RE: Co Co Bs, 110A High Road, NW10 2PN

Re. public nuisance, potential crime

business.licence@brent.gov.uk by 16 October 2016

According to details posted at the front of the premises an application has been made to serve alcohol until 2pm on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, 12 midnight otherwise. I wish to object to these late drinking times which is likely to cause a public nuisance and potentially criminal activities.

Although the address is on the Willesden High Road, a greater proportion of the premises are in the residential street of Churchill Road, very close to private residences. Further, I believe the plan is to incorporate an open area at the rear in Churchill Road to accommodate drinkers and smokers which will clearly create a nuisance to local people. There is a gate to/from this open area which leads directly in the street giving access about 20m along Churchill Road.

A late licence is likely to attract undesirable criminal types. The area is already prone to drug dealing and prostitution and option of late drinking will only add to this. Locals, particularly women, already find night time loiterers a problem in this area of the High Road and this would only add to the problem.

There is already pressure on parking in Churchill Road. Nearby permit holders already find it very difficult to park especially at weekends when parking restrictions are lifted. A late licence will magnify this problem for householders.

Reviewing other similar business in the area licensed drinking ceases much earlier than this proposal and if is allowed to go ahead it will create precedence for others. The fear is, late at night, it may lead to the premises being used more for drinking than for serving food. The black coloured

external decor is more typical of night club than a restaurant.

. 8th October 2016