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Sent: 04 June 2018 10:47
To: Licensing
Cc: Barrett Daliah
Subject: RE: Application for the Variation of a Premises Licence- La Taberna Del Paisa, 43 West Green Road, Tottenham, London, N15 5BY (WK409240)

Dear Mrs Barrett

We are making representations against the application for La Taberna Del Paisa, 43 West Green Road N15 to extend their licensable hours. The present hours of alcohol sales are:

Monday to Sunday 1100 – 2230 - Opening hours 0800 – 2300.

The venue has applied to extending licensable hours until:

Monday to Thursday 1100 – 0000 - Opening hours 0800 - 0000
Friday to Sunday 1100 – 0300 - Opening hours 0800 - 0300

Policy in Haringey is for venues to cease alcohol sales 30 minutes prior to closing to allow a 'winding down' period for clients to have a reasonable time to finish their drinks. In this application applicant wishes to apply to sell alcohol up to closing time despite 'on sales' only.

The area surrounding the venue has ongoing issues with crime and anti – social behaviour, often alcohol related, including street drinking and the local Police Safer neighbourhood team have expressed concern about this venue opening until 0300. The surrounding hour whilst commercial a ground level is residential above these venues, including applicants venue. Applicant has recently received complaints from local residents regarding late night noise nuisance. During a visit on 24th April 2018 with applicant and Mr lake I noted a portable stereo system in venue not connected to speakers. I discussed soundproofing venues roof but applicant told me he could not afford to do that at the moment. The Premises Licence states 'all speakers shall be mounted on anti-vibration mountings to prevent transmission of sound energy to adjoining premises' the 6 wall mounted speakers were on ordinary metal brackets. The application states there are now only 2 small speakers in venue but no mention of required anti – vibration brackets. The venue did not have a CCTV system that reached the standard required by the licence condition. There was none of the required signage relating to disturbing neighbours except an A4 letter with small writing on the front window. Viewing CCTV for 24th March 2018 the venue was operating under a Temporary Event Notice until 0030 but played music until 0130 and closed at 0200.

The smoking area is on the footway at the front of the venue and clients congregating there until 0300 are likely to cause noise nuisance to adjacent residential venues.

Whilst Police do not object to an increase in hours Friday and Saturdays they consider it should take into account local residents generally work on weekdays. Police suggest the following hours:

Alcohol sales: Sunday to Thursday 1100 – 2230 - Opening hours 0800 – 2300
Friday & Saturday 1100 - 2330 - Opening hours 0800 – 0000

Police consider the applicant should show he can operate within the Conditions on his Premises Licence whilst not causing noise nuisance to neighbours before any major increase in licensable hours.

Regards

Mark Greaves