

**Appendix 3– Copy of Representation from Responsible Authorities**

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## **Anderson Chanel**

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**Subject:** FW: Rep 266 MUSWELL HILL BROADWAY N10

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**From:** Barrett Dallah

**Sent:** 24 May 2017 15:37

**To:** Shah Noshaba <Noshaba.Shah@haringey.gov.uk>; Anderson Chanel <Chanel.Anderson@haringey.gov.uk>

**Subject:** FW: Rep 266 MUSWELL HILL BROADWAY N10

The Licensing Authority is making representation in support of the review application brought by the Metropolitan Police against The Metropolitan at 266 Muswell Hill Broadway London N10.

The main reason for making the representation is that the premises has been the associated with serious crime and disorder and ongoing anti social behaviour in the area as well as noise nuisance complaints from residents due to both people noise and music noise emanating from the premises.

The premises has been used a late night venue for many years and was able to cross over into the new process under grandfathered rights in 2005. The premises operated in the Muswell Hill Broadway area alongside other late night venues, namely Socialite Bar which has been reviewed by the Police and had its Premises Licence revoked by the Licensing Committee but is still operating whilst awaiting an appeal at Magistrates Court, and Club 56 which had its licence revoked due to failure to uphold the crime and disorder objective back in 2015. There is a late night kebab shop in between the two remaining venues. Across the road is The Mossy Wells which operate as a pub with a 1am licence. The mix of late night venues in the area has meant that Muswell Hill has been an area that was considered the most likely to be considered as a 'cumulative impact area' due to the mix of late night venues. It is true to say that the Broadway has had its share of cumulative impact type issues as a result of the late night venues in operation in the area. This has ranged from nuisance from people noise, illegal minicab hire issues, cars parked illegally, drugs being consumed in the vicinity and major fights in the street from people attending the clubs in that area. In more recent times this has culminating in stabbings and shootings taking place in the area.

The area of Muswell Hill has been going through change and regeneration in terms of residential properties being built in close proximity to these late night premises. Club 56 no longer exists and the land has now been used to build residential property.

The current licence held by Mr Ioannou requires that music is played at a low level, the premises does the opposite and operates as a nightclub with very loud music that could be heard across the street. When officers of the Licensing authority has visited the venue the licensee Mr Ioannou has not been positive about receiving words of advice and guidance from officers and has dealt in a dismissive fashion with officers. He has not wanted to hear that the music was causing problems or to deal with the nuisance as he felt he was within his right as the 'club' owner to permit the playing of loud music.

It is concerning that throughout the last 18 months Mr Ioannou has not felt it was within his gift to take on board the matters raised with him by the Police into the ongoing violent crime and disorder in the area, and has told the Police that the things they were requiring him to do was not on his licence and was therefore not prepared to take the recommendations on board prior to the submission of the Review.

A meeting was held with Mr Ioannou and his legal representative on 24<sup>th</sup> May 2017 in which Mr Ioannou spoke of the changes he has made to the front of the premises by carrying out works to create a lobby to deal with noise outbreak and also install a noise limiter. This Authority has not seen any specifics about the lobby area /work that has been installed and as it would impact on the licensed area the licence holder was obliged to inform the Authority of any changes to the layout of the premises. There has been no noise consultant report provided by the licence holder at the time of submitting this representation. Mr Ioannou also stated at the meeting that he had been under pressure with drug dealers at the premises and expressed a view that he did not received support from Police or the community on this matter when he asked for assistance. On further questioning on this matter as to who he tried to contact about this

problem he said he mentioned it to the Central Police unit when they attended his premises for a one off inspection and representatives of a local school. Mr Ioannou was asked why as a licence holder he did not pick up the phone and speak to the Council or Police Licensing Officer, there was no clarity given on this matter. It is very concerning that there is such a major drug dealing problem at the premises that Mr Ioannou felt he was not being supported with but equally did not raise awareness of the problem with the relevant services on this matter.

Mr Ioannou wanted to make clear that he has since the review application was submitted now taken onboard all the matters previously raised with him and is intending to work towards addressing the ongoing issues at the premises.

The premises has Planning permission to operate as a restaurant with restaurant hours. Clearly the use over the years has altered and the premise was also used as a wine bar and is now operated as a nightclub. There has been no change of use application to Planning of the premises to regularise the nightclub operation. Planning therefore still have the premises classed as A3 restaurant use. The use of the premises as a restaurant with restaurant hours would not have had the detrimental effect that the use of a nightclub has now been realised. The Planning irregularity has been advised to the licence holder and he need to submit an application for a change of use to be considered.

Having carefully considered this application and the proposals put forward by the Police the Licensing Authority fully support the recommendations made by the Metropolitan Police but also recommended further alterations to the licence:

That the hours of operation be altered that licensable activity ceases at 11.30pm each day and the premises closes at midnight 7 days a week.

It is clear that the licence holder did not make himself fully aware of his responsibilities under the licensing objectives and the Licensing Sub Committee are now required to consider appropriate conditions to ensure that adequate enforceable conditions are imposed. Whilst Mr Ioannou is prepared to show a contrite and humble face to the LSC in order to ensure the hours of the licence remains intact, the reality is that the operation of the premises under his management has led to complaints and anti social behaviour that he was not prepared to accept and deal with when authorised officers raised concerns with him. There needs to be a degree of trust with licence holders and the Licensing authority would want to support responsible management at licensed venues across the borough.

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## Appendix 4-- Representation from Residents

Head Officer-Licensing  
Haringey Council  
Level 6 - Alexandra House  
10 Station Road  
Wood Green  
N22 7TR

14/5/17



Dear Sir

Re: Review of Premises Licence, Metropolitan Bar,  
266 Muswell Hill Broadway, N10 2QR

I have recently moved into a one bedroom flat in the Pinnacle development, the address shown above. My bedroom overlooks & is quite close to the rear of the Metropolitan nightclub.

On Saturday 13th May I was woken at 2.50 am by the regular, thumping bass of loud music. This continued until 3.55 am, preventing me from sleeping & causing me considerable anxiety. I wish to make an official complaint - firstly with regard to the licensing hours, & secondly regarding the club's inadequate soundproofing.

This level of noise pollution will prevent many residents from sleeping, & the lateness of the licensing hours is particularly unacceptable to those of us who are working. If this were to happen during the week it would be disastrous for me as I leave very early for work 4 days a week.

In addition, on Saturday 13th May when I had been awake a while, I looked out into our private car park area & saw a parked car with 4 young men loitering & chatting. I did not dare to step on to the balcony to take a photo as I live alone & felt quite vulnerable. This was soon after 3 a.m. I looked again a bit later & was relieved to see a parked police car outside.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully

mob:

**Anderson Chanel**

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**From:** Licensing  
**Subject:** FW: Socialite Bar - notice of application for premises Licence

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**From:**  
**Sent:** 19 May 2017 12:22  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Re: Socialite Bar - notice of application for premises Licence

Hello Dahlia, thank you for the reply

With the Socialite Bar being in such close proximity to the Metropolitan I can understand you may think the issues took place outside of the there, but I can assure you that the images taken were from incidents taking place outside the Socialite bar.

the socialite is currently applying for the new licence which states its intended operational hours of ' 12.00-3.30 Monday to Thursday' which was the case prior anyway.

I wish to have my representation considered for the Socialite bar still as well as the application underway for the Metropolitan too

Thanks

On Wednesday, 17 May 2017, Licensing <[Licensing.Licensing@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:Licensing.Licensing@haringey.gov.uk)> wrote:  
Hello

I am not clear from the pictures provided which premises you are referring to. The pictures seem to depict things happening at Metropolitan whose entrance faces the units shown across the road in the picture. The black door with the blood outside seems to be showing the Socialite Bar entrance. The Socialite also do not open week days it seems they operate on a Friday and Saturday only.

Please let me know if you wish to have your representation considered for the new application at Socialite Bar and also the Review application underway at the Metropolitan Bar?  
Regards

Daliah Barrett  
Licensing Team Leader



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**From:**  
**Sent:** 16 May 2017 17:56  
**To:** Licensing; Barrett Dallah  
**Subject:** Socialite Bar - notice of application for premises Licence

**16th May 2017**

**Lead Officer –Licensing  
Haringey Council  
Alexandra House  
Level 6  
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**To Whom it may concern,**

**I am writing to you in regards to the public notice of Application for the review of the premises licence of the Socialite Bar, 272 Muswell Hill Broadway, N10 2QR, in particular the prevention of noise.**

**My flat mates and I have lived at \_\_\_\_\_ since Spetember 2016 but we have experienced nothing but trouble since our arrival here in early October.**

**We are situated on the second floor of the building and as I have discovered, the Socialite Bar is based in the lower ground floor of 272 Muswell Hill Broadway.**

**Regardless of the spatial distance, I personally am constantly disturbed not only at the weekends but during the week from the music and particularly the bass resonating from the club, through the building and into my bedroom. This appears to worsen during the hours of 1 to 4am when the sound system is turned up, the bass intensifies and my sleep is disturbed by this.**

**My flat mates and I have made multiple calls to the council regarding the noise and disruption from the Socialite Bar at 276 Muswell hill Broadway and have always had a visit from Mr George Roberts.**



**Nine different complaints have been noted and reference numbers have been given, these are;**

- 1. T1392846**
- 2. T1411982**
- 3. T1419513**
- 4. T1425085**
- 5. T1451982**
- 6. T1476969**
- 7. T14811595**
- 8. T1481742**
- 9. T1549947**

