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Your Ref:

23 December 2019 Date:

Email – licencing@aberdeencity.gov.uk

Dear Sirs

Application for a Provisional Premises Licence at 43/45 Union Street, Aberdeen, **AB11 5BN**

We act for Kurshid Bhatti of 12 Pennan Road, Aberdeen, AB41 8AT and Umair Udin Din of 48 Home Farm Gardens, Bridge of Don, Aberdeen, AB22 8BP who object to the above application by PTLL Limited for a Provisional Premises Licence. Both our clients run convenience store businesses in the locality of the premises that are the subject of the application. They object on the basis that the locality surrounding 43/45 Union Street, Aberdeen is already over-provided for licenced premises of a particular description, namely convenience stores selling a wide range of products. In support of their assertion we annex a list of nearby premises that are served by Premises Licences along with plans showing some of their locations.

However our clients premises are contained within the list. Kurshid Bahatti trades out of 36/40 Market Street, Aberdeen and Umair Udin Din trades out of 37 Union Street, Aberdeen.

Both consider that the area surrounding the subjects of application are already significantly over-provided as can be seen by the length of the list. They find no evidence of their customers asking for items that are not already sold within their premises and/or in the area.

Anthony J Dawson and Janet Hood are accredited by The Law Society of Scotland as specialists in Liquor LicensIng Law Graham A Garden is accredited by The Law Society of Scotland as a Family Law Mediator. He and Susan Waters are trained as Collaborative Family Lawyers Forbes F McLennan TEP is accredited by and a member of the Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners (STEP)

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If the application was granted it would simply add to the over provision within this city centre locality.

Please acknowledge safe receipt of this objection.

Yours faithfully

James & George Collie

Note referred to:

1. Morrison's 215 King Street Aberdeen, Ab24 5Da

2. Dobry Express 176 King Street, Ab24 5Bh

3.Premier Express A&K Stores 17 Justice Street, AB11 5HS

4.Premier City News Convenience 37 Union Street, AB11 5BN

5. Tesco Express who have applied for the license 43-45 Union Street

6. CoOperative 204 Union Street Ab10 1QS

7.Tesco Express 499-501 Union Street AB11 6DB

8. Sainsbury's Local 492-494 Union Street, AB10 1TS

9.Sunny's 24/7 Best one 36-40 Market Street, AB11 5PL

10.Sainsbury's Local 54 Guild Street AB11 6NB

11.Marks & Spencer 2 Saint Nicholas Street AB10 1BU 12.Sainsbury's Local Saint Nicholas Centre Aberdeen

13.A&C Smart 314 King Street AB24 5BJ

14. Asda Beach Boulevard Retail Park

15. Also Beach Boulevard Retail Park

16 Lidl Hutchison Street Ab25 3Tb