

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION UNIT

MEMORANDUM

From: John Abiona	To: Licensing Officer
Location: 3S/02 Ext: 6874	
My Ref: 107456	3S/09
Your Ref: The Lounge, Dawley Road, Hayes,	Date: 02.07.2015

Dear Sir or Madam,

Re: Application for a Temporary Event Notice - Licensing Act 2003
Address: The Lounge, Dawley Road, Hayes, UB3 1EN

I refer to the application for a Temporary Event Notice under the Licensing Act 2003, relating to the above named premises scheduled for 17th - 19th July 2015.

The Environmental Protection Unit, in its capacity as a responsible authority, is making a representation to this application, in relation to the licensing objective 'Prevention of Public Nuisance'

The grounds for this objection are:

Recent complaints of noise disturbance to the local residents and documentary evidence indicating Public Nuisance at the last two events held in June 2015 at this premises.

At approximately 03:42 hours on Sunday 14th June 2015; two local residents reported been disturbed by a large group of patrons from The Lounge after the event. They were making their way from The Lounge past the cottages, and in the direction of Blyth Road. They were shouting, staggering and shrieking all the way.

On Sunday 21st June 2015, Three local residents reported been disturbed by loud music from The Lounge, the loud music was on until 00:30 hours.

I have video footage and photographs sent from distressed local residents to buttress their complaint. I will make this available for the committee to view at the hearing.

In view of all the above, I am concerned that the proposed event until 0300 hours will generate noise disturbance to the local residents in terms of loud noise /music/ patrons shouting whilst leaving the premises at the early hours of the morning.

Yours faithfully,

John Abiona

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Hi Janet,

Sorry for not getting in touch earlier, busy with cows, been hospitalised since Christmas every weekend, we have been disturbed by the noise from Buda lounge. Most of the time they talk loudly, being cars, shouting and swearing, wright in front our house. (Ashurst) Few times we found beer and spirit bottles. Last week a bottle of wine kept in front of our door. I have still got it.

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From: [REDACTED]
Date: 22 June 2015 18:49:51 BST
To: Cllr Janet Gardner <jgardner@hillingsdon.gov.uk>
Subject: Re: the Lounge

Hi Janet, I did not hear anything on Saturday only a few people walking past probably around 1am? They had something on last night until about 1am and the music was loud , it stopped at about 12 30 no one could sleep in the back rooms here until it stopped , even getting permission to stay open till that time

On Monday am is madness .also one of the Pink well Ward councillors (Jazz Dhillon) said he was trying to get over Bournes Bridge (the weekend before last in the small hours), he said the traffic was gridlocked, with cars parked up on the bridge and right down to the traffic lights outside my house, and lots of people milling outside the pub--

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From: [REDACTED] >

Date: Sunday, 14 June 2015

Subject: The Lounge

To: mum mum <jgardner@hillingdon.gov.uk>

It is now a little before 4am. For the last 10 minutes or so, large groups of patrons from The Lounge have been making their way from The Lounge past the cottages, and in the direction of Blyth Rd. They have been shouting, staggering and shrieking all the way. Again, they are nearly all dressed head to toe in white.

It is now 4am. Traffic is at a standstill outside the house because of people further up the road loitering in the street. Cars are honking their horns.

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From: [REDACTED] >

Date: 14 June 2015 at 03:11

Subject: The Lounge

To: mum mum <jgardner@hillingdon.gov.uk>

It's now 3:07am. There is no sign of people leaving the club. Noise/music/shouting from the club can be heard in the back bedrooms of the house. It is a humid night, so having to close the windows to avoid noise is annoying.

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From: [REDACTED] >
Date: 14 June 2015 at 04:23
Subject: The Lounge
To: mum mum <jgardner@hillingdon.gov.uk>

It is now 4:15am. There are still stragglers loitering around making up a whole heap of noise.

About 2 minutes ago, I witnessed a man dressed in white shuffling up the road on the pavement opposite the cottages with his white trousers pulled halfway down his thighs shuffling up the road holding his phone out in front of him taking a 'selfie' of his penis.

It is now 4:20am.

It is now pretty much daylight outside.

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From: [REDACTED] >
Date: 14 June 2015 at 03:49
Subject: The Lounge
To: Cllr Janet Gardner <jgardner@hillingdon.gov.uk>

Some loud and drunk people are beginning to make their way back up the road from The Lounge. It is 3:42am.

Nearly all of the club patrons (both sexes) seen going up to The Lounge, and back are dressed completely in white. So I'm guessing The Lounge has been having a 'white party'.

Did they have an extension to their licensed hours for this event? If not why are they still operating nearly 3hrs after they should?

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From: **Cllr Janet Gardner** <jgardner@hillingdon.gov.uk>

Date: 22 June 2015 at 16:24

Subject: The lounge

To: Ian Meens <IMeens@hillingdon.gov.uk> ,

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Cc: Labour Group Secretariat

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apparently a couple were fighting/screaming/swearing/ in the street at about 1.30am on sunday morning and one of the bouncers was trying to stop them.

I am waiting to see what other residents have to say.

Janet

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Cllr Janet Gardner

Botwell Ward Councillor

and

Domestic Violence Victims' Advocate

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