

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tue, 1 Nov 2022 16:50:47 +0000
To: Entertainment Licensing
Subject: PREM/05009/001 | 5 - 7 North Lane Headingley Leeds LS6 3HG

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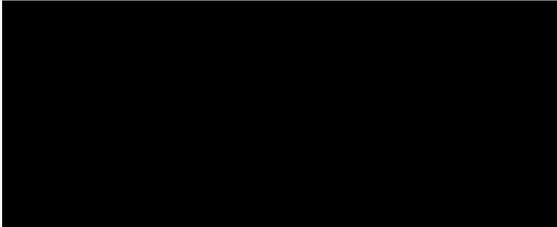
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Secondly, the application would also endanger **public safety**. It is already the case that members of the public are pushed into the road by participants in the Otley Run, due to crowding of the footway. The premises which are the subject of the application are very close to the cross-roads in the heart of the Town Centre. These are already dangerous due to the high levels of traffic travelling along Otley Road and North Lane and turning from one into the other. Approval of this application would undermine public safety.

Finally, while the application may not be a cause of crime, it would certainly contribute to **disorder** in the Town Centre. The Otley Run crowds are commonly the source of abusive and intimidating behaviour, causing alarm and distress to members of the public, especially to the disadvantaged. Approval of this application would undermine the prevention of disorder.

I urge the Licensing sub-committee to **reject** application PREM/05009/001.



PS I hope I have provided all the information you require. The Council website mentions "a form for making representations which is attached to this guidance note," but no form was attached. I should be happy to complete a form, if you could provide a copy.

From [REDACTED]

Sent: Wed, 2 Nov 2022 11:02:08 +0000

To: Entertainment Licensing

Subject: PREM/05009/001 for sale of alcohol at 5-7 North Lane, Headingley, Leeds LS6 3HG.

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Dear Janice Archibald,

I write to **object** to the application PREM/05009/001 for sale of alcohol at 5-7 North Lane, Headingley, Leeds LS6 3HG.

I am a local resident; Headingley is my nearest centre for shopping, Post Office, chemist, GP Practice and Library as well as cafes and restaurants.

Due to the large number of licensed premises in Headingley as well as the people on the Otley Run (a well documented source of anti-social behaviour). I am excluded at busy times from my local services and shops due to the number of drunk and disorderly people, some of whom are using anti-social behaviour which, as a generally confident person, I find intimidating. That residents are pushed into walking on the road to avoid the visitors to the many licensed premises here is both unacceptable and dangerous. I do not want to see people vomiting or urinating in the street. All of this is recognised by our local Councillors and Member of Parliament.

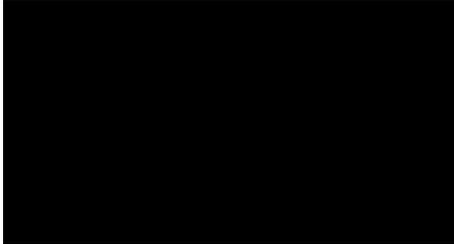
The “exclusion” of local residents means that our few independent shops lose business which makes it so much harder for them to survive when we should be supporting them, as should the licensing department of Leeds City Council be doing.

In terms of road safety, 5-7 North Lane is close to the busy junction of Otley Road (A660) and North Lane which are the 2 busiest streets in Headingley for both road and foot traffic. Adding another reason for people to congregate on the busy pavement is adding to the hazards.

Headingley has a Cumulative Impact Policy which must surely be applied to this application. **We do not need another licensed premise.**

This application PREM/05009/001 for the sale of alcohol at 5-7 North Lane, Headingley, Leeds LS6 3HG should be REFUSED.

Best wishes,



From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wed, 2 Nov 2022 17:25:38 +0000
To: Archibald, Janice; Entertainment Licensing
Subject: RE: 5-7 North Lane , Headingley Leeds LS6 3HG

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Dear Miss Archibald,

I write to object to application PREM/05009/001 at 5 - 7 North Lane, Headingley, Leeds LS6 3HG, as a local resident and supporter of Headingley Town Centre.

I object in general terms that the number and concentration of licensed premises in these areas are already adversely affecting the promotion of the licensing objectives, for which reason a Cumulative Impact Policy has been adopted for the Town Centre. Adding another licensed premises to the area can only exacerbate this adverse effect.