**On Sunday 30th April just after 11pm, I made a call to the council and requested one of the noise prevention officers attend our flat at 276 Muswell Hill Broadway to assess the noise coming from the Socialite Club next door as it was keeping us up and was excessively loud and disrupting.**

**My call was received and I was told I to expect a call from one of the officers.**

**Mr. Mark Eastwood soon called but informed me that he would not be attending to assess the noise as they were short staffed due to staff sickness.**

**We have also had Mr. George Roberts from the Noise Prevention team visit our flat on three occasions to assess the disturbances. After a call I made on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November (ref T1425085), he agreed to come by back the following day between the hours of 2 and 4 am to experience this for himself.**

**Mr. Roberts arrived at our flat at 2am and was there for nearly an hour with his colleague.**

**During this time, he experienced the music and bass coming through the flat in both my bedroom and our front room, but also my flatmates bedroom which is at the front of the building and faces onto the main road.**

**Whilst in their bedroom, he happened to witness the disturbances outside the club which included fights in the street that security didn't have any control of, shouting and screaming from the club goers and people casually hanging about in the road, causing vehicles to avoid them and alert them by beeping the horn – I'm sure as you can imagine, not what needs to be heard at 3am at any time.**

**Besides the noise and bass issues that are a disturbance, the club itself seems to have a history of trouble and not a lot has changed there – the shooting that took place occurred behind our flat on Dukes Mews and in the short time we have been here, we have heard and seen other acts of violence and drunken**

**behaviour spilling out from the club and into the streets (One gentleman ended up with a metal bar to the back of the head a meter or two from our front door)**

**I have included images taken from our window of disturbances outside as well as blood that was on the front step of the club, situated next our front door.**

**I'm sure as you can imagine, we haven't moved to such a nice area to constantly worry what will occur next outside our street door, potentially keeping us inside as the police and emergency services deal with another mess.**

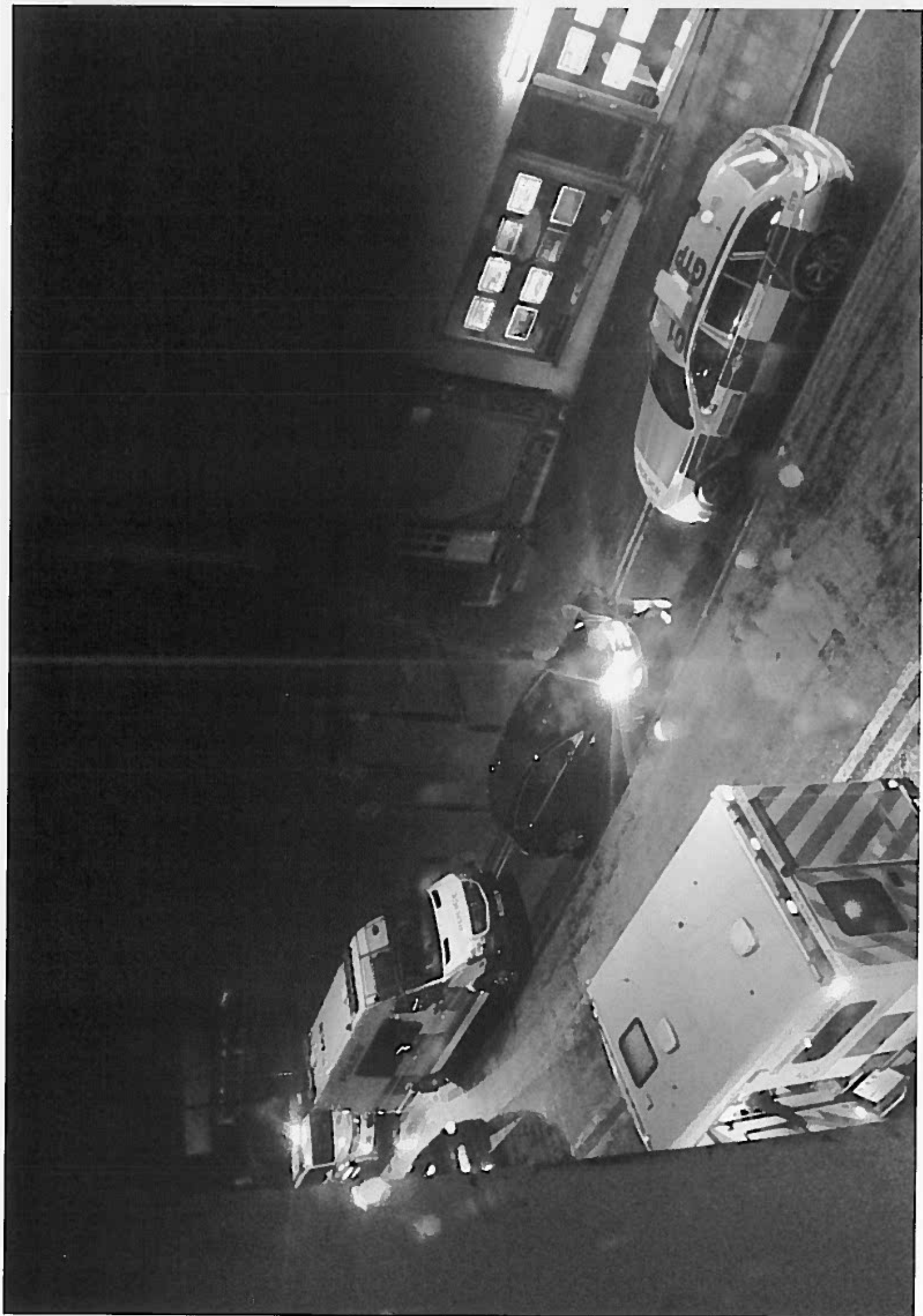
**I personally feel that this club should have its licence revoked and cease from operating. Not only due to the noise disturbance it causes us in the flat, but the lack of control and respect from those running it seems to be non-existent.**

**Yours sincerely**

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**Anderson Chanel**

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**From:** Licensing  
**Subject:** FW: Re Licence - socialite bar and metropolitan bar - graphic pictures  
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-----Original Message-----

**From:**  
**Sent:** 19 May 2017 18:08  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Re Licence - socialite bar and metropolitan bar - graphic pictures

Dear Sir/Madame

Please note that this email contains a graphic pictures!

Please make a right decision and close down for good both clubs in Muswell Hill (Socialite bar and Metropolitan Bar) or do us residents a favour and stop bothering us (residents) to write petitions if you not willing to hear us - don't waste your and our time. I am angry, I am upset and frustrated for their licence being a case again. Don't let the crime to spread to Muswell Hill. Take a look on pictures below - ask yourself if you would like to have blue emergency light outside of you house each weekend.

I am in my late 30s professional woman. I am quite new to Muswell Hill and been in the area since August 2016 but seen enough. Living almost next to the clubs cost me a lot of stress/sleepless nights and has not good impact on my personal and professional life. Having a number of sleepless/stressful nights had impact on my health, mental health my relationship, flatmate, friendships, work. Work is a main thing for me. I am working for a global company that offers mainly customer service over the phone and emails. My job also involve a lot of interaction with suppliers. Being tired, sad, snappy, miserable and out of focus does not bring good results and is not well received by my fellow colleagues and management. Been working for this company nearly 4 years having the same line manager been questioned several times "what is going on with you" - I don't need this as I am professional.

Each night since revoked licence at Socialite bar we don't know if club will be open or not. There is no clear information if the Socialite club should be closed as a business or if they have a right to run and organise parties/private events? There was a number of nights that club was open and ran a private events.

I am tired and really desperate to move out but I am obligated with a contract for a flat we rent. We (me and partner and flatmate) have called a serval times noise unit response at Haringey council. We have had a couple of visits from council... I believe that you have a number of reports but what is the outcome for us? No changes. Council team came in, left and noise stayed the same. The Club carried on and we were restless. Would prefer to have peace at night, not bother anyone in the middle of the night to visit my house. Beneficial for both sides. However having a conversation with one of the ladies at the licence department at the Haringey council, I have been told that no matter if licence will be completely revoked, there will be another venue as the property is purely dedicated for the entertainment - well maybe council could consider a Bingo club instead!

Since October 2016 there was no night on the weekend that nights were peaceful. Unfortunately on each Friday and Saturday night there are fights in the middle of the streets, arguments, shouting, screaming, abusive/impropriety language. People who are visiting clubs are very young (early to late twenties) and don't dress up to high end standard of any respectable club in London. They are not a local people for sure, as locals trying to take care of the neighbourhood and respect neighbours. Being woken up by people who are standing outside the clubs, totally unmonitored by the security start fights, intoxicated or not with no respect to each other shouting screaming, being sick on the streets, throwing rubbish, bottles around... leaving Muswell Hill in state of huge mess. I hope that creates a good picture of Muswell Hill by night for you. I guess they can because they don't care as they don't live here. Not impressive. Not acceptable!!! We live here we pay one of the most expensive council taxes in London, people spending millions on properties because of good reputation of green, safe suburban area of London, wanting their children to go to the best schools. Good reputation of Muswell Hill been questioned... Let's talk about the safety? Shooting in November 2016, Stabbing in January 2018. What else need to happen to open your eyes that this is not a right place for a night clubs. These two spots attracting young people, gangs, agresion. I don't feel safe, my partner does not feel safe.

