises, known as Vitaz Superstore is a licensed retail store located within a residential area on Canon Street and Harrison Road, Leicester.

In the main, the area is typically a residential area, although there are few other non-residential uses scattered along the road.

The applicant has applied for the sale of alcohol 06:00 – 00:00 hours Sunday – Thursday and 06:00 – 02:00 hours Friday and Saturday.

During the daytime, road traffic, commercial activity and on-street activity would be considered to be the dominant noise source in the locality. However, later in the evening, after 23.00 hours non-residential uses are generally closed and therefore into the early hours of the morning traffic noise and street noise noticeably reduces.

There are residential properties adjoining Vitaz Superstore, on both Canon Street and Harrison Road.

I am concerned that noise nuisance from raised voices and general activities associated with a typical licenced premises would be detrimental to adjoining residential units. The adjoining residential units would be exposed to noise from the commercial unit which would be transmitted through the fabric of the building and through any open doors and windows.

Local flats and houses do not include acoustic glazing sufficient to mitigate such noise levels, nor additional ventilation that permits windows to remain closed. Consequently, during late at night and early hours of the morning, noise from raised voices, could prevent the normal and reasonable use of local properties.

The premises currently, has a premises licence to sell alcohol from 07.00 hours till 23:00 hours Monday - Sunday.

The Noise Team is concerned that increasing the opening hours of the store for the sale of alcohol will increase pedestrian and vehicular activity in the area, which will increase the likelihood of noise complaint and disturbance to local residents.

Noise from customer activity, noise from vehicles (doors slamming, stereo systems etc.) when parked outside the premises or parked on the quieter local streets throughout the night would be very difficult if not impossible for the applicant to control.

It is therefore recommended that the application for variation of the premises licence be refused as applied for due to potential noise disturbances to local residents.



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Force Licensing Department
Mansfield House
74 Belgrave Gate
Leicester LE1 3GG

Tel: 101

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Licensing Act 2003 – Representation in respect of a Variation of a Premises Licence Application

Details of person or body making representation	
Your Name:	David Braithwaite
Your Address:	Force Licensing Department, Mansfield House, 74 Belgrave Gate, Leicester LE1 3GG

Details of premises representation is about	
Name of Premises:	Vitaz Superstore
Address of premises:	66 Canon Street, Leicester. LE4 6NG
Application No. (if known)	

Please tick one or more of the licensing objectives that your representation relates to:	
Prevention of crime and disorder	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Public Safety	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Prevention of public nuisance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Protection of children from harm	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please summarise your concerns about this application:
<p>I write in my capacity as a licensing officer for the Leicestershire Police on the authority delegated to me by the Chief Constable.</p> <p>This is an application to vary the premises licence of Vitaz Superstore, 66 Canon Street, Leicester.</p> <p>It has been submitted by the applicant Mr Vijaykumar PRAVINBHAI who is also both the Premises Licence Holder (PLH) and the Designated Premises Supervisor (DPS).</p> <p>At present the premises has an off-sales licence and its opening hours are as follows.</p> <p>Mon to Sun – 07:00 x 23:00 hours</p>

The supply of alcohol also mirrors these timings.

The applicant has indicated on the variation application that he would like his shop to remain open during the following times.

Opening Hours

Sun to Thur – 06:00 x 00:00 hours

Fri – Sat - 06:00 x 02:00 hours

Supply of Alcohol

The sale of alcohol will also mirror these timings.

The premises itself is situated on the junction of Canon Street and Harrison Road. To either side of the premises are adjoining residential dwelling houses, there are also other commercial buildings and dwelling houses within the immediate vicinity of the said venue.

Directly opposite the shop is another convenience store (Gokani).

Leicestershire police are concerned that the present application fails to promote the following licensing objectives.

- i. Prevention of Crime and Disorder.
- ii. Public Safety.
- iii. Prevention of Public Nuisance.

The issues we have with this application are as follows.

