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Police representation to Premises Licence application for 'Sally's Bar' 249 Neasden lane, Neasden, NW10 1QG.

I certify that I have considered the application shown above and I wish to make representations that the likely effect of the grant of the application is detrimental to the Council's Licensing Objectives for the reasons indicated below.

Officer: Nicola McDonald Licensing Constable PC 157QK

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.

The application has been made for a premises licence under section 17 of the act.

The Police representations are concerned with all four licensing objectives.

Police would normally engage with the applicant of a premise licence application and conduct a visit of the premises in their presence. However I have been unable to meet with the applicant. I have been in contact with his legal representatives who inform me he is out of the country until after the consultation date. I have visited the premises on several occasions during the consultation period however the differing female staff that were working behind the bar where unaware who Mr Mark Anthony Counihan was, none of those females' were the proposed Designated Premises Supervisor Margaret Hartnett.

I have been a licensing officer in the London Borough of Brent for many years and I am very familiar with this venue and area. At this stage there is insufficient information for me to make a proportionate decision as to whether the grant of this premises licence would be detrimental to the licensing objectives or whether conditions need to be added to the licence for the business to uphold the licensing objectives.

Police hope to meet with the applicant upon his return to the country and make further appropriate representations.

Yours Sincerely

Nicola McDonald PC 157QK Licensing Constable Brent Police