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Head of Service
Regulatory Services
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Dear Sirs

Application for Premises Licence from Kingsbury Town Management Co Ltd

I hereby register my objection to the granting of a premises licence to Kingsbury Town Management Co Ltd on the grounds of crime and disorder and public nuisance.

My home backs onto Silver Jubilee Park and late at night there are already problems of people loitering in the park, drinking, urinating, taking drugs and causing noise nuisance with their shouting and rowdy behaviour.

My next door neighbour confronted a drunken male late one night last year who was urinating against the fence. He became very violent and caused damage to both our fences. He threatened to come back later and burgle our homes. *My home has been burgled 4 times in 30 years so I was very anxious for a considerable time after this event.* MD

If the football club is allowed to sell drinks and play music until the early hours of the morning and, worse still, be open to the public then there is a great potential for this inconsiderate behaviour to increase with more people using the premises.

I am extremely concerned that the premises will become a venue for late night drinking and with a licence for music until 3am there is a potential for it to become a night club.

A website earlier this year advertised the merits of the late night licence and the hire of the hall which can accommodate 300 hundred people. Apart from the possibility of loud music being played in the middle of the night, the noise made by this number of people leaving the premises either on foot or by car when they have been drinking all night disturbs the sleep of residents who like me live in close proximity to the club, the car park and the access road.

I telephoned the noise nuisance team at 2am one Sunday morning in the summer of 2011 when disco music was being played loudly at the club which had woken me from my sleep. There was nobody in the office to take my call so I had to leave a message. I did receive a call back at 4.15am (woke me again) asking if the music was still being played but as the disco had long since finished there was nothing to add. I was not advised to contact the licensing team and I would certainly have forwarded my complaint to them had I been advised to do so.

There have been instances since then of Saturday night parties at the club continuing into the early hours of Sunday morning but I have not bothered to complain as my first complaint to the noise nuisance team went nowhere. There are no records of any complaints lodged with the licensing team because I presume most

residents, like myself, were totally ignorant of the complaints process and we have just suffered in silence until now.

The properties abutting Silver Jubilee Park and the near vicinity are entirely residential and there are no pubs, shops or other facilities. Families with young children reside in some of these properties so a licence for music until 3am and late night refreshment, supply of alcohol and open to the public until 4am seven days per week is totally inappropriate for this quiet and peaceful area.

I trust that the Licensing Committee will consider my objections and reject this application and amend the licensing hours to no later than 23.00 (Mon to Sat) and 21.00 (Sun) in order for patrons of the club to have left the premises and the park by midnight and to allow local residents a good night's sleep.

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