I further object on the grounds that the application can only exacerbate public nuisance in the Centre. The Centre already suffers extreme public nuisance as a result of the blight by the notorious Otley Run pub crawl, in terms of noise, crowding of the footway and low-levels of antisocial behaviour. The detrimental impact of the Otley Run has been raised by both our councillors and our Member of Parliament.

Secondly, the application would also endanger public safety. It is already the case that members of the public are pushed into the road by participants in the Otley Run, due to crowding of the footway. The premises which are the subject of the application are very close to the cross-roads in the heart of the Town Centre. These are already dangerous due to the high levels of traffic travelling along Otley Road and North Lane and turning from one into the other. Approval of this application would undermine public safety.

Specifically, I object to the proposal for the sales of alcohol to be consumed off the premises as this will inevitably result in delivery collections at this extremely busy and restricted highway and pavement. The result of which will be to endanger the safety of the public.

I would ask that the Licensing sub-committee rejects application PREM/05009/001.

Thank you

Yours sincerely

[REDACTED]

From [REDACTED]
Sent: Sun, 6 Nov 2022 13:25:30 +0000
To: Entertainment Licensing
Subject: PREM/05009/001

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Good afternoon,

I write to object to the above application for the sale of alcohol at 7 North Lane, LS6 3HG for the following reasons.

We have a Cumulative Impact Policy in place in Headingley, because of the high number of licensed premises that already exist.

The availability of alcohol across Headingley brings social nuisance and disorder and public health and safety challenges to our neighbourhood hence the CIP. This is exacerbated by the now notorious 'Otley Run' that brings groups from outside our student population. I know you are aware of this and the many problems it causes as are police and councillors so will not write more.

The last thing we residents need is another alcohol outlet and approval of this application would undermine the best efforts of all of us who care about the deterioration caused by the high number of outlets already in place.

I urge the Licensing Sub-Committee to reject application PREM/05009/001.

Thank you

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wed, 9 Nov 2022 14:18:53 +0000
To: Entertainment Licensing
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: application PREM/05009/001 for sale of alcohol at 5-7 North Lane, Headingley

[REDACTED] Learn why this is important at [REDACTED]

Dear Licensing,

I would like to endorse the comments made by [REDACTED] in objection to the above application.

I object in general terms that the number and concentration of licensed premises in these areas are already adversely affecting the promotion of the licensing objectives, for which reason a *Cumulative Impact Policy* has been adopted for the Town Centre. Adding another licensed premises to the area can only exacerbate this adverse effect.

Specifically, I object first of all that the application can only exacerbate *public nuisance* in the Centre. The Centre already suffers extreme public nuisance as a result of the blight by the notorious Otley Run pub crawl, in terms of noise, sometimes offensive costumes, frequent crowding of the footway, low-level antisocial behaviour, etc. This is so bad that it deters residents from visiting at the worst times, and it thereby impacts on trading by local businesses. The detrimental impact of the Otley Run has been raised by our elected representatives, both our councillors and our Member of Parliament. Approval of this application would undermine the prevention of public nuisance.

Secondly, the application would also endanger *public safety*. It is already the case that members of the public are pushed into the road by participants in the Otley Run, due to crowding of the footway. The premises which are the subject of the application are very close to the cross-roads in the heart of the Town Centre. These are already dangerous due to the high levels of traffic travelling along Otley Road and North Lane and turning from one into the other. Approval of this application would undermine public safety.

Finally, while the application may not be a cause of crime, it would certainly contribute to *disorder* in the Town Centre. The Otley Run crowds are commonly the source of abusive and intimidating behaviour, causing alarm and distress to members of the public, especially to the disadvantaged. Approval of this application would undermine the prevention of disorder.

I urge the Licensing sub-committee to *reject* application PREM/05009/001.

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wed, 9 Nov 2022 19:25:06 +0000
To: Entertainment Licensing
Subject: PREM/05009/001

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Dear Miss Archibold, I write to object to application PREM/05009/001 at 5
> - 7 North Lane, Headingley, Leeds LS6 3HG, as a local resident and regular
> user of Headingley Town Centre.
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I appreciate that I am using the wording of an existing objection but that is a matter of efficiency, as I agree with all of it.

If the licence is granted, it should be subject to conditions as proposed by our [REDACTED] in his objection.

I regularly cycle through Headingley on a Friday evening and it's bedlam, frankly, with drunken Otley runners simply walking out in front of me.

