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Dear Mrs Barrett

**POLICE OBJECTION NOTICE to a Temporary Event Notice (TEN)
Section 104 Licensing Act 2003**

Name of Premises User: Ms Jacqueline Smith

Address of Premises: The Pavilion Sports & Café, Bruce Castle Park, Lordship Lane N17 8NJ

Date) / Times requested for TEN: Saturday 4th August 2018 1200 - 2000

Police are satisfied that the grant of this Temporary Event Notice (TEN) would undermine the Crime and Disorder and Public Nuisance objectives.

This application relates to an event described in application as: 'A family fun day & Barbecue celebrating Jamaican Independence and Windrush. The day will consist of activities such as T Shirt designing, tennis and other ball games. Food and music.' The event is for 100 people which includes staff and children. Staff will be at least 16 including DJs. There have been previous TENs regarding fun days at this venue with no mention of DJ's being present. In this case after an email enquiry the applicant informs me there will be 6 DJ's present with 4 playing music. Tickets for the event will be advertised within Facebook groups and on Mi Soul Radio. There will be 6 security guards and 4 stewards for this event which from my experience is rather high for 84 guests including children. There will be alcohol sales.

This application appears to relate to a music event taking place in a park in close proximity to residential properties operating between 1200 – 2000. I have previously visited this venue and there are residential properties on the opposite side of Lordship Lane about 10 metres away and residential venues backing onto the park from Bruce Castle Road about 25 metres away. It is likely people not connected to the event will be using the park at the same time. I have spoken with applicant and although she assures me local residents will be engaged ahead of the event and sound controlled by equipment, strategic positioning of speakers and an app the applicant has, all very professional, I cannot believe residents and park users will be adversely effected by noise leakage from this nearby open area as this is a DJ music event and not background music.

The music event is likely to attract persons without tickets who will be able to clearly hear the music outside the fencing and can consume alcohol with the security officers having no power to control them and considering such an event could realistically attract hundreds of persons outside over the 8 hours period there is risk of crime / disorder. There is risk non ticket holders could attempt unauthorized entry leading to conflict with security.

Police object to this event as it appears to be mainly a commercial music event where anyone can enter if they purchase a ticket. There is concern about noise related Public Nuisance emanating from

the event adversely effecting local residents living close by venue and those frequenting the park on a Saturday afternoon. There is also risk of crime / disorder from uncontrollable amounts of people attending and either trying to get in or loitering outside consuming alcohol.

Yours sincerely,

Mark Greaves
Licensing Officer Haringey Police