## ABERDEEN CITY LICENSING BOARD Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005, section 22 Notice of Objection or Representation

Please provide your name and postal address Leonora H Montgomery (Secretary) City Centre Community Council Name Address 96 Thistle Court **ABERDEEN AB10 1SE** Tel. No E-mail Name and address of premises to which the objection or representation refers Slains Castle 14-18 Belmont Street **ABERDEEN** AB10 1JH Please give details of the objection or representation below (please continue on a separate sheet if necessary) We object to this application on the grounds that the proposed changes to Sunday trading would mean that they would be trading for 15 hours which is in contradiction to point 20.3 of the Statement of Licensing which states that 14 hours in a 24 hour period would be deemed reasonable. Signature \_Leonora H Montgomery

**RETURN TO:** 

Date

Legal and Democratic Services

29/04/18

or e-mail to licensing@aberdeencity.gov.uk

#### **DATA PROTECTION ACT 1988**

Any person who submits an objection should be aware that it will be disclosed to the applicant and to any other relevant parties. It will be available to members of the Licensing Board, and will form part of the agenda pack which is available on the Council's website. To that extent, however, they are redacted, with e-mail addresses, telephone numbers and signatures removed from this correspondence.

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# GUIDANCE NOTE ON MAKING AN OBJECTION OR REPRESENTATION TO A PREMISES LICENCE APPLICATION OR AN APPLICATION TO VARY AN EXISTING PREMISES LICENCE

In terms of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 any person may object or make representation to an application for a premises licence or a variation of an existing premises licence.

Objections must be in writing and must be received by the date specified in the licence advert and on the notice which the applicant is required to display.

If you make an objection or representation you will be invited to attend the meeting of the Licensing Board where the application will be determined and will be given an opportunity to speak to the terms of your objection or representation should you so wish.

#### Objecting to an application

Where objecting to an application, the objection must be on any grounds relevant to the grounds for refusal.

The grounds for refusal are –

- that the subject premises are excluded premises,
- that the application must be refused under section 25(2), [no repeat application within 1 year of refusal], 64(2),[24 hour trading] or 65(3) [outwith off-sale statutory hours 10.00-22.00]
- that the Licensing Board considers that the granting of the application would be inconsistent with one or more of the licensing objectives, which are
  - (a) preventing crime and disorder
  - (b) securing public safety
  - (c) preventing public nuisance
  - (d) protecting and improving public health
  - (e) protecting children from harm
- that, having regard to—
- (i) the nature of the activities proposed to be carried on in the subject premises,
- (ii) the location, character and condition of the premises, and
- (iii) the persons likely to frequent the premises,

the Board considers that the premises are unsuitable for use for the sale of alcohol,

- that, having regard to the number and capacity of—
  - (i) licensed premises, or
  - (ii) licensed premises of the same or similar description as the subject premises,
  - in the locality in which the subject premises are situated, the Board considers that, if the application were to be granted, there would, as a result, be overprovision of licensed premises, or licensed premises of that description, in the locality.

When objecting to an application please make clear on which ground(s) you are objecting and provide a clear and concise explanation why.

#### Making a representation

you may make representations to the Board concerning the application, including, in particular, representations—

- (i) in support of the application,
- (ii) as to modifications which the person considers should be made to the operating plan accompanying the application, or
- (iii) as to conditions which the person considers should be imposed.

If making a representation you should be clear and concise as to the nature of your representation.