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Police representations to the application for a new premises license at 'Navratri 2025, 416 Ealing Road, Wembley HA0 1JQ'

Police certify that we have considered the application shown above and wish to make representations that the likely effect of the grant of the application is detrimental to the London Local Authorities Act 1990 to 2000 for the reasons indicated below.

Police are of the opinion that the risk to the Council's objectives can be mitigated by removing the requested variations or attaching conditions to the Licence as shown below. If these conditions were accepted in full, police would be in a position to withdraw their representations.

Officer: PC Phil Graves
Licensing Constable 3122NW

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.

An application has been made for a new two day premises license under section 17 of the licensing act 2003. The Police representations are concerned with all four of the licensing objectives, namely:

- The prevention of crime and disorder;
 - Public safety;
- The prevention of public nuisance; and
- The protection of children from harm.

The Application

The application is for a Ten Day premises License running from 22/09/2025 until 01/10/2025. The License is to celebrate the Navratri events which involves music and dance from 18.00 hours to 00.00 hours on the respective days. The applicant is expecting 1,500 people as a maximum number at any one time.

There is no sale or supply of alcohol at this event so my main areas of concern are public nuisance and public safety rather than crime and disorder. I've spoken to Mr Walia on the phone and discussed his application along with some points I needed clarifying.

Police Representations

Police require the following points should be added as conditions on the premises licence as below:

1. The venue's current CCTV system shall be in full operation order and recording while any staff or guests are at the venue.
2. This CCTV system shall cover the entrance point to the venue, meaning any guests entering shall be captured on the CCTV system.
3. This CCTV system shall display the correct date and time.
4. Prepaying guests shall be issued with wrist bands along with a counting / clicker system. The combination of these two systems shall be able to give an accurate number of guests present at the venue which can be provided to the police or council immediately upon request.
5. No alcohol shall be sold or supplied at the venue. Any patrons attempting to bring alcohol into the venue will be refused entry.
6. There shall be TEN (10) SIA staff on duty while any patrons are at the venue.
7. There shall be no queuing outside the venue. All patrons will be allowed immediate access into the venue
8. All bags shall be searched when patrons enter the venue. An addition body search with the use of wands shall be used when appropriate. Any patrons refusing to be searched shall be refused entry to the venue.
9. Any children under the age of 16 shall be accompanied by a responsible adult.
10. No re-entry will be allowed after 22.30 hours on each day
11. No glass shall be permitted inside the venue. Any drinks sold will be decanted into plastic or toughened glass.

If the above conditions were agreed in full, police would be able to withdraw representations.

Yours Sincerely,

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