Regards

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wed, 2 Nov 2022 09:42:52 +0000
To: Entertainment Licensing
Subject: PREM/05009/001 5-7 North Lane, Headingley

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Dear Miss Archbold. re application PREM/05009/001 at 5-7 North Lane, Headingley, LS6 3HG

[REDACTED] The Otley Run goes past my door every weekend.

The Otley Run is a social nuisance for the following reasons

- *blocking the pavement, obliging some people to walk on the road.
- *crossing the road at North Lane junction, and St Michael's Road junction, in such numbers that people continue crossing after the lights have changed causing the already busy traffic to crawl even more slowly, queueing back down towards Hyde Park Corner and up to Weetwood Lane.
- *noise from the pubs, notably the Box, also when walking along the road, queueing outside the HeadingTaps, The Box, The Original Oak, accumulated noise in the town centre generally, giving it the feeling of a package holiday resort not a residential neighbourhood, and pleasant town centre.
- *public safety, walking on the road, see above
- *intimidating and abusive behaviour when walking between pubs, queueing outside pubs, waiting at the bus stop by the Original Oak, and on the buses going towards Hyde Park corner.
- *Loss of amenity. It is no longer possible to meet and greet friends and neighbours in the streets where we live due to the crowds of people filling pavements and roads (especially Bennett Road), We are just getting in the way.
- *public urination. A common feature along Bennett Road.

There is no need for any further outlets selling alcohol. This application will simply exacerbate an already serious problem

I urge the Licensing sub-committee to reject application PREM/05009/001

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Mon, 7 Nov 2022 09:10:43 +0000
To: Entertainment Licensing
Subject: Prem/05009/001

Dear Miss Archibold,

I write on behalf of [REDACTED] and its 58 registered tenants and households.

I have written to all our email contacts, stating that I would be objecting to the above application on their behalf but if anyone wishes not to support this objection then their views would be noted in the objection.

I have 3 residents who wish to study the application further regarding a cafe type licence, with an alcohol licence so the number I write on behalf of is 55.

I write to object to application PREM/05009/001 at 5 - 7 North Lane, Headingley, Leeds LS6 3HG, as local residents and regular users of Headingley Town Centre.

Our residents and their families have become more and more aware of the ongoing problems associated with the number and concentration of licensed premises around the town centre, this in spite of the "Cumulative Impact Policy " that covers our Town Centre. This licence, if granted, would only increase the worry for local residents and their families. What was originally a student-led drinking binge is now more and more, seeing groups of older persons that are adding to what was already a problem for the area and its local residents.

Specifically, our objection first of all is that the application can only exacerbate *public nuisance* in the Centre. The Centre already suffers extreme public nuisance as a result of the blight by the notorious Otley Run pub crawl, in terms of noise, sometimes offensive costumes, frequent crowding of the footway, low-level antisocial behaviour, etc. This is so bad that it deters residents from visiting at the worst times, and it thereby impacts on trading by local businesses. The detrimental impact of the Otley Run has been raised by our elected representatives, both our councillors and our Member of Parliament. Approval of this application would undermine the prevention of public nuisance.

Secondly, the application would also endanger *public safety*. It is already the case that members of the public are pushed into the road by participants in the Otley Run, due to crowding of the footway. The footway at this point is particularly unsuitable to be the entrance of a drinking establishment. The premises which are the subject of the application are also very close to the

cross-roads in the heart of the Town Centre. These are already dangerous due to the high levels of traffic travelling along Otley Road and North Lane and turning from one into the other. Approval of this application would undermine public safety.

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From: [REDACTED]

Sent: Sun, 6 Nov 2022 10:55:49 +0000

To: Entertainment Licensing

Subject: PREM/05009/001

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Thank you

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wed, 2 Nov 2022 18:56:46 +0000
To: Entertainment Licensing
Subject: PREM/05009/001

[REDACTED]

Dear Entertainment Licensing,

I am writing to object to the application relating to 5-7 North Lane, LS6 3HG

I am a local resident and a regular user of Headingley town centre. The application is completely against the Council's Cumulative Impact Policy for Headingley.

The public nuisance caused by the 'Otley Run' is recently causing considerable local concern, as it is now attracting many participants from outside the area. This is causing increased risk of road traffic accidents and obstruction of emergency vehicles, as pavements are blocked and people accidentally (and sometimes deliberately) obstruct pedestrians and motor traffic. There is also the accompanying littering, vomiting, urinating and other public nuisance.

There are already so many licensed premises in the centre of Headingley. Please reject this application.

[REDACTED]