Below you will find a number of pictures taken by myself. I have taken screenshots so you can actually see date and time of taken picture. (Pictures with no date and called Sunday was taken on the night of 13/14 may) The last thing I want to see leaving my flat in the morning is blood on pavements after the fights.

I don't really care how much these clubs (Socialite Bar and Metropolitan Bar) have to pay for 7 days licence, but licence until 4am is a joke. A number of respected restaurants across London do have residential area policy and property needs to be empty by 11:30pm at the very latest (e.g The River Café), most of the clubs in the west end do have licence until 3am only.

And myself thinking... Maybe one day I will be on my way back home a little bit later (I have social life too.) and maybe it will be the wrong time to meet some dangerous, aggressive people leaving the clubs - maybe I will be stabbed maybe shoot maybe raped... Maybe.... Kind of not thoughts I want to have.

I would love to invite the representatives - whoever is responsible for licence for both clubs. Please visit Muswell Hill on Friday or Saturday night especially around 2/3am than maybe letters like mine will be never written again and maybe no one will be hurt.

Please see pictures below. Pictures shows people that been stabbed in January, random people hanging out at 4am, people being sick... fights.. blood.

Make us residents safe and happy! Close down both clubs so people who are looking for trouble won't have any reason to come to Muswell Hill!

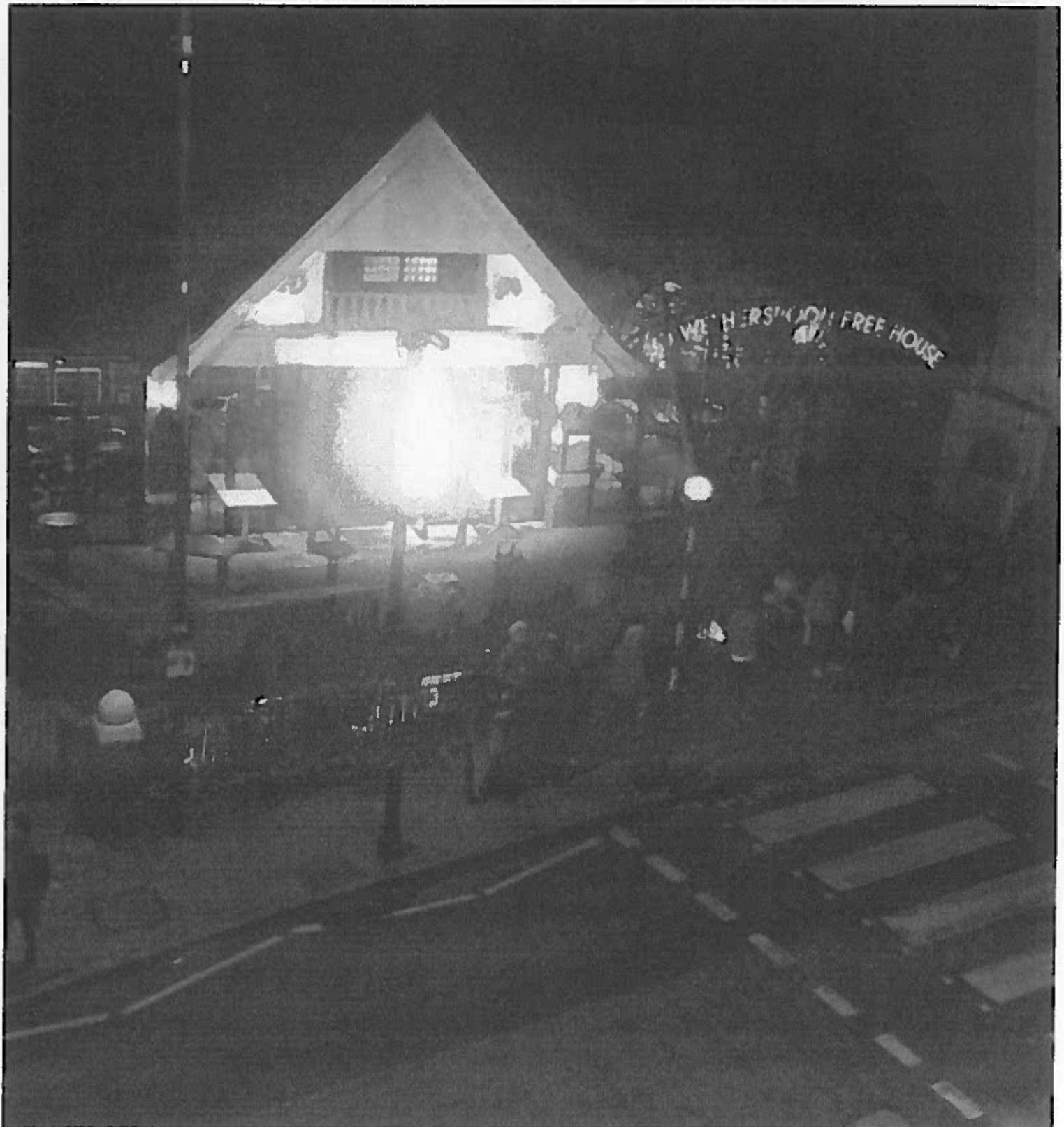
Kind regards,

Resident of Muswell hill Broadway!

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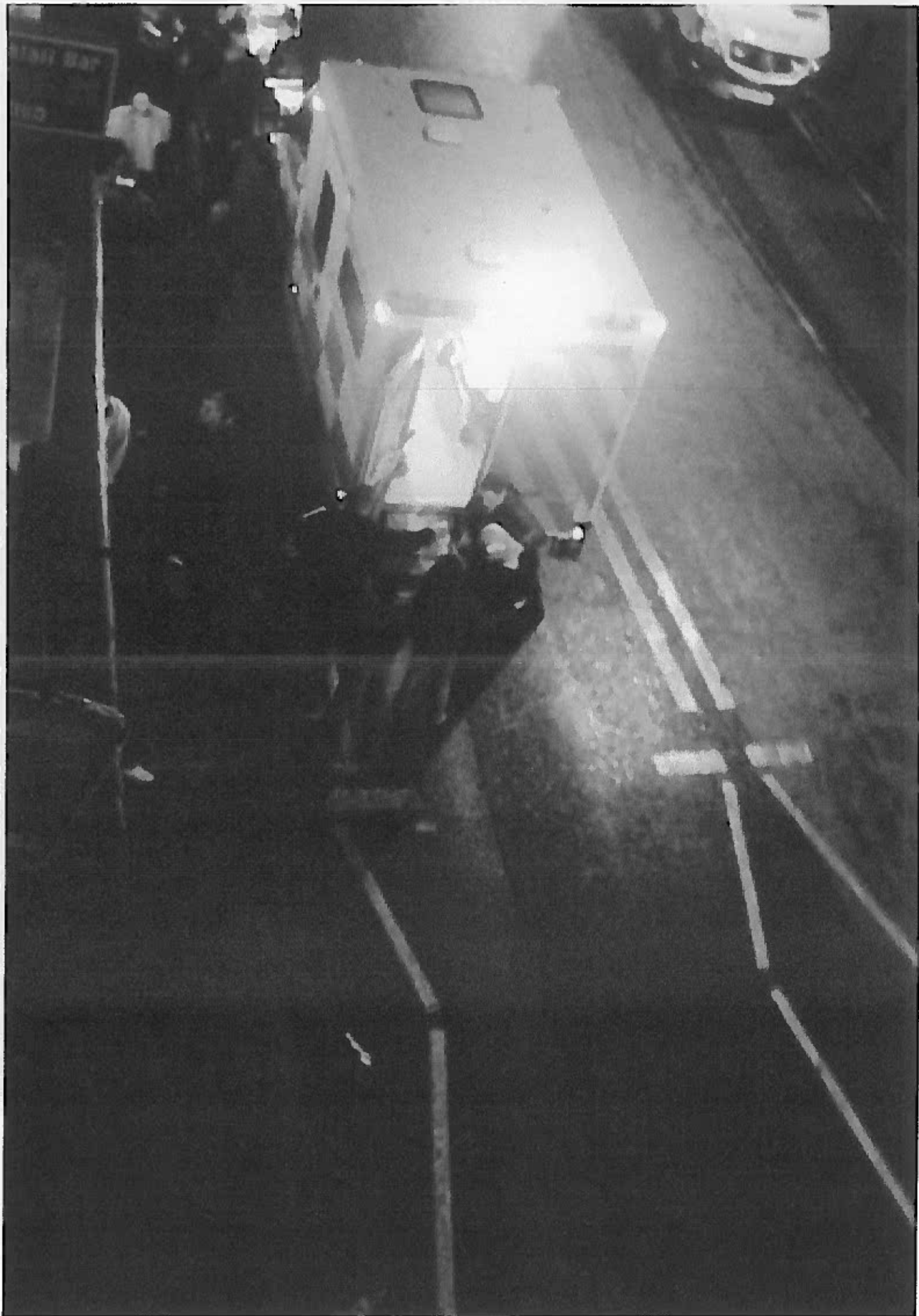


