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Sent: 23 December 2014 19:00 To: Licensing Subject: CO-OP , 122 Broomhill Road , Aberdeen / Licensing re-application

Aberdeen CC licensing board

Business Hub 6, Level 1 South

Dear Licensing Board Members.

I am taking this opportunity to voice my disapproval of the recent request to reapply for a liquor Licence for the above vacant property in Broomhill Road.

Having lived in Broomhill area since 1960, even to this day i cannot see the benefit having alcohol readily available on our doorstep - we've managed this long without so far!!

It is amateurish that the applicant always seem to feel the need to insert applications around the holiday period, strangely enough the same tactic as last year- making it difficult for most residents to respond in a civilised manner? - rather odd for an established organisation that ends up relying on the very same people (locals) to frequent their business.

However, i cannot see a valid requirement to have premises selling alcohol when we already have quite a few outlets all within walking distance of most homes in the locality.

That this property is only 1 block away from Broomhill Primary School, with parents and children walking in the area 4 times per school day, i wonder what the council's education departments thoughts are on this sneaky application?

I seem to recollect on the previous occasion, that NHS Grampian are totally against this oversupply of cheap drink in "any" given location - and were also strongly against this particular application, 11 months on — whats changed??

also due to the glaringly obvious statistics for alcohol consumption and its well documented negative effects on health and well being to all humans has obviously fallen on deaf ears with cash being king at the till at any expense.

I do hope those who are entrusted with any decision regarding this application already realise that life never revolves around Alcohol and the business will still survive, never feel guilty taking a stand for the community and primarily for those who you serve.

Kind Regards