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I already objected to this site being turned into an adult gaming centre. It seems that the owner already has planning permission for Bingo and this is the license to operate. However Bingo can be a small adjunct to slot machines (to which I have already objected) and opening hours can be all night, to which I wholeheartedly object. I am opposed to the specific licensing objectives for the following reasons: 1. Prevention of crime/disorder - this kind of establishment with late night opening hours is inappropriate for a very residential area (Victoria Road). 2. public safety - Kilburn High Road already has a worryingly high rate of crime, I do not believe this licence use is appropriate in this context. As it has the potential to attract yet more criminal behaviour. 3. prevention of public nuisance - see above point 2 4. protection of children from harm - there is a nursery on the street adjacent to this location (Victoria Road). I do not believe having a licence that could be adjusted to open a late night adult gaming venue is appropriate next to a nursery. Overall, the application for this license contravenes the newly adopted Kilburn Neighbourhood plan.