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PLANNING APPLICATION REFERENCE 170965/DPP, Silver Darling Restaurant, Pocra Quay, Aberdeen  
AB11 5DQ

I wish to register my objection to the above application. The requested increase to existing licencing hours, particularly over the weekend, will potentially see an increased footfall and vehicular traffic into an area that already struggles with tourist buses, sightseers and cars.

The Silver Darling under its previous management and licencing hours provided a limited interruption to local residences with the coming and going of delivery trucks and taxis. This proposal has the potential to significantly change that.

Whilst I appreciate that Footdee is on the tourist trail and is a nice place to visit, it is also a living community that can be overrun with people walking through the squares gawping in windows, especially during peak periods in the summer. The last thing we need is more of the same taking up the already limited parking space around the Pocra Quay / Water front area, causing additional noise and litter pollution.

Can I assume the Council will perform an Impact Assessment Study on the proposal and allow local residence to view and comment before any decisions are made?

Yours sincerely