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**Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005**  
**Application for Premises Licence**  
**Address: 21 Union Street, Aberdeen, AB11 5BU**  
**Applicant: Partnership of Ali Doganay and Yusuf Ozdemir**

I refer to the above and I would like to make the following representation.

Regarding access terms for children and young persons, to be consistent with the Licensing Board's policy and in connection with other similar premises within the area, I would recommend that young persons require to be accompanied by an adult after 22.00.

Regarding the external areas – following a recent visit to the premises, I cannot support the grant of external areas for the following reasons:-

- 1) The proposed seating area at the front of the premises, (Union Street) - the pavement area is congested, with individuals frequently waiting at the pedestrian crossing. In my view this may cause potential obstruction which maybe inconsistent with the licensing objective Securing public safety.
- 2) The proposed seating areas at the side of the premises, (Shiprow) - currently include two telephone boxes. In my view present potential monitoring issues from within the premises, even if the telephone boxes are removed, as this area is not visible from inside the premises.

If the Board grant the external areas, I would recommend that there is a delineation of the area, a terminal hour of 22.00 is implemented, cut coverage of the Shiprow area and also that there will be no live entertainment or recorded music played within the external area.

Regarding the proposed internal live entertainment, if granted, I would recommend that this is restricted to acoustic entertainment as described by the applicant during my visit to the premises.

  
**Diane Sande**  
Licensing Standards Officer