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Your ref: Milk Beach Cafe

Our ref: 01QK/235/18/965

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Police representation for a new Premises Licence at Milk Beach Café & Restaurant, 19 Lonsdale Road, London, NW6 6RA.

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 Council's Licensing Objectives for the reasons indicated below.

I am of the opinion that the risk to the Council's 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.

Officer: Gary Norton Licensing Constable PC 965QK

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 premises licence under section 17 of the act.

The Police representations are primarily concerned with crime and disorder and prevention of public nuisance.

Police require the following points be included in the operating schedule or added as conditions on the premises licence;

Personal Licence Holder

The sale of alcohol to drunken people and children is a major cause of concern to police and highlighted in the Governments Alcohol Harm Reduction Strategy. Those who sell alcohol should be fully aware of the legislation and issues around alcohol and should be fully trained to a national standard.

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.

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.

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 <u>outside</u> 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.) 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.

Police require the following points should be added as conditions on the premises licence as below.

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 authorised Officers from Brent Council upon request.

CCTV cameras shall be installed to cover the entrance of the premises.

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.

A "Challenge 25" policy shall be adopted and adhered to at all times.

An incident log shall be kept at the premises, and made available for Inspection on request to an authorised officer of Brent Council or the Police, which will record the following:

All crimes reported to the venue All ejections of patrons Any complaints received Any faults in the CCTV system Any refusal of the sale of alcohol Any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.

Customers will not take open drink containers outside the premises as defined on the plan submitted to and approved by the Licensing Authority.

All doors and windows shall remain closed after 2100 hours during any licensable activity and where a door is used for patrons to enter or leave the premises, the door shall be fitted with a self-closing device.

The "outside seating area" should not extend beyond the edge of the pedestrian walkway into the road and should be clearly defined by a roped off boundary.

Yours Sincerely,

PC Gary Norton 965QK Licensing Constable Brent Police