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New revised Police representation to the application for a new Premises Licence for Eclipse Pizzeria & Club Limited, 212 High Street Harlesden NW10 4SY

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.

Officer: Damien Smith
Licensing Sergeant 253NW

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.

This application is for a new premises licence under section 17 of the act. The Police representations are primarily concerned with all four Licensing objectives: Prevention of crime and disorder, Prevention of Public nuisance, Public safety and the protection children from harm.

The applicant formerly ran a business at 159 High Street NW10, named Barril. In December 2019 that premises following a review of its premises licence by the sub-committee had its licence revoked. This is relevant as the owner/DPS for that premises is the same applicant for this new premises licence.

Since the revocation of the licence for 159 High Street NW10 the applicant has started a new venture and invested heavily in this business named 'Eclipse Pizzeria & Club Limited'. The applicant has obtained a Personal Licence and has offered assurances that he has learnt from the previous failings associated with the old business and will run this new venture aligned to the licensing objectives and comply with any conditions that appear on the licence if granted.

The applicant has held a series of events by correctly applying for TENS at this premise. To date with the use of SIA the venue has held events on;

Saturday 8th December and Sunday 9th December 2019 between 1100 hours until 0100 hours. Tuesday 24th December 2019 1100 -2330 Hours, Wednesday 25th December 2019 1100 – 2330 Hours, Thursday 26th December 1100 – 2330 Hours, Friday 27th December 1100 -2359 Hours, Saturday 28th December 1100 - 2359 Hours, Sunday 29th December 2019 1100 – 2330 hours. These dates were followed by NYE 31st December 2019 1100 – 0300 hours (**Premises closed at 0030 hours**), Wednesday 1st January 2020 1100 – 2359 hours, Thursday 2nd January 1100 – 2359 Hours Friday 3rd January 1100 -2359 Hours, Saturday 4th January 1100 – 2359 Hours and Sunday 5th January 2020, 1100 – 2359 Hours.

On Saturday 11th January 2020 I was driving past 212 High Street Harlesden NW10. Knowing the premises is currently in the process of applying for a new premises licence application. Despite the events mentioned above, on Saturday 11th January 2020, I was not aware of any TEN in place. There was a security guard at the venue and the business appeared to be operating as it had done under the conditions agreed upon by the subcommittee over the Christmas period. I returned to my office and I checked the police records and confirmed there was no TEN applied for or agreed upon for the 11th January 2020.

On Sunday 12th January, I visited the premises and met with Agnaldo Dal Forno. Inside there were people sat in the rear area with alcohol and the stage was set up for a live performance. I asked Mr Dal Forno if he held a licence or if he had a TEN in place to which he replied NO. I pointed out that he was going to be reported to the council and that I would withdraw my representations for a new premises licence and replace them with a new representation that the application be refused. My rationale for such a refusal is that I am not satisfied that any of the 4 licensing objections will be adhered to and I have no confidence with Mr Dal Forno and the way in which he is trying to operate this new venture. I viewed CCTV and noted that on the 6th, 8th 11th and 12th January alcohol was sold or consumed in addition to entertainment. There were no TENS in place for these dates. CCTV also showed people coming in and out of the venue with glass bottles of beer in their hands and the front door was left wide open on more than one occasion. This continued past the midnight hour.

I have been left no choice but to request this application be refused,

Yours Sincerely,

PS Damien Smith 253NW

Licensing Brent Police