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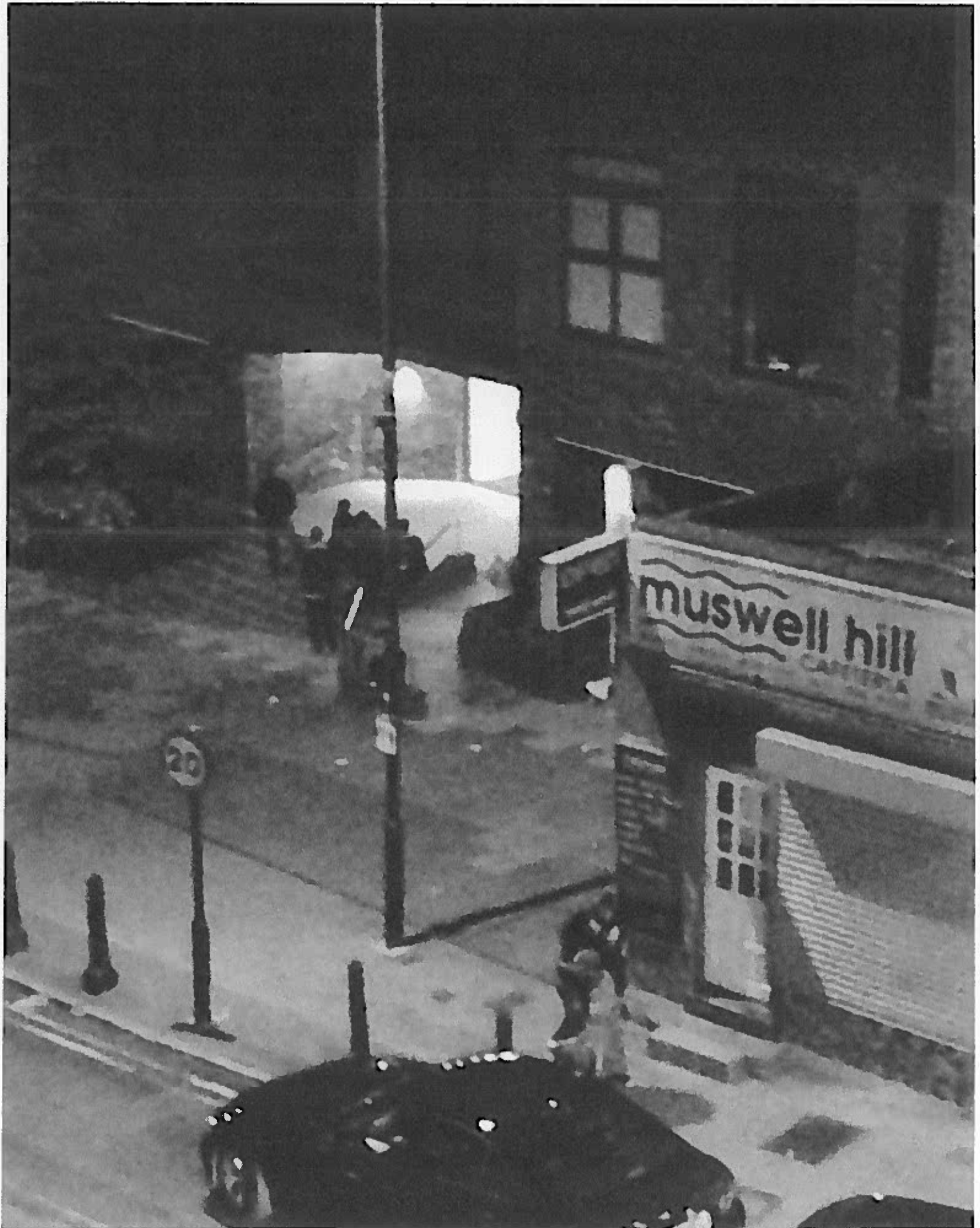
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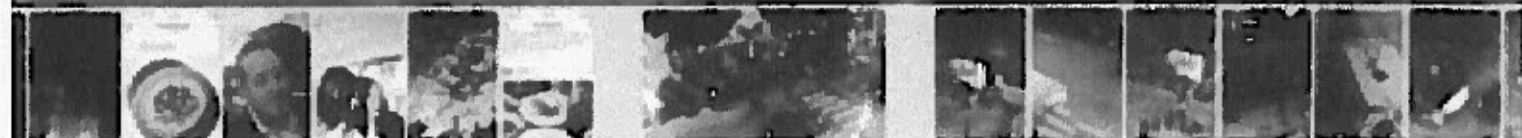
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