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## Police Objection to the Temporary Event Notice for The Shop, 75 Chamberlayne Road, NW10 3ND

I certify that I have considered the notice 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: Nicola McDonald,

Licensing Constable 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.

A Temporary Event Notice has been given under section 100 Licensing Act 2003 by Mr Luke Allen .

Police are formally objecting to the notice under section 104 Licensing Act 2003. The Police objection is primarily concerned with the crime and disorder and prevention of public nuisance objectives.

The application is for a carnival party.

The current operator and notice giver Mr Luke Allen is the designated premises supervisor for The Shop, and has held the premises licence for one year. As soon as he became the premises licence holder the venue came to the notice of Police and other relevant authorities. Local residents also began making complaints about the operation of the premises. Several licensing visits were made to the premises by Police and authorities. Mr Allen has been given ample instruction on how to refrain from breaching the premises licence conditions and reduce the complaints made by

local residents. Unfortunately Mr Allen flouted the advice so on 14th March 2012 Police made an application to review the premises licence. This premises licence currently remains under review for undermining two of the licensing objectives. The evidence for that review is relevant and current and is the same evidence which brings the objection to this notice. This review hearing is scheduled at Council Chamber, Brent Town Hall, Friday 17th August 2012 at 10am. It seems appropriate for the Licensing Sub Committee to consider both of these applications at the same time.

Due to the above information I fear that if this event is allowed to go ahead that there will be an increased risk of public nuisance and crime at the location and that the applicant has not supplied sufficient information at this time to reduce that risk.

Yours sincerely

Nicola McDonald PC157QK Licensing Constable Brent Police