

Entertainment Licensing Leeds City Council Civic Hall Leeds LS1 1UR Environmental Protection Team Leeds City Council Millshaw Park Way Leeds LS11 0LS

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Dear Sir/Madam

Licensing Act 2003 - The Prevention of Public Nuisance Name and Address of Premises: Pedestranised area of Merrion Place, Belgrave Music Hall, Cross Belgrave Street, Leeds, LS2 8JP

We have recently received notification of temporary events on the side street garden area from 12:00 hours to 22:00 hours on the 29th April to the 2nd May 2022, 2nd June to the 5th June 2022 and 27th to the 29th August 2022. The notification is to allow for world music DJs performing externally on the street to entertain 150 customers.

The premises currently benefit from a premises licence with licensable activity of sale of alcohol and live music etc. internally with a terminal hour of 04:30. There were two noise complaints last year in May and August alleging loud music from the Belgrave affecting residents at Symons House throughout the day and late at night.

The premises are in close proximity to not only Symons House but also Vita Students apartments. Therefore, it is my view that the external events proposed on consecutive days are extremely likely to cause noise nuisance to nearby residents from loud music and customers being outside singing and shouting along to the music.

This Department therefore has concerns that the licensing objective for the prevention of public nuisance will not be met should this proposed event take place and thus is formally serving notice that we object to these TEN notifications.

Yours faithfully



Vanessa Holroyd Senior Environmental Health Officer