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Licensing Representation to the Application to Review the Premises Licence for Amira Lounge, Heather Park Drive, Wembley, Middx, HA0 1SN

I certify that I have considered the application shown above and I wish to make representations.

Officer: Susana Figueiredo – Licensing Inspector

An officer of the Licensing Authority, 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 to review the premises licence under section 51 of the Act.

The Licensing Authority has no confidence that the Licence Holder has any regard for the requirements under the Licensing Act 2003. It is very apparent that this is not a case of naivety, but one of complete irresponsibility. The following licensing objectives have been undermined: -

- The prevention of crime and disorder
- The prevention of public nuisance
- Public Safety

The Licence Holder has failed to comply with the following, all of which are covered by the evidence supplied to Ms Esther Chan as part of the review. This is referenced as **'Witness Statement of Susana Figueiredo'** and **sf001-sf063** which can be found in **Appendix 1** and **other associated documents**: -

- Alcohol stored on site
- Residential bedroom in a commercial premise
- Blocked fire exit
- Blocked stairs (by large fridge)

- Bolts on fire exits
- Provision of facilities for smoking shisha
- Unhygienic kitchen

Further, the premises cannot supply alcohol as they failed to nominate a valid DPS for the premises licence. They have however continued to store alcohol on the premises.

It is evident that the Licensing officer has exhausted every avenue in assisting the licence holder in upholding the licensing objectives. Despite the Licensing officer's efforts, the Licence holder has failed to engage, has shown the premises to be extremely poorly managed, has been dishonest and failed to be transparent about his intentions surrounding the premises.

Having considered the review application of the above premises and witnessing the issues first hand, the Licensing Authority fully support the revocation of the premises licence of the above establishment.

Yours sincerely,

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Susana Figueiredo Licensing Inspector Planning, Transportation, Licensing