1. Due to the close proximity the premises is to local residential dwelling houses and flats, the police are very concerned that should this establishment be permitted to remain open into the early hours of the morning with their proposed operating hours, this could lead to unacceptable noise levels that will be generated by their customers, especially due to the fact that some of them could be already intoxicated and just looking for a premises where they can top up and continue drinking, also if this was the case then there would be an increased chance of bouts of disorder breaking out.
2. The area already suffers from a problem with street drinkers and the associated issues that they are connected to, such as noise, litter and Anti-Social Behaviour (ASB). The last thing we want is people purchasing alcohol at all hours, then congregating in the area causing problems for the local community.
3. I have spoken to the applicant's advisor and he indicated that the applicant is now trying to capture passing trade from people who are employed at the nearby businesses once they finish work. If this was to happen, this too could cause issues for the local community as the proposed customers will more than likely be pulling up in vehicles and just leaving them near the road junction coupled with the fact that there would also be noise generated from these vehicles such as the opening and closing of doors and the sound of engines being started.

Due to the concerns highlighted above, Leicestershire Police would request that in order to promote the licensing objectives of Prevention Of Crime And Disorder, Public Safety and Prevention Of Public Nuisance that this application be refused.

The following will be submitted in due course.

1. Various pictures of the premises and surrounding area (Annex A)
2. PC [REDACTED] statement (Annex B)
3. List of reported incidents within the vicinity of the premises (Annex C)

