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From:

Sent: 17 February 2016 09:14

To: Licensing

Subject: 1 Goodhope Park

Dear Licencing Board

Your reference: AC878

I would like to send my disapproval and objection for the application for a premises licence which would facilitate the sale of alcohol which is, as I am sure you know a potentially socially disruptive drug. This particular premise is firmly integrated in a residential area and that it should be maintained in that regard. Granting of this application would destroy the principles by which the premise was built. Housing potential residents should have priority over permitting alcohol sales. Apparently the alcohol is to be consumed off site, this would be a difficult thing to guarantee, particularly with their being a pervasive failure in society to police alcohol consumption. It is a strong, deep-rooted and accurate belief that, this will not satisfy all residents as indeed many of them dont drink alcohol, and the concerns of residents must have priority over the wishes of external individuals as indeed it is the residents that occupy the proximal area constantly. Additionally, the apparent off site condition of the alcohol consumption infers that residents wouldn't be able to purchase the alcohol in any case, which further places in doubt the viability of this application. Of course this may also disillusion new residents who wish to purchase a property in the immediate vicinity of the premise.

Please withdraw this licencing application. I would strongly advocate this withdrawal.

Kind Regards