

Hello

Further to the above application, I advise you that I wish to object to the application on the grounds that the proposals may cause public nuisance.

The applicant has advised that he wishes to use the outside garden area for the sale of alcohol. This encourages customers to drink outside and may result in rowdy behaviour late into the night/early hours of the morning with residents in Bridewell House and Crown Apartments only approx.12m away . There is no proposed bar structure outside as such but the sale of shots by staff from trays has been proposed. I have discussed this with the applicant and proposed that the sale of shots was limited to 12 midnight or 11pm on Sundays and Bank Holidays, in order to control any nuisance behaviour associated with such consumption. However, he has not agreed to this, instead proposed that this is limited to 4am.

In addition, I proposed that the applicant does not have any form of external speakers/amplification outside in the garden area to minimise the public nuisance from such activities given the proximity of the residents. He has not agreed to this.

In summary, I would ask that Committee consider the use of the outside space for the sale of alcohol and any amplification of sound in this area and the implications of these activities on local residents.

Regards

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