Dave Braithwaite
Deputy Licensing Manager

22nd March 2021

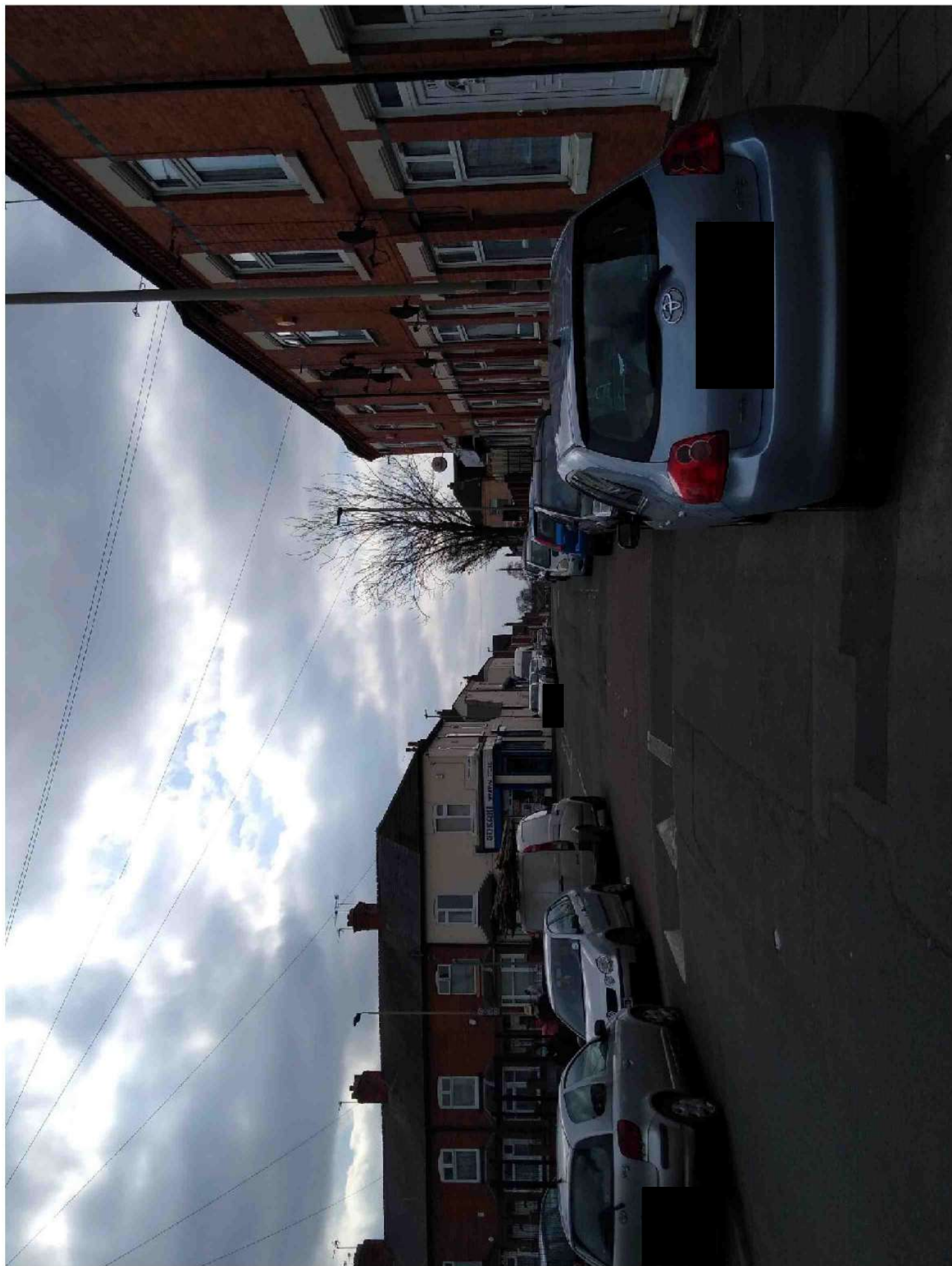












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Lexham Street

No recent incidents

Epsom Road

LEP-0622 - 10/07/2020 21:03 – Caller from EPSOM ROAD in LEICESTER between ASCOT ROAD there is two garages joined with a bit of space between 24 and 22 EPSOM ROAD, caller explained approx. 17:00hrs today there was a group of 4 males drinking and smoking.

LEP- 0451 - 01/06/2020 17:28– Caller from EPSOM ROAD in LEICESTER reporting that there is an ongoing issues with groups with a group of males coming and drinking on the street, this happens around 17:00/17:30 each day.

LEP- 0166 – 23/08/19 10:19 – Caller states on EPSOM ROAD in LEICESTER there is a nearby off license, he states a group of youngsters are buying alcohol from there and then congregating on their street to consume it.

Agar Street

No recent incidents.

Glen Street

No recent incidents.

Ascot Road

LEP- 0522 – 08/04/2020 17:23 – Caller reporting from ASCOT ROAD in LEICESTER that he has challenged some lads, around 8 hanging together drinking beer, they took offence to caller challenging them so they followed him trying to goad him to fight, caller ignored them and walked away.

Weymouth Street

No recent incidents

Catherine Street

LEP-0277- 23/08/2020 at 12:22 Caller reporting on Catherine street in Leicester ongoing issues with a group of Asian males who are drinking outside junior school on Catherine street, the males are also urinating.

Yorkshire Road

No recent incidents.

Scarborough Road

No recent incidents.

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Redcar Road

No recent incidents.

Glendon Street

No recent incidents.

Harrison Road

LEP- 0410 – 07/02/2021 15:58 – Caller walking dog on Rushy park Fields Harrison Road in Leicester there are 3 Asian males in there 40 all in dark clothing, caller was walking his and has a torch and saw the 3 Asian males drinking alcohol.

LEP- 0401 – 07/02/2021 at 15:48 – Caller calling from Harrison Road in Leicester reporting a group of about 15 adult males with vehicles playing loud music, gathering and drinking alcohol.

LEP- 0383 – 30/01/2021 at 16:07 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester states a vehicle white Toyota in the car park two males were sat in it two others joined the second two got in with bag full of alcohol.

LEP- 0356 – 02/01/2021 at 17:21 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester wants to make the local beat team aware of ongoing problems with persons drinking and littering near to the football club house on Rushy Park Field.

LEP- 0006 – 26/09/2020 at 00:15 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester reporting 10-15 cars in the car park playing oud music, drinking and being noisy, caller says this is a regular issue, it happens every Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

LEP- 0673 – 13/09/2020 at 21:52– Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester reports there is at least 20 cars parked at the park in excess of 30 plus people all drinking and playing music.

LEP- 0483 – 21/07/2020 at 19:54 – Car parked on Rushy Fields off Harrison Road in Leicester group of 15-20 youths, aged around 15 drinking and socialising.

LEP-0674 – 02/07/2020 at 20:15 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester reporting approx 9 Asian males gathering together drinking alcohol on Rushy park fields.

LEP- 0410 – 09/04/2020 at 15:03 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester reporting there is 4-5 males drinking on the park, they are near the car park on the picnic benches near the Bowling Green, reporting they are on their early 30's.

LEP- 0673 – 22/02/2020 at 20:15 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester is reporting a drunk male is preventing them from getting into their house, the male has now left.

21*02579 – 01/01/2021 at 20:00 ASB Reporting group of lads are getting together at the location address Rushy Fields of Harrison Road in Leicester every night after 8pm to drink alcohol and cause a nuisance.

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Penrith Road

No asb reports in the last 12 months.

Moores Road

Incident LEP- 0719- 21/02/2021 at 22:05 caller from Moores Road in Leicester contacts Police stating that there are a group of 10 males on the street corner drinking and making a noise. They were also not wearing face coverings and requested for them to be moved on.

