

The Licensing Officer
Health Safety and Licensing
London Borough of Brent
Brent Civic Centre
Engineers Way
Wembley
HA9 7FJ

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Police Representations to the Temporary Event Notices for

117 Wembley Park Drive Brent, Exotic Off Licence and Groceries

I certify that I have considered the notices shown above and I wish to make representations that the use of the premises for the temporary event would undermine the crime prevention initiative, for the reasons indicated below.

Officer:	Damien Smith 253NW
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An officer of the Metropolitan Police, in whose area the premises are situated, who is authorised for the purposes of exercising its statutory function as a 'Responsible Authority' under the Licensing Act 2003.

A Temporary Event Notices have been given under section 100 Licensing Act 2003 by

Srikanth Vudumula

The notice was received in this office on Monday 7th December 2018. Police are formally objecting to the notice under section 104 Licensing Act 2003. The Police objection is primarily concerned with the crime and disorder, public safety and public nuisance objectives.

The (TEN) notice is to allow for the use of the premises from 24th December through until the 30th December 2018 from 0200 to 0400 hours each day. The licensable activity is for the sale of alcohol.

Police believe the premises would not be upholding the licensing objectives if it were to sell alcohol beyond the existing licence conditions and believe that beyond 0200 hours would create unnecessary noise and anti-social behaviour and increase the opportunity for crime and disorder.



In view of the request the venue is situated in a residential area and close to student accommodation. The request falls within the Christmas festivity period and students will be on leave.

The premises currently operate from 0700 hours daily and close at 0200 hours. They are seeking to remain open selling alcohol until 0400 hours and this would not afford the residents any quality 'quiet' time. Police are concerned at the staffing requirements and quick turn-around in between shifts and believe this will affect the individuals responsible for selling alcohol to the public.

Police believe that 0200 hours each day is sufficient enough to sell alcohol. Police would require the existing licence conditions to be affixed to this Temporary Event Notice.

The Christmas period is a busy and demanding time for the Police. Response times are affected by these demands and staffing the response teams is calculated by service demand.

Police suggest the application should be submitted and approved by all the relevant authorities and that by operating under the TEN public safety and crime prevention objectives are undermined.

If this cannot be agreed it is my opinion that the licensing objectives would be breached and complaints about public nuisance and public safety will follow.

Yours sincerely,

PS Damien Smith 253NW

Licensing Sergeant

Brent Licensing Team