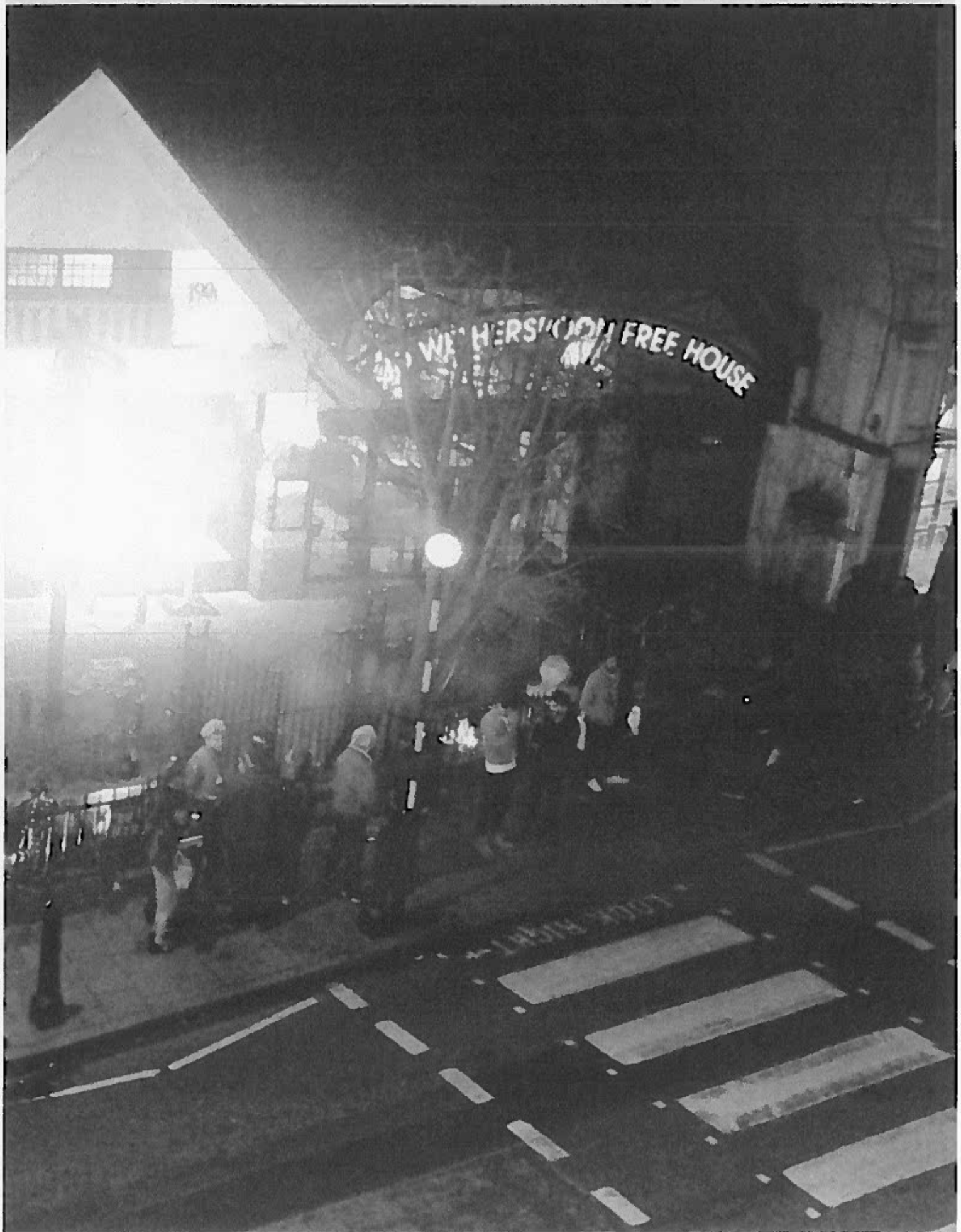
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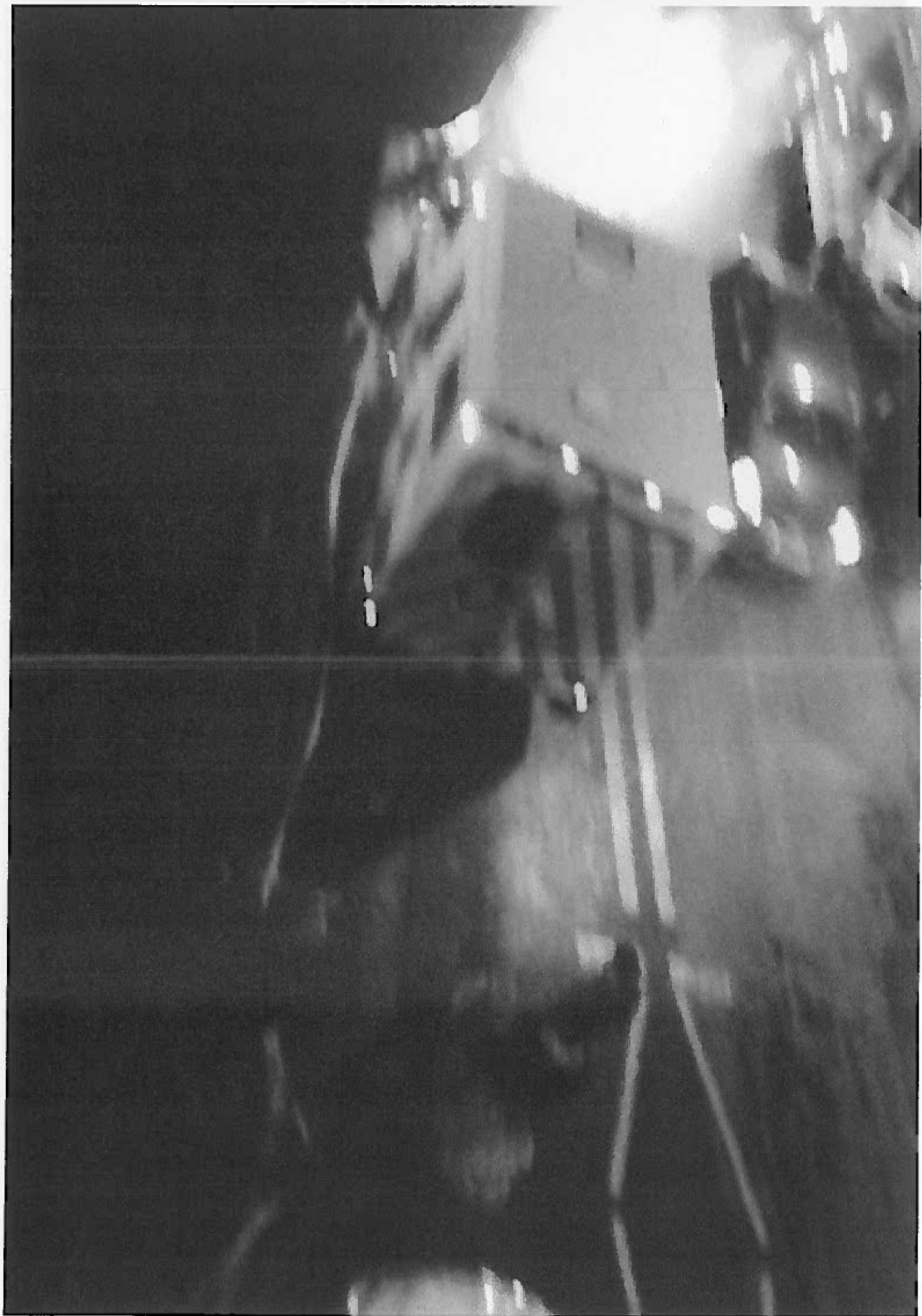
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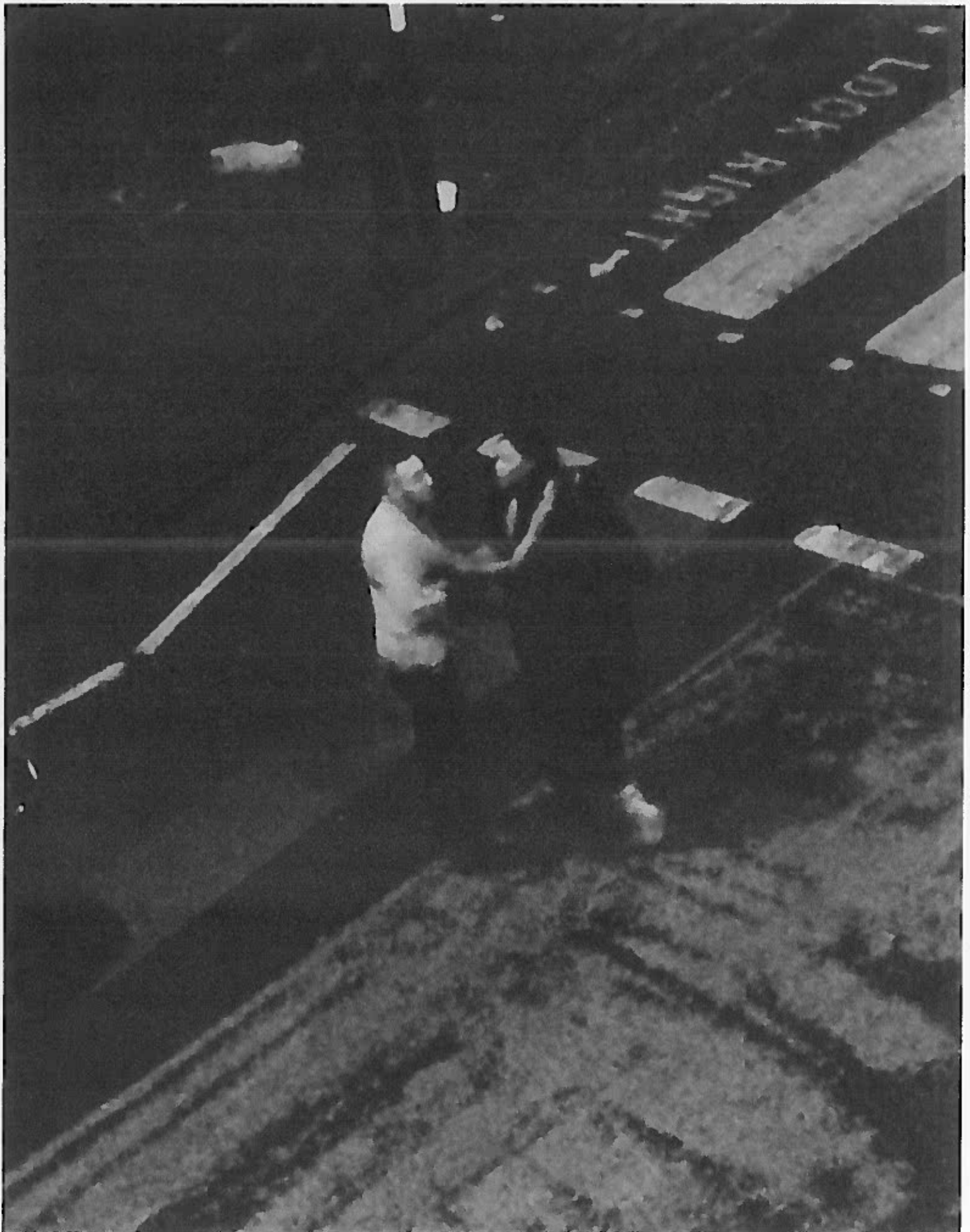