Incident LEP- 0536 – 23/08/2020 at 19:14 caller from Harrison Road in Leicester contacts Police to report that there are a group of 8 males on the street in the alleyway with glass bottles, caller believed there was an altercation between the males. One of the males appeared intoxicated, she could also smell cannabis from where the group congregated.

Incident LEP- 0720 – 15/04/2020 at 19:05 caller from Moores Road in Leicester contacts Police stating that there are a group of 3 males on the street sitting in a vehicle drinking from cans, caller states they dispose of their litter on the street corner before they leave.

Shaftsbury Road

No asb reports in the last 12 months.

Jermyn Street

No asb reports in the last 12 months.

Canon Street numbers 1-120

None

Moira Street

Incident LEP - 0299- 27/03/2020 at 14:23 caller from Moira Street in Leicester contacts Police stating that there are a group of males on the street corner drinking.

Incident LEP - 0193- 10/04/2020 at 10:52 Caller from Moira Street in Leicester contacts Police stating that there is a group of males in the park area drinking and smoking.

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Incident LEP – 0859- 21/05/2020 at 23:17 caller from Moira Street in Leicester contacts Police stating that there is a group of young adults sat in the street playing music and drinking and being loud and aggressive towards people walking in the street

Down Street

Incident LEP – 0398 – 26/12/2020 at 18:42 Caller from Down Street Leicester contacts Police stating there is an ongoing issue with males gathering on Down Street every evening and staying there all night. They are always drinking in the street and will leave the glass bottles all over the street and on top of people's cars. Caller said that they also urinate on the main road and are being very noisy.

Halkin Street

Incident LEP- 0067- 15/11/2020 at 02:27 Caller from Halkin Street in Leicester contact Police stating that there are approximately 6 males drinking in the garages.

Incident LEP- 0733- 01/11/2020 at 23:49 Caller from Halkin Street in Leicester contacts Police stating that there is a group of males drinking and smoking and playing loud music.

Incident LEP- 0041- 11/08/2020 at 02:04 Caller from Halkin Street in Leicester contacts Police stating that there are 3 people street drinking near the garages on Halkin Street and upsetting the community.

Incident LEP- 0104- 08/08/2020 at 03:07 Caller from Halkin Street in Leicester contacts police stating that there are some males in the street drinking and getting very rowdy and have been there for a number of hours.

Incident LEP- 0706- 17/06/2020 at 22:08 Caller from Halkin Street in Leicester contacts police stating that there are some males drinking in the street, they are laughing and being noisy and disturbing the local residents.

Incident LEP- 0617- 17/06/2020 at 20:15 Caller from Halkin Street in Leicester contacts police stating there are a group of males drinking and taking drugs near to the garages on Halkin Street.

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Incident LEP- 0112- 16/06/2020 at 08:32 Caller from Halkin Street in Leicester contacts police stating that there were 10 males on the street drinking and have been there all night.

Incident LEP- 0084- 16/06/2020 at 06:49 Caller from Halkin Street in Leicester contacts police stating that there are currently 5 males outside of the garages and have been there all night. They were playing music all night and this was disturbing the caller and their family

Sentinel report 105804 16/06/2020 - relates to drinking at the garages on Halkin Street in Leicester. In regards to the sentinel there were 8 known perpetrators that were spoken to and warning letters were provided to these. *'Call received from two members of public in relation to a group of males who had been in the street all evening drinking and playing loud music. Upon police arrival all three males left the area before we could talk to them. This was outside M&M Tyres and Sancars. The owners of both garages were there and stated these males have been causing issues for several months now. They are there mainly at weekends and will arrive anytime from 16:30 and are usually there into the early hours. The garage owners pointed out a vehicle that belongs to one of the males and as this was causing an obstruction (it was parked blocking the access to the garages) it was recovered [REDACTED] Whilst dealing with the vehicle other garage owners came out to speak with us. All business owners seem to be experiencing the same issues with this group of males who I have been told associate with the owner of Performance Cars which is why they are hanging around in this particular area. The issues highlighted were: drinking, drug use, noise, urinating in the street, defecating in the street and leaving litter i.e. glass bottles etc.'*

Incident LEP-0705- 07/04/2020 at 07:05 Caller from Halkin Street Leicester contacts police stating there is a group of males, around 15 of them, drinking around Glendon Street and have been there for a few weeks.

