



I would like to object to the licence application for a Bingo Club on Neasden Lane by Merkur for two reasons. First, in relation to crime and disorder - Neasden Lane already has several gambling shops/premises. There are lots of people who drink on the street near these premises and on the corner of Cairnfield Avenue, creating an unsafe atmosphere, litter, and engaging in other anti-social behaviours such as urinating on the street. The people that are attracted to the parade of shops by the gambling premises will increase with an additional Bingo Club, creating more anti-social behaviour and making the environment feel less safe and clean for others. Secondly, the site is adjacent to a bus stop where large numbers of school children (primary and secondary) gather daily to get buses to/from their schools. I would be concerned about this site harming and exploiting children.