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On Mon, Apr 8, 2024 at 5:23 PM wrote: Dear haringey licensing committee,

I was recently made aware that the Victoria pub has applied for an extended license to be able to play music and serve alcohol until 1am Friday night/Saturday morning.

As a resident of the flats opposite the Victoria pub on Scotland Green, I would like to register my objection to this extension on the grounds of the anticipated disruption/nuisance that it would cause to local residents.

The close proximity of the premises means that any later opening/serving of alcohol presents an immediate threat to the way of life of the residents of nearby properties on Scotland Green, which house a number of families with young children. In addition to noise concerns, we have a very real and present issue with intoxicated persons regularly choosing to use the entrance ways to the flats as a place they can urinate due to it being out of sight from the high road.

This undesirable behaviour is vastly increased during match and event days at the Tottenham stadium, for which we have raised multiple complaints to local councillors. With Scotland Green serving as a regular route for event goers walking to Tottenham Hale station, and the increase now in matches and events that take place on a Friday evening, a later opening of the pub would undoubtedly attract and result in an increased level of this undesirable behaviour.#

Please note this is not attributing all the current issues to the Victoria. Rather, this is a general issue in the area, but one that would only be exacerbated by extended opening times.

On a related note, please can you advise as to the current licensing arrangements for the Bluecoats pub (614 High Rd, London N17 9TA)? I have been incredibly surprised to see them serving beer and cocktails recently in open containers to passers by on the high road before and after matches/events. Aside from the increased noise, littering, and other undesirable public behaviour, last weekend the crowd of people stood outside the pub drinking and waiting to be served was circa 30-40 people, completely blocking the pedestrian route on that side of the street and forcing passers-by to walk in the high road which is highly unsafe.

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