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Windsor Ave

None

NOT PROTECTIVELY MARKED

Other Premises within the area of 66 Canon Street

	Premise Details	Address	Opening Times
1.	General Grocers Shop	152 Harrison Road.	Mon-Sat 08:00 x 23:00 Sun 10:00 x 22:30
2.	Gokani Grocers	109 Harrison Road.	Mon-Sat 08:00 x 23:00 Sun 10:00 x 22:30
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4.	Booze & News	336 Harrison Road.	Mon-Sun 07:00 x 23:59
5.	Popat Cash & Carry (Grant Pending)	136 Harrison Road.	Mon-Sun 07:00 x 23:00

WITNESS STATEMENT**(Criminal Procedure Rules, r. 16.2; Criminal Justice Act 1967, s. 9)**

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Statement of: **PC 1122 Martin Rawlings**

Age if under 18 Over 18 (if over 18 insert 'over 18') Occupation: Police Officer

This statement (consisting of page(s) each signed by me) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that, if it is tendered in evidence, I shall be liable to prosecution if I have wilfully stated in it, anything which I know to be false, or do not believe to be true.

Signature

Date 25th March 2021Tick if witness evidence is visually recorded ☐ (supply witness details on MG11b)

I am the above named Police Officer and I am currently a serving Neighbourhood Officer based at Belgrave Neighbourhood Centre, Rothley Street, Leicester. I provide this statement in relation to a recent License Application made by a male I know to be VIJAYKUMAR PRAVINBHAI HINGU where he wishes to extend the current hours to sell alcohol. I make this statement to object to the proposal where I believe he wishes to sell alcohol on Friday and Saturday nights through to 0200 am. I object on the grounds that this premises is in the heart of a residential area and on a road that is well used by both motorists and pedestrians. Because of the location of the shop I believe that these proposed hours of operation would not conform with the current Licensing objectives in particular the obligation to prevent Crime and Disorder, and prevent Nuisance. I recently researched through Police systems incidents reported to Police relating to crime and disorder, Anti-Social Behaviour and public safety concerns, and in a 12 month period within a distance of no more than 500 meters from this location, 66 Canon Street, Leicester numerous incidents were recorded and I list them below.

LEP-0622 - 10/07/2020 21:03 – Caller from EPSOM ROAD in LEICESTER between ASCOT ROAD there is two garages joined with a bit of space between 24 and 22 EPSOM ROAD, caller explained approx. 17:00hrs today there was a group of 4 males drinking and smoking.

LEP- 0451 - 01/06/2020 17:28– Caller from EPSOM ROAD in LEICESTER reporting that there is an ongoing issues with groups with a group of males coming and drinking on the street, this happens around 17:00/17:30 each day.

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LEP- 0166 – 23/08/19 10:19 – Caller states on EPSOM ROAD in LEICESTER there is a nearby off license, he states a group of youngsters are buying alcohol from there and then congregating on their street to consume it.

Ascot Road

LEP- 0522 – 08/04/2020 17:23 – Caller reporting from ASCOT ROAD in LEICESTER that he has challenged some lads, around 8 hanging together drinking beer, they took offence to caller challenging them so they followed him trying to goad him to fight, caller ignored them and walked away.

Catherine Street

LEP-0277- 23/08/2020 at 12:22 Caller reporting on Catherine street in Leicester ongoing issues with a group of Asian males who are drinking outside junior school on Catherine street, the males are also urinating.

LEP- 0410 – 07/02/2021 15:58 – Caller walking dog on Rushy park Fields Harrison Road in Leicester there are 3 Asian males in there 40 all in dark clothing, caller was walking his and has a torch and saw the 3 Asian males drinking alcohol.

LEP- 0401 – 07/02/2021 at 15:48 – Caller calling from Harrison Road in Leicester reporting a group of about 15 adult males with vehicles playing loud music, gathering and drinking alcohol.

LEP- 0383 – 30/01/2021 at 16:07 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester states a vehicle white Toyota in the car park two males were sat in it two others joined the second two got in with bag full of alcohol.

LEP- 0356 – 02/01/2021 at 17:21 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester wants to make the local beat team aware of ongoing problems with persons drinking and littering near to the football club house on Rushy Park Field.

LEP- 0006 – 26/09/2020 at 00:15 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester reporting 10-15 cars in the car park playing oud music, drinking and being noisy, caller says this is a regular issue, it happens every Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

LEP- 0673 – 13/09/2020 at 21:52– Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester reports there is at least 20 cars parked at the park in excess of 30 plus people all drinking and playing music.

