

# Licensing Act 2003 Objection to Temporary Event Notice (TEN)

Date: 23/08/24

## **Details of Relevant Authority**

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## **Details of Premises Representation is about.**

Name of Premises:

Address: 24 Rugby Street, Leicester LE3 5FF

**Application Number:** 

Our Reference: 24/08685

### This objection relates to the following licensing objective(s):

Prevention of crime and disorder

No

**Public Safety** 

No

Prevention of public nuisance

Yes

Protection of children from harm

No

#### Representation

I wish to make representation in connection with this application for a temporary event notice (TEN) as I consider this proposal will be detrimental to the licensing objective of public nuisance.

#### **REASONS**

This event is proposed to take place on a vacant, former factory site at the end of Rugby Street. The immediate area to the west of the site is almost all residential, consisting mainly of two storey, terraced properties. There are also apartments across the river to the east. During the daytime, road traffic, commercial activity, and on-street activity (mainly from Woodgate), are the dominant noise sources in the locality. However, later in the evening and into the early hours of the morning traffic noise and street noise noticeably reduces. Noise levels on Rugby Street, Central Road, Dunton Street, Bassett Street and Repton Street are noticeably lower than on Woodgate even during the day.

The event will increase footfall to the area. I am concerned about noise from amplified music and voice, from crowd noise and from patrons visiting the site (on foot or in vehicles), throughout the day and night.

I am concerned that by allowing the event to be held over two days and with such long hours, this will increase the likelihood of noise complaints and cause disturbance to residents.

Noise on the street is very difficult to control and enforce and I am concerned that the applicant will have little or no power to control patrons once they have left the event but may remain in the immediate area.

I will make every effort to contact the applicant. If an agreement is reached, I will request that they contact you in writing. In the absence of such a formal written request being made, I respectfully recommend refusal for this temporary event notice application as it stands.

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