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## Re: New premises licence application.

The Metropolitan Police would like to make the following representations in support of the London Borough of Hillingdon Licensing Service, regarding the new premises licence application submitted by Mr. Varyam Singh Chopra for the address stated.

The Metropolitan Police Service is supporting the refusal of this premises licence in line with the licensing objectives and in particular 'The Prevention of Crime and Disorder'.

On 20<sup>th</sup> of February 2018 The Licensing Sub Committee revoked the premises licence of this venue following a hearing in which it was brought to light the illegal activities taking place within the venue. The licence holder at the time of the revocation was Mr Amandeep Singh Sachdeva.

On 23<sup>rd</sup> of April 2018 the same premises was then the subject of a new premises licence application, submitted by a Mrs Taranjit Kaur Kapoor. On this occasion the Licensing Sub Committee refused the application submitted by Mrs Kapoor because of her connection with the previous licence holder and her inability to present a credible case regarding the new premises application.

As a responsible Authority and an upholder of crime and disorder I feel that this application and the applicant has not sufficiently satisfied my concerns surrounding what is required of a legitimate business owner in a challenging area. Without credible foundation or sufficient evidence to support this application I suggest that it falls below what is expected of a responsible Premises Licence Holder.

Where previous concerns have been raised and detected, a new applicant wishing to trade in a challenging area needs to be in a position to provide sufficient knowledge, and a credible business package endorsing the licensing objectives and the expectations of that business's legal and social responsibilities. By not providing sufficient evidence to prove that this application by Mr Varyam Singh Chopra is independent of the previous licence holder I must make a representation against the grant of a new licence.

If the applicant provides credible evidence to reduce the concerns of the responsible authorities then I would consider withdrawing my representation.

Yours faithfully.

PC Dave Butler Police Licensing Officer Hillingdon Borough.