LEP- 0483 – 21/07/2020 at 19:54 – Car parked on Rushy Fields off Harrison Road in Leicester group of 15-20 youths, aged around 15 drinking and socialising.

LEP-0674 – 02/07/2020 at 20:15 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester reporting appox 9 Asian males

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LEP- 0410 – 09/04/2020 at 15:03 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester reporting there is 4-5 males drinking on the park, they are near the car park on the picnic benches near the Bowling Green, reporting they are on their early 30's.

LEP- 0673 – 22/02/2020 at 20:15 – Caller from Harrison Road in Leicester is reporting a drunk male is preventing them from getting into their house, the male has now left.

21*02579 – 01/01/2021 at 20:00 ASB Reporting group of lads are getting together at the location address Rushy Fields of Harrison Road in Leicester every night after 8pm to drink alcohol and cause a nuisance.

Moore's Road

Incident LEP- 0719- 21/02/2021 at 22:05 caller from Moore's Road in Leicester contacts Police stating that there are a group of 10 males on the street corner drinking and making a noise. They were also not wearing face coverings and requested for them to be moved on.

Incident LEP- 0536 – 23/08/2020 at 19:14 caller from Harrison Road in Leicester contacts Police to report that there are a group of 8 males on the street in the alleyway with glass bottles, caller believed there was an altercation between the males. One of the males appeared intoxicated, she could also smell cannabis from where the group congregated.

Incident LEP- 0720 – 15/04/2020 at 19:05 caller from Moore's Road in Leicester contacts Police stating that there are a group of 3 males on the street sitting in a vehicle drinking from cans, caller states they dispose of their litter on the street corner before they leave.

Moir Street

Incident LEP - 0299- 27/03/2020 at 14:23 caller from Moira Street in Leicester contacts Police stating that there are a group of males on the street corner drinking.

Incident LEP - 0193- 10/04/2020 at 10:52 Caller from Moira Street in Leicester contacts Police stating that there is a group of males in the park area drinking and smoking.

Incident LEP – 0859- 21/05/2020 at 23:17 caller from Moira Street in Leicester contacts Police stating that

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there is a group of young adults sat in the street playing music and drinking and being loud and aggressive towards people walking in the street

Down Street

Incident LEP – 0398 – 26/12/2020 at 18:42 Caller from Down Street Leicester contacts Police stating there is an ongoing issue with males gathering on Down Street every evening and staying there all night. They are always drinking in the street and will leave the glass bottles all over the street and on top of people's cars. Caller said that they also urinate on the main road and are being very noisy.

Halkin Street

Incident LEP- 0067- 15/11/2020 at 02:27 Caller from Halkin Street in Leicester contact Police stating that there are approximately 6 males drinking in the garages.

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Incident LEP- 0084- 16/06/2020 at 06:49 Caller from Halkin Street in Leicester contacts police stating that there are currently 5 males outside of the garages and have been there all night. They were playing music all night and this was disturbing the caller and their family

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Please note several incidents relating to drinking in the street past the 1100pm time and in to the early hours of the morning. Additionally I would also add that I visited the shop at approximately 1400 pm on Wednesday the 24th of March 2021 and spoke to Sandip Mohanial who was serving customers. As I entered the store I noticed him serving and engaging with a customer who was not wearing a face mask. I challenged the customer and Mr Mohanial re the current legislation on the wearing of face masks inside Off Licenses. Mr Mohanial had little English speaking abilities however I then spoke to the License Holder later that afternoon and expressed my concerns that staff members were not enforcing the legislation and consequently not adhering to the objective, to have consideration for Public Safety. The LH was warned about the none compliance and this was recorded on Police systems, and that if further breaches were seen then Penalty Notices would be issued.

In summary I am concerned that this LH wants the facility to serve alcohol until the early hours of the morning and do not accept his proposal. I believe the impact on the local community would not be a positive one and in fact there would be an increase on demand for the Police dues to the increase in reports of Anti-Social behaviour that would inevitably be a result of longer hours of operation and ability to sell alcohol. The Belgrave area has always been linked to a culture of local males drinking in the street and with this habit comes other issues, such as noise, and urinating in the street causing alarm to concerned residents. In particular there is an aging population in the area and I believe that there will be further disruption to their lives.

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