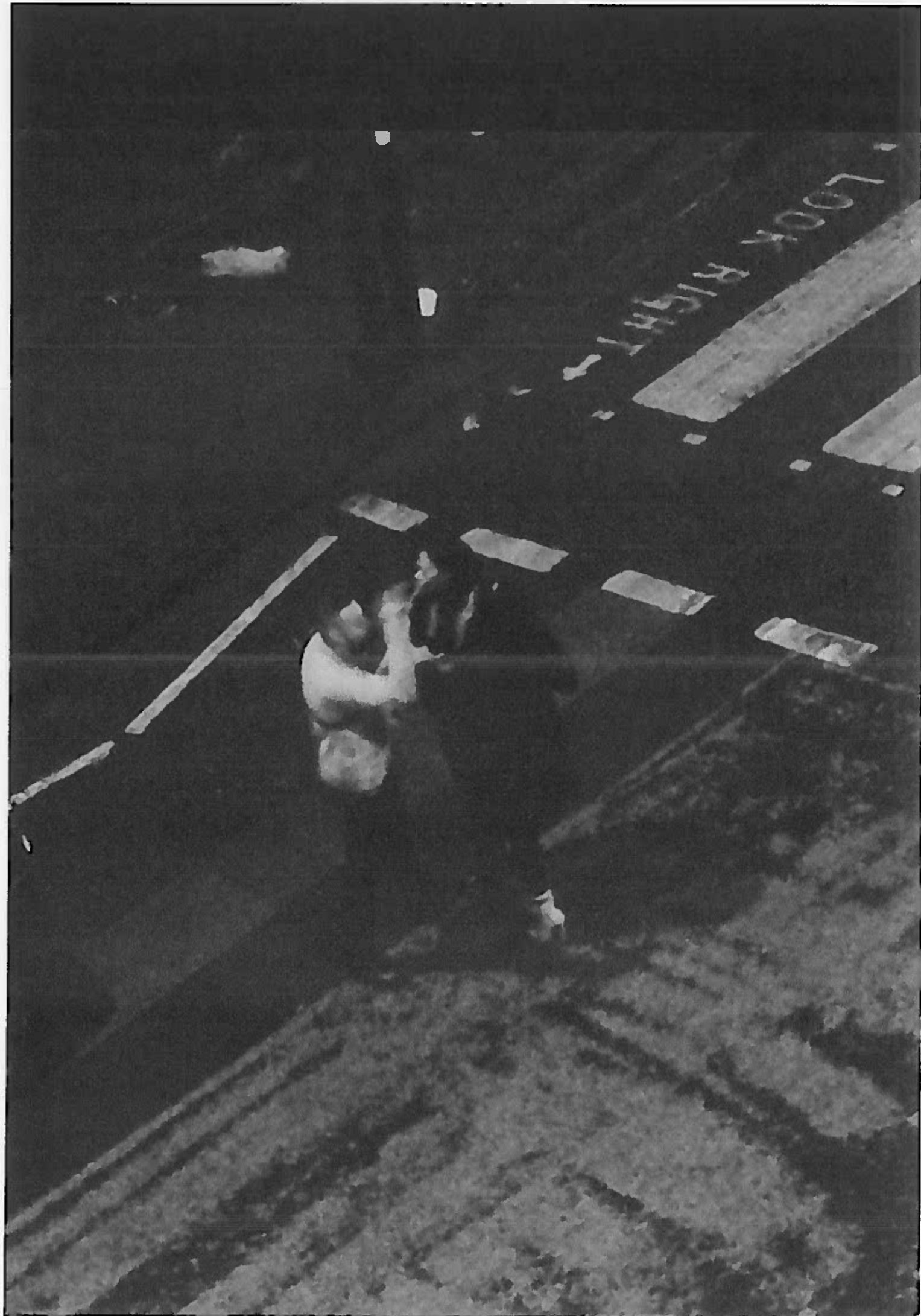


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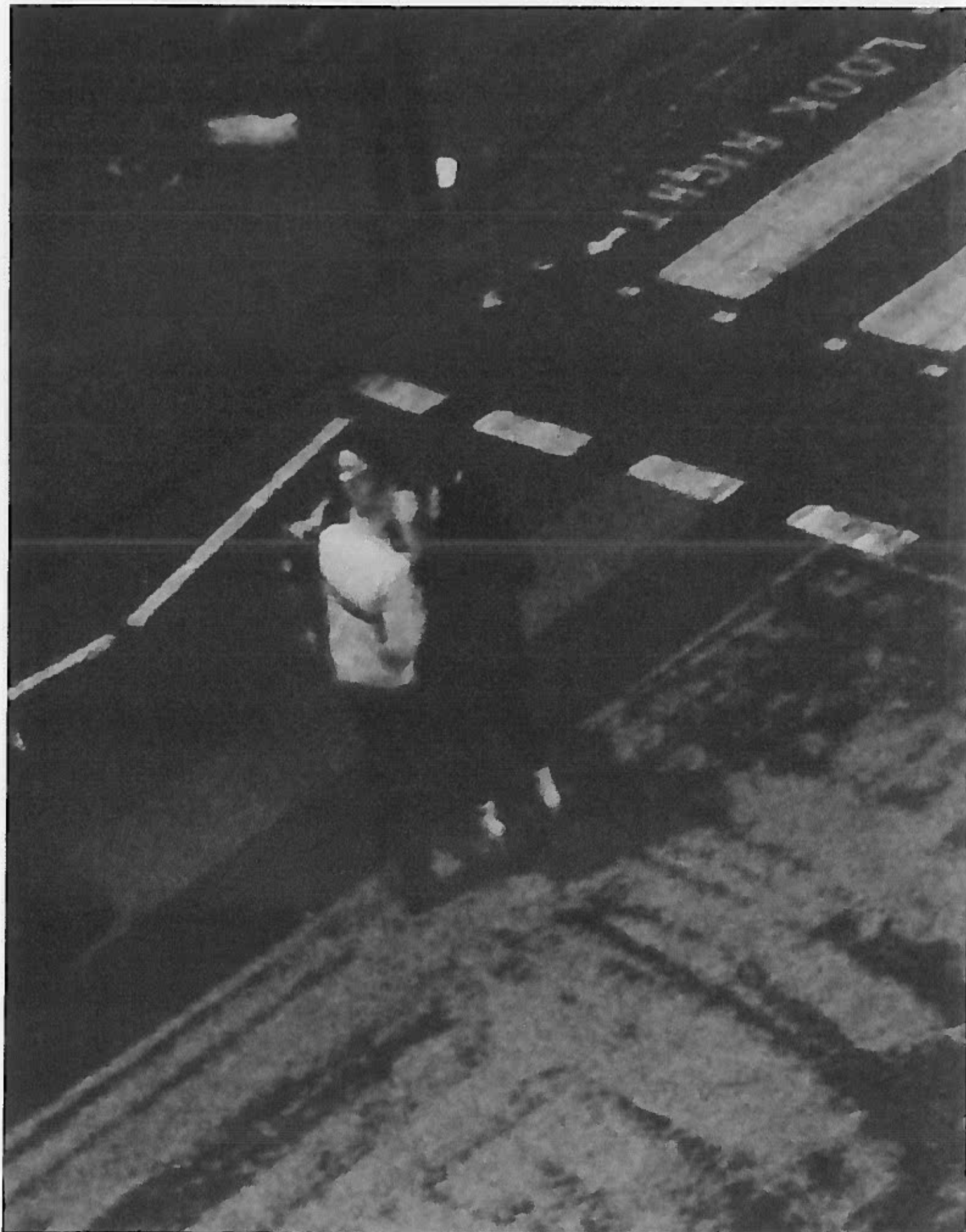




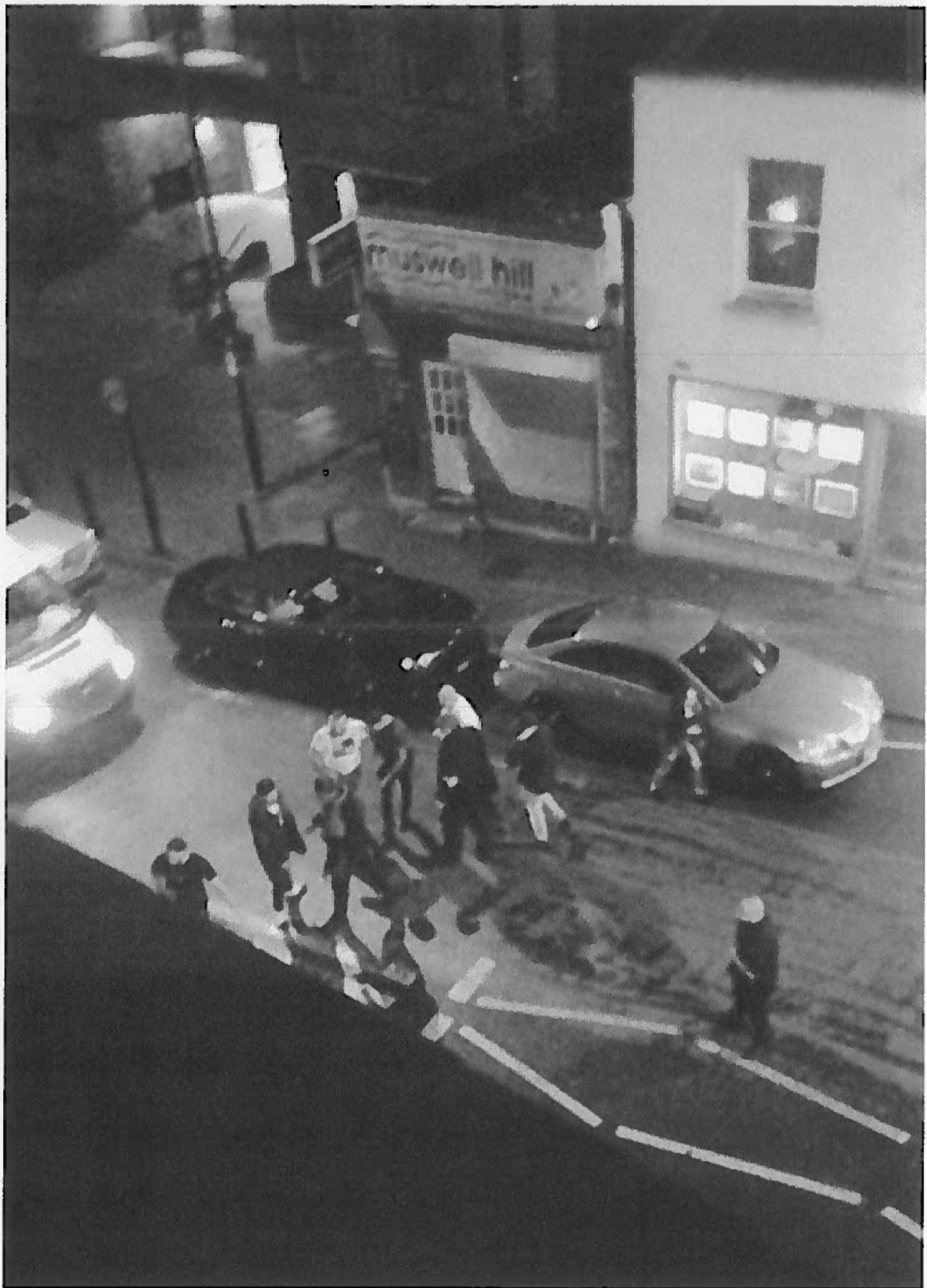
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Anderson Chanel

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**From:**  
**Sent:** 22 May 2017 12:36  
**To:** Licensing  
**Cc:** Barrett Daliah  
**Subject:** Review of Licence for Metropolitan, 266 Muswell Hill Broadway, London N10 2QR

Licensing Team  
Level 6 Alexandra House  
10 Station Road  
Wood Green  
N22 7TR

Dear Licensing,

Review of Licence for Metropolitan, 266 Muswell Hill Broadway, London N10 2QR

We are writing to support the review of the licence for the Metropolitan, as we understand that this premises has had a number of assaults and complaints relating to noise issues.

As local councillors since 2004 we have received representations from residents on numerous occasions about nuisance caused in the area at the top of Muswell Hill and Dukes Avenue allegedly by patrons of the night clubs operating in this area. Issues have included regular late night noise disturbance and some instances of violence.

Muswell Hill is a residential area with the top of Muswell Hill seeing a rapidly increasing residential population due to a number of substantial new developments and refurbishments. We do not believe that Muswell Hill is a suitable venue for late-night clubs and that residents deserve not to have their nights disturbed by the activities of patrons of local night-time establishments.

