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Sent:23 Jun 2020 14:13:15 +0100 To:Entertainment Licensing Subject:Premises licence objection - Zuber Mini Market, 29-31 Seaforth Place, Harehills, Leeds, LS9 6AF

To whom it may concern

I am emailing to object about the proposal for an alcohol licence at Zuber Mini Market, 29-31 Seaforth Place, Harehills.

I have lived in Harehills for 17 years. During this time, I have noticed an increase in crime and anti-social behaviour caused by drunkenness in the area. This has been especially acute around off licences who sell to street drinkers in the area.

As a result, we now have residents who claim they are afraid to leave their house due to the actions of street drinkers. They have caused noise problems for residents and have increased crime in the area. Effects of this on the area have been publicly documented: <a href="https://www.leeds-live.co.uk/news/leeds-news/fighting-shouting-intimidation-can-harehills-16978650">https://www.leeds-live.co.uk/news/leeds-news/fighting-shouting-intimidation-can-harehills-16978650</a>

The percentage of children living in Harehills is much higher than in other areas of Leeds and the UK. It has a multicultural population with many young families. A new off licence on Seaforth Place would increase the chances of these children coming into contact with street drinkers or aggressive customers.

There is currently an off licence at the end of my road and we often are disturbed by drunken customers heading there to buy alcohol. They have caused a public nuisance and have disrupted my household. The proposed venue for an off licence on Seaforth Place is on a junction between several roads and would be a landmark premise. Similar customer behaviour would impact families across several different residential streets.

I believe that it would be highly detrimental to have a new off licence at this premises. I hope that you take these objections into consideration.

Kind regards