Police Representation to the Application for a new Premises Licence for Grill 4 U, 758 Harrow Road, NW10 5LE

I certify that I have considered the application shown above and I wish to make representations that the likely effect of the grant of the application is detrimental to the Licensing Objectives for the reasons indicated below. I am of the opinion that the risk to the 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 I would withdraw my representation.

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PS 10QK Licensing Sergeant
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.

The application has been made for a new premises licence under section 17 of the Act.

The Police representations are primarily concerned with crime and disorder.

Police require the following points to be included in the operating schedule or added as conditions on the premises licence.
Open Containers & Areas for Consumption of Alcohol
Customers will not be permitted to take open containers outside the premises, as defined in the plan submitted with the operating schedule and approved by Responsible Authorities.

The consumption of alcohol will be restricted to those parts of the premises identified on the plan submitted with the operating schedule and approved by the licensing authority.

Closed Circuit Television (CCTV)
Good quality CCTV is essential as a deterrent for the prevention of crime and the detection of offenders. It allows for both covert and overt monitoring of the premises. With proper signage, this reassures both staff and clientele, that this is a safe environment where illegal activities are not tolerated.
Closed circuit television cameras and recorders of an agreed image standard will be installed at locations on the premises and in accordance with advice from the Police.
All cameras and recording equipment will be installed and maintained in accordance with Home Office Guidance and the manufacturers instructions and will be fully operational when the premises are open to the public.

Notices shall be displayed at the entrance to the premises, and in prominent positions throughout the premises, advising that CCTV is in operation.

Capacity Limit for Premises
Proper control of the numbers of people in the premises is essential to prevent overcrowding and the risk of disorder. It is impossible to conduct any meaningful risk assessment, without knowing the maximum number of people that may be safely accommodated at any one time. There must also be adequate facilities to monitor and control the number of people present.
The capacity limit will be set by Officers from the Local Authority.

Operating Hours to be displayed on Premises
A notice displaying the opening hours, the type of licensing activity and licence conditions should be clearly displayed and visible to anyone outside the premises. This may be incorporated in the summary of the licence, which must be displayed, or take the form of a separate item.
Likewise the name of the Designated Premises Supervisor (D.P.S.) if required should be similarly displayed.
This will allow the Police and other responsible authorities to readily identify the licence details. Clearly displayed opening hours will also reduce any confusion for customers prior to entering the premises and possible conflict when the premises close/stop selling alcohol.

A Summary of the Premises Licence will be displayed at each public entrance to the premises.

The conditions that Police require to be added to the Premises Licence are listed below:
CCTV

7 CCTV shall be installed to Home Office Guidance standards and maintained in a good working condition and recordings shall be kept for 31 days and shall be made available to police and licensing officers if requested.

Bottles and Glasses

13 Customers shall not be permitted to take open containers of alcohol off the premises.

Capacity Limits

15 The total number of people permitted on the premises including staff and performers shall not exceed (number)

General

28 The licensee shall keep an incident book which shall be made available to the Police and Licensing Authority.

33 Alcohol shall only be provided as an accompaniment to a main meal.

34 A clear and unobstructed view into the premises shall be maintained at all times.

35 A copy of the premises licence summary including the hours which licensable activities are permitted shall be visible from the outside of each entrance to the premises.

Noise and Vibration

70 No noise or vibration shall be detectable at any neighbouring noise sensitive premises.

71 The level of music shall be arranged so as not to cause a nuisance to local residents.

72 All doors and windows shall remain closed during any licensable activity and where a door is used for patrons to enter or leave the premises the door shall be lobbied and fitted with a self-closing device.

Yours sincerely

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