We are extremely concerned that conditions on current and previous licenses have not prevented the disturbance to local residents in the surrounding area and are not convinced that there are sufficient conditions that can be put in place on the licences of late-night establishments to guarantee that residents in the surrounding area will not continue to be regularly disturbed.

In conclusion, we do not believe that late-night clubs should operate in this area and request that this licence is revoked. However, if the licensing committee were minded to permit the venue to continue, we would strongly request that the hours of operation be cut back so that the licence does not extend past midnight.

Kind regards,

Cllr Martin Newton  
Liberal Democrat Fortis Green ward  
London Borough of Haringey

Cllr Gail Engert  
Liberal Democrat Muswell Hill ward

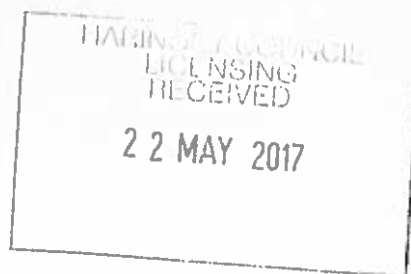
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19<sup>th</sup> May 2017

**Metropolitan : 266 Muswell Hill Broadway N10 2QR**

Dear Lead Officer,

We're writing to object to the continuation of the licensing of these premises. We understand that you have had an application to review the license on the grounds that the conditions of the license [ the prevention of crime and disorder/public safety ] have not been upheld.

We live at the end of Dukes Avenue, near the roundabout. Consequently patrons of the Metropolitan [ and the Socialite bar ] have often parked near our house in considerable numbers, especially at the weekend.

That would be ok if they returned to their cars and drove away quietly. Unfortunately that is often not the case. Revellers tend to return to their cars in substantial groups in the early hours of the morning and often hang around for a considerable time, talking, shouting and swearing loudly. And, not infrequently, this develops into violent confrontations [ including a shooting a few months ago when a young man was seriously injured, this section of the road was declared a crime scene for much of the next day and there was a fair amount of blood around – our car was spattered ].

We are fed up with the disruption to our lives and the sense of intimidation we regularly feel due to these late night incidents.

Please revoke this licence.

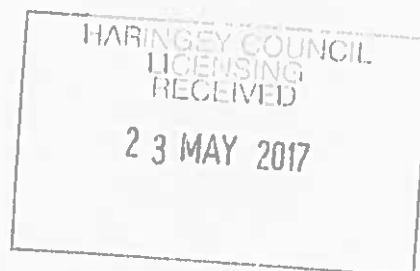
Yours faithfully

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17 May 2017

Dear Sir/Madam

METROPOLITAN BAR  
266 MUSWELL HILL BROADWAY  
N10 2QR



We are aware that an application to review the licence of the above premises on the following grounds:

1. Prevention of crime and disorder
2. Public safety.

We are writing to wholeheartedly support the review.

It is completely inappropriate to have this bar, with it's extensive opening hours, in a residential area. The closing times of 3 to 4 a m results in antisocial behaviours on the Broadway itself, reverberating down Dukes Avenue and causing disturbance and nuisance. This behaviour includes drunkenness, fights, partying, shouting, arguing - noise and nuisance.

It disturbs sleep, causes damage to cars, and litter including bottles of alcohol and glasses.

It attracts people who come to the club from outside the area once the pubs have closed. It does nothing to contribute to the local economy, or indeed anything else.

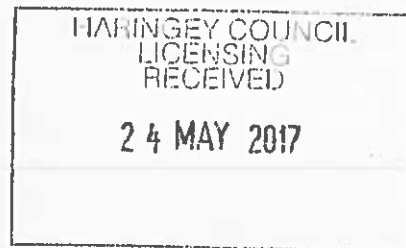
Please inform us when the appeal hearing is to be held.

Thank you

~~London~~  
London

22/5/17

Head Officer - Licensing  
Haringey Council  
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Dear Sir

Re: Review of Premises Licence, Metropolitan Bar,  
266 Muswell Hill Broadway, N10 2QR

Further to my letter of 14/5/17 I must report that I was disturbed again this weekend overnight, particularly on Friday evening into early Sat. morning 20th May. I was woken by thumping bass of music at 2am. There was a lot of noise & disturbance outside on the pavement - I could hear shouting, etc.

I tried several times between 2 & 3am to call the noise disturbance line, but



I was unable to get through. Several times the connection would not go beyond the initial recorded response of the switchboard, & several times I was unable to get a signal on my phone. My sleep was again severely disrupted.

In addition on Sunday morning, on leaving my flat at 9am, there was a lot of mess around our entrance & along the pavement. I took photos & will forward them to you if you give me an email address.

I must object most strongly to this licence being renewed when this establishment is causing residents to lose sleep regularly & the mess left by clients is spoiling the environment. As I have said previously the sound proofing is inadequate for a music venue.

Yours faithfully



**Anderson Chanel**

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**Subject:** FW: NOTIFICATION OF REVIEW AGAINST METROPOLITAN BAR

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**From:** —  
**Sent:** 01 June 2017 11:58  
**To:** Barrett Dallah  
**Subject:** Re: NOTIFICATION OF REVIEW AGAINST METROPOLITAN BAR

Yes sorry.  
My friend, , whom I am supporting, sent me your email and I am helping her out by responding as she is ill with cancer and worn out with all of this.  
In fact, I did email you re her from my own email.  
Really apologise for the confusion.  
It is I who will represent her if she wants at licensing hearing.  
I am an ex JP at Haringey, Archway Road.  
So I am not living at and do not need to make representation on my own behalf.  
Many apologies

In a message dated 01/06/2017 11:54:50 GMT Summer Time,  
[Daliah.Barrett@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:Daliah.Barrett@haringey.gov.uk) writes:

Ms Robinson

Your email is coming up as being from Ms Conway?!... something has gone wrong somewhere? Have you made a representation in your own right Ms Robinson? I do not have a letter of representation from you against the Metropolitan Bar. You have until 7<sup>th</sup> June to do so. If you do not make a valid representation as this stage by the 7<sup>th</sup> June neither you or your representative will be able to address the panel at the hearing.

Regards

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**Subject:** FW: Metropolitan & Socialite bars

**From:** ..  
**Subject: Metropolitan & Socialite bars**  
**Date:** 17 April 2017 18:57:55 GMT+01:00  
**To:** ..  
**Cc:** ..

Dear

I have been given your name by Pc Stephanie Gibbs and Pc Sharon of neighbour hood police who felt you would be able to hep me.

I have written or been in touch with the following people regarding these clubs

Catherine West MP,  
Mark Greaves Met Police  
Mehmet Jim illegal Parking WK379274  
Mark Blake Haringey Gov  
Mark Eastwood who has issued a section 80 with regard to loud music.

My husband and I are residents of

Every Friday and Saturday from approximately 12pm to 4.30 am we are subjected to crowds of people making a noise and anti social behaviour coming from the patrons of the above bars. This includes urinating in the street in front of our flat, vomiting, drunkenness, shouting, littering and drug taking.

In addition cars are parked on the bus lane clearway outside my flat although there is a sign saying parking enforcement is on at night. However there appears to be no enforcement and anyone can park there with impunity despite possibility of accidents.

There is also the noise when these cars leave is awful

I have written and sent pictures to Jim Mehmet Parking enforcement. CCTV Operations Manager but no action has been taken.

Litter outside the flats in the morning include bottles, can, cigarette butts, food containers and vomit.

We have 24 hour concierge in our flats, but the men on duty have been intimidated by aggressive crowds and will not leave the building although there is shouting outside our bed room window.

On occasion we have been unable to access our underground parking at the side of the building due to obstruction and drug taking.

The concierge telephone 101 most weekends reporting these problems and have been given cad numbers, they have a log.

WE have also reported these problems to 101, as have our neighbour.

We have also notified the Haringey licensing department

I was recently telephoned by an officer from the met who said they didn't have the resources to deal with this type of behaviour as they prioritise crimes, and bars of this type should not be in a residential areas.

We moved to this flat from Highgate as my husband had been diagnosed with bone cancer and the thought of being in proximity to shops, restaurants and cinema would improve his quality of life. Unfortunately it

has had the opposite effect. Instead of being able to rest after chemotherapy he is unable to sleep on Friday & Saturday.

Please can you advise us what can be done as the thought of this continuing is having a detrimental effect on my husband and me.

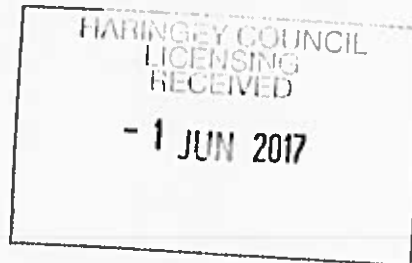
No doubt when the Pinnacles residents move in, they will also be subject to the same issues.

Kind regards

~~London N10~~

30/5/17

Head Officer - Licensing  
Haringey Council  
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Dear Sir

Re: Review of Premises Licence, Metropolitan Bar,  
266 Muswell Hill Broadway, N10 2QR

Further to my letters of 14th + 22nd May, I wish to complain yet again that I was disturbed overnight by excessive noise in the early hours of Sunday 28th May. In addition to the distant pounding of music, there was continuous loud voices + shouting between 3 + 4 a.m. I eventually called the environmental health noise line for Haringey, at approx. 4 - 4.15 a.m. + spoke to Dean.

