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Police objection to the Temporary Event Notice for Metropolis, 1 The Junction Wembley Retail Park, Engineers Way, HA9 0EG on 23rd and 24th May 2015. I certify that I have considered the notice shown above and I wish to make representations that the use of the premises for the temporary event would undermine the crime prevention initiative, for the reasons indicated below.

Officer: PC Sam Lewis-Evans 598QK , Licensing Officer

An authorised officer of the Metropolitan Police, in whose area the premises are situated, for the purposes of exercising its statutory function as a 'Responsible Authority' under the Licensing Act 2003.

A Temporary Event Notice has been given under section 100 Licensing Act 2003 by Miss Avis Lawrence, received in this office on Wednesday 18th March 2015. Police are formally objecting to the notice under section 104 Licensing Act 2003. The Police objection is concerned with the crime and disorder, public safety and public nuisance objectives.

The notices is to allow for the use of the premises for a event for 300 persons until 0500, the licensable activities are the sale of alcohol and regulated entertainment.

Metropolis has been the location of a number of police reports (alcohol related violent crime) in the past year, and a number of its customers have been involved in these or contributed to alcohol fuelled anti social behaviour in the vicinity of the premises. The management of Metropolis are currently trying to assist the police to sort out these problems.

On 27/02/2015 the venue was subject to an action plan following a particularly nasty GBH, exacerbated by the sheer incompetence of the then employed security team.

The purpose of this objection is to give the applicant the opportunity to furnish the relevant authority with a new updated Form 696 Risk Assessment in relation to this event. This is to include the proposed details of the event and should include detailed security plans in line with the signed action plan, genre of music, and booking details.

Police require during this event that all conditions attached to the current premises licence for this venue are adhered to save for,

No entry or re-entry shall be permitted after midnight (0000 hours).

Police would require the following to be agreed,

No entry or re-entry shall be permitted after 0100 hours.

Yours sincerely

## Sam Lewis-Evans, Brent Police Licensing