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Dear Sir/Madam,

**LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005  
APPLICATION FOR THE VARIATION OF A PREMISES LICENCE  
RIVER DUCK/DON VIEW, 2 ELLON ROAD, ABERDEEN, AB23 8EA  
PREMISES LICENCE HOLDER - RELIANCE (AB) LTD**

I refer to the above application for the variation of a premises licence under terms of Section 29(5) of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005.

The variation requested consists of:

1. Amend the commencement of core hours from 1230 to 1200 hours on Sunday;
2. Amendment to the activities to be provided on the premises to remove bar meals, films, live performances and televised sport and the addition of 'provide take away food facilities' as an activity;
3. Increase the times that Children and Young Person are permitted access, from 2000 hours to 2200 hours.

In terms of Section 29(5) of the Act this request can be considered a variation.

In terms of Section 22(1)(b)(i)(ii) and (iii) of the same Act, I make the following representation.

The layout plan submitted with this application shows an external drinking area to the front of the premises. Outdoor drinking is not an activity contained within the current Operating Plan.

In terms of Section 22(1)(b)(ii) and (iii) of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005, I am of the opinion that the variation in its current form should be modified so that either

the layout plan is amended to delete the external drinking area, or the operating plan is amended to include outside drinking facilities and if the latter, such area is subject to a terminal hour of 2200.

This representation is submitted for your attention when considering this application.

Yours faithfully

Philip Gormley QPM  
Chief Constable

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