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Comment for Planning Application 121087
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Comment : This restaurant has previously put tables out on the pavement without having had a license, this happened when the restaurant initially opened. There was a Hookah water pipe on the table implying that people would sit outside and smoke in the vicinity of the front door to the restaurant.

The restaurant also has a balcony which had been used as external seating for patrons.

There isn't that much clearance on the pavement for tables to be laid out, without impinging on pedestrian's right of way on the pavement.

The restaurant is open until 11PM, and if people were to be sitting outside at that time there would be additional noise, especially with staff clearing up tables and bringing them inside the restaurant, that is assuming they are going to be stored inside. If they are going to be left out on the pavement they would be a prime target for vandals.

Additionally, if people were to be eating outside this would exacerbate the sea-gull problem which is prevalent in King Street, especially if the tables were not cleared immediately after patrons have vacated them.