



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

Details of person or body making representation	
Your Name:	[REDACTED]
Your Address:	[REDACTED]

Details of premises representation is about	
Name of Premises:	Lilu
Address of premises:	76 Highcross Street, Leicester, LE1 4NN.
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"/> yes
Public Safety	<input type="checkbox"/> yes
Prevention of public nuisance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes
Protection of children from harm	<input type="checkbox"/> yes

Please summarise your concerns about this application:
<p>As a nearby resident I am concerned to learn that the new restaurant Lilu has put in an application to serve alcohol and open until 4am every day of the week.</p> <p>There is already a problem with noise and petty vandalism in the area and I feel this could make the situation considerably worse. Although Highcross Street and St Peters Square host many restaurants and licensed premises already, it is also a residential area. Although many of the residents of my block are young and single (although, of course, it doesn't necessary follow that they will support the extended opening hours either!), there are also couples and families with young children. As many residents are also from other countries, they may also not feel able to or be aware of their rights as residents to make a representation in this respect. But that doesn't mean that they won't be inconvenienced by the likely increased noise and presence of anti-social behaviour that such extended opening hours may cause.</p> <p>When one rents or buys a flat in a busy area with lots of restaurants and night-life, you anticipate some noise and raucous behaviour, but within reason. I have no objection to Lilu being granted an alcohol/entertainment license but I strongly object</p>

to the proposed extended opening hours. As a restaurant (rather than a bar or club) I can see no valid reason why it needs to stay open quite so late/early every day and serve alcohol from 10am until 4am.

**Please give further details of why you believe this application will have an adverse effect on the licensing objectives**

Extended opening with the accompanying alcohol license will create noise nuisance for nearby residents (noise coming from the premises and those frequenting it as they leave, or hang about outside). It may also encourage petty vandalism (as it is, the handle on the front door of my block is regularly pulled off), and increase the likelihood of fights and damage to other properties in the area.

Return your completed form to:

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Leicester City Council  
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Leicester  
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