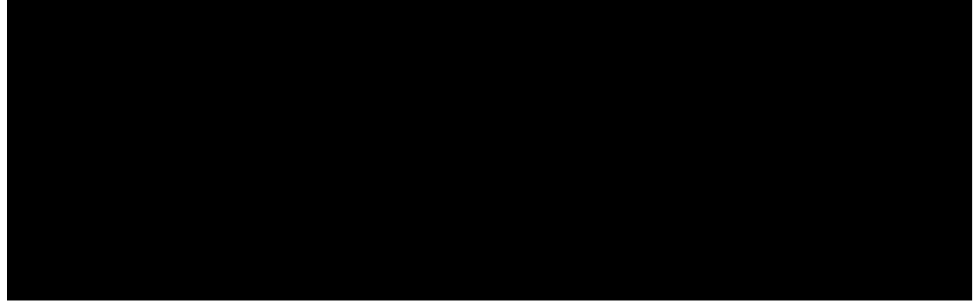


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RE: Licence Application for variation of hours for Adrian Social Club & Institute

License Number: CPREM/222/V02



Dear Sir/Madam,

August 31<sup>st</sup> 2011

I wish to record my formal objection to a recent License Application by the Adrian Social Club & Institute of 1a Belle View Avenue, LS8 2NN to vary the existing terms and conditions of its current license to sell alcohol and provide entertainment / dancing.

I wish to base my objections to this application on two of the criteria of the Licensing Act 2003. These being:

**The Prevention of Public Nuisance**

*As a resident of North Grove Rise I believe that the proposed extension to the licensing hours at the Adrian Social Club will have an adverse impact on the current levels of noise that residents in the local area already have to endure at times. There are many families in the immediate area of the Adrian Social Club who have young children of school age whose sleep would be adversely affected by the noise of patrons of the club leaving the establishment at 1am and bottle bins being emptied late at night which can already be a nuisance.*

**The Prevention of Crime and Disorder**

It is my worry that extending the current licensing hours at the Adrian Social Club would bring problems to residents in the local area i.e. an increased risk of crime, disorder and anti-social behaviour at night, as many people would simply join the club as members to avail themselves of the facility to be able to consume alcohol until 1am, when other public houses in the area have already closed. This is not a desirable situation for any residential area which is populated with many young families and single elderly residents. Also to my knowledge the Adrian Social Club would then become the only licensed premises in the local area open for the consumption of alcohol until 1am everyday which is not in keeping with other well respected local establishments i.e. The Whitehouse.

