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Dear Sir/Madam

Police Objection to the application to vary the DPS at 'Premier Convenience Store' 4 Neeld Parade, Wembley, HA9 6QU.

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 Crime and Disorder Licensing Objective for the reasons indicated below.

Officer: Nicola McDonald,

Licensing Constable 157QK

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 to vary the premises licence to specify an individual as designated premises supervisor under section 37 of the Act.

Police are formally objecting to the variation.

The Police objections are concerned with the prevention of crime and disorder.

The proposed DPS Mr Malikumar Patel is currently (only since 9th April 2013) the DPS and Premises Licence Holder at Monsoon Club, 32-34 Watford Road, Wembley.

The Premier Convenience Store was subject to a premises Licence review in December 2011 whilst under previous management. This shop is located within the footprint of Wembley Stadium and in an area where historically football fans consuming alcohol in the street have caused most disorder and such requires strong management and supervision to be able to improve and conduct licensable activities

in accordance with the modified premises licence. This is the busiest period for the stadium with football events most weekends until the end of May.

During recent visits to the premises Mr Patel has not been present in the shop. I spoke to Mr Patel on the telephone on 7th April 2013 and explained I would be making representations to the application. He appeared to point out that his priority was to be the DPS at Premier Convenience Store as it was his shop whereas the Monsoon Club was owned by a friend. He indicated that he would remove himself as DPS at the Monsoon Club immediately. As to date this application has not been received.

Premier Convenience Store requires robust supervision and professional leadership. Police do not believe that this could be delivered from a DPS supervising two separate premises that are not even local to each other.

As such I am satisfied that the designation of Mr Patel as the premises supervisor at this time would undermine the licensing objectives.

Further I reserve the right to bring further evidence to the hearing should any arise between now and then.

Yours sincerely

Nicola McDonald
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