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Sent: 27 April 2026 15:28

To: Business Licence <business.licence@brent.gov.uk>

Subject: Re: New AGC - Arcadia Casino, 1 Walm Lane, NW2 5SN - 37891

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to formally object to the granting of the proposed gambling licence at numer 1 walm Lane.

My objection is based on concerns that the application fails to adequately uphold the licensing objectives set out in the Gambling Act 2005.

Firstly, I am concerned that granting this licence may undermine the objective of preventing gambling from being a source of crime and disorder. The area has already experienced issues relating to antisocial behaviour, and the introduction of a gambling premises could reasonably be expected to exacerbate these problems, particularly during late hours.

Secondly, I believe the application does not sufficiently demonstrate how vulnerable persons will be protected from harm or exploitation. The proximity of the premises to [schools/youth facilities/residential areas – amend as appropriate] raises concerns about increased exposure and accessibility to individuals who may be at risk of gambling-related harm.

Thirdly there are already gambling shop on walm lane, I don't understand the level of standard that the Bank buildings are turning into gambling shops! This is not going towards a bright future of brent.

Finally, I am not satisfied that adequate measures have been outlined to ensure that gambling will be conducted in a fair and open manner, particularly in terms of supervision, staff training, and safeguarding procedures.

For these reasons, I respectfully request that the application be carefully reconsidered, as I do not believe the licensing objectives will be fully upheld if this licence is granted.