When I was woken the voices were so loud that I thought there were people in the communal area of our flats. This was not the case. The noise was coming from the pavements of the surrounding area.

My bedroom is at the rear of my property + this is where the disturbance is particularly



loud. However, there is regularly a lot of traffic noise + parking on the other side of our block, by the entrance to our car park. On this occasion cars were prevented from coming in due to us now having security men + a temporary overnight barrier at the main car park entrance.

I believe this noise is caused by the operation of the Metropolitan Bar, + possibly other bars nearby, + their inconsiderate clientele leaving at very unsober hours. This is now disturbing my sleep on a regular basis.

I had a very early start on Sunday 28th May + I struggled to cope all day due to lack of sleep. Overnight on Sunday 28th/Monday 29th I used ear plugs in a desperate attempt to get some rest, with limited success.

I most strongly urge you not to renew the licence for the Metropolitan Bar, or to severely curtail its licensing hours. At the moment it appears to open only very late at night, + continue through to 4 a.m.

Yours faithfully

  
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**RE: Review of Premises License - METROPOLITAN, 266 MUSWELL HILL BROADWAY,  
LONDON, N10 2QR**

I am writing to express my concerns regarding the above night club and to report various disturbances which have affected my quality of life in my new home.

I moved into my new apartment on 28 April 2017 and since then I have had cause for complaint on numerous occasions. Most weekends there is loud music emanating from the night club until 4am accompanied by anti social behaviour from drunken revellers visiting and leaving the club.

I have already sent an email to Haringey council complaining of events which occurred in and around the car park, on the day I moved into the new property and also on 30 April but I now want to inform you of the latest events.

On Saturday 13 May at approximately 03.15 I was awoken by loud music and people shouting from the private car park which is beneath my bedroom window. I could see a group of about 4 people standing around a black car. I am not sure whether the music was coming from the car or the Metropolitan club but it was certainly loud enough to wake me. The people were talking and shouting loudly and this seemed to last for about 30 minutes. I tried to video this on my iPhone but was concerned that I would be seen as the recording light was quite bright.

The private car park is intended to be used by residents and not patrons of the local nightclubs, or their Uber taxi's. I live on my own, directly above the car park and felt quite vulnerable being woken up by such a disturbance in the middle of the night. I tried to call the Haringey noise complaint line but could not get through.

On Sunday 21 May, I came out of the building via the street entrance to find two discarded half empty bottles of Rose wine, wine glasses and half eaten kebabs literally left on the doorstep to the building. Not only is this a serious health and safety issue, which could potentially cause serious injury to someone stepping on broken glass and possibly attract vermin, etc but it is not what you would want to find on your doorstep on a Sunday morning.

On Friday 26 May at approximately 01.30 I was awoken by police and ambulance sirens apparently attending an incident which had occurred outside the Metropolitan bar.

On Saturday 27 May there was more police activity outside the Metropolitan bar which I understand resulted in an arrest.

I strongly object to the constant noise, disruption and anti-social behaviour which is generated by the Metropolitan bar and its patrons. I think it is unacceptable for a nightclub to operate until 4am when it is in such close proximity to residential homes, especially when most residents need to work the following day.

I look forward to receiving your comments in the near future.

Yours sincerely



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2/6/17



Dear Sir

Re: Review of Premises Licence, Metropolitan Bar,  
266 Muswell Hill Broadway, N10 2QR

Further to my letters of 14th, 22nd + 30th May 2017, I would like to draw your attention to a matter which is of great concern to me. This is the current building of a rear extension to the Metropolitan Bar (which I had previously thought to be behind the Societal Bar) as this structure + its outside space is a few metres from my bedroom window.

I am very concerned that this new area means there will be issues of privacy, + further disturbance for me overnight, exacerbating the already unacceptable levels of noise - both music, + voices/conversations/shouting, etc.

If this area were to become a smoking space

the resulting smoke + smells would make it impossible for me to open my window.

I understand that this extension may not have been granted planning permission. This surely demonstrates further the cavalier attitude of the management of this premises, + a total lack of consideration for the local community + general area.

I would be most grateful if you could keep my concerns in mind when considering this licence review.

Yours faithfully



Lead Officer  
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5<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Dear Sirs,

**Re: Metropolitan, 266 Muswell Hill Broadway, London N10 2QR**

I am writing with regards to the public notice issued to the above premises. I am very upset and a bit puzzled that the licence for this business is being reviewed.

I am a neighbour to the club and my friends and I have been customers there since the current owner took over the business a couple of years ago. I have lived here 8 years and living where I live, I am only too familiar with the problems Muswell Hill is currently experiencing. However, I very much doubt that these problems are linked to the Metropolitan. The owner has done everything in his power to clean up the club. It is very different clients you see in the club now than when he first took over. He has increased security and has put in place very strict admission requirements. We, local mums in our 30s and 40s, feel happy going there and feel safe whilst there. We were all of the opinion that the problems in the area are related to the bar next door, 'Socialite Bar'. I feel the owner of the Metropolitan has done everything he can to prevent crime and disorder as well as public safety and he appears to try and accommodate every demand he has been presented with, it being noise or other. I am quite sad to see that his efforts are not being taken seriously.

The owner of the Metropolitan has been very supportive of the local community and has several times let us use his premises for school events free of charge. He has furthermore supported the school by donating raffle prizes for our winter and summer fairs. I think he is really trying hard to offer a place where people can enjoy themselves in surroundings that allow people to safely have a good time.

I really hope they get a chance to show that it is not them who are causing the problems and I believe this can only be done if Metropolitan are allowed to trade without the bar next door being open.

Should you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully,

Email:

**Anderson Chanel**

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**From:**  
**Sent:** 06 June 2017 15:00  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Metropolitan - Muswell Hill

Hi,

I hope you are well.

I have been going to the Metropolitan since there has been a change of Management.

I know that it has been getting bad unjustified press. There is always a lot of security there, and even though I am a regular (and 40 years old!) they do check my ID. I have never seen any issues. I have also walked past this venue quite a few times at night and have not seen any issues with this establishment.

The crowd at the Social however is very different from the Metropolitan. And there are always a lot of noisy people staying outside the Whetherspoon which must be causing more problems to the residents.

If you have any questions, please call me on

Thank you.

## Appendix 5– Email correspondence from meeting

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## Barrett Daliah

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**From:** Barrett Daliah on behalf of Licensing  
**Sent:** 24 May 2017 16:02  
**To:** Julian Abraham  
**Subject:** FW: Application for a Review of a Premises Licence: - Metropolitan, 266 Muswell Hill Broadway, Hornsey, London, N10 2QR. (WK/382627)

Hello Julian,

Please note that Planning have advised that the premises does not hold the correct planning permission for its current use. Mr Ioannou will need to submit a change of use application to Planning to alter it from the A3 restaurant use it currently holds.

Regards

Daliah Barrett  
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**From:** Oloyede Abiola  
**Sent:** 24 May 2017 15:47  
**To:** Licensing  
**Cc:** Barrett Daliah; Anderson Chanel  
**Subject:** RE: Application for a Review of a Premises Licence: - Metropolitan, 266 Muswell Hill Broadway, Hornsey, London, N10 2QR. (WK/382627)

To: Licensing

Further to the premise license review of the above address, permission was granted in 1968 for change of use to a restaurant and for a new shop front in 1992. Please note that there is no record of permission on the planning database for the use of the above premise as a night club.

## Barrett Daliah

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**From:** Barrett Dallah  
**Sent:** 25 May 2017 10:35  
**To:** Mark.L.Greaves@met.pnn.police.uk  
**Subject:** FW: Metropolitan Meeting

Yes, this is reflective of the meeting

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**From:** Mark.L.Greaves@met.pnn.police.uk [mailto:Mark.L.Greaves@met.pnn.police.uk]  
**Sent:** 25 May 2017 09:46  
**To:** Barrett Daliah  
**Subject:** Metropolitan Meeting

Hi Dale

Do the notes below reflect the meeting in your opinion?

On Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2017 at Alex House I met Daliah Barrett, Panikos Ioannou and his legal rep Julian Abraham to discuss the Metropolitan Review. Mr Abrahams stated Panikos had commissioned an operating schedule that would increase security amongst other things at the venue and it would include an ID Scanner and would be completed by 7<sup>th</sup> June 17 and sent to us. Panikos stated he was using an ID scanner on every entrant now. He stated financial conditions had initially prevented him upgrading his CCTV system but from Monday it would hold 60 days information and have cameras covering the entrance which we agreed should get head and shoulders identifiable images of entrants. I stated 31 days of footage on the hard drive would be sufficient if 60 days lowered the quality of images.

With regards the exchanges between Panikos and myself mentioned in the Review papers, particularly relating to the 'private party' on night of stabbing and him asking if ID Scanning was a Condition on his Premises Licence were misunderstandings due to language difficulty. I pointed out Panikos was very clear to me and appeared to fully understand our exchanges. Panikos told us the ID scanning had cost him money from refused customers and he could not continue. Mr Abrahams told me the CRIS crime reports I sent him were comprehensive but he wanted more information. I told him I would supply information required but felt everything had been exchanged so could he let me know exactly what he wanted from each crime report and he agreed. As we left Mr Abrahams told me he would be expecting the crime report details he required and I reiterated he should let me know in more detail what he required. Panikos mentioned he had called Police to tell them about drug dealers threatening him when refused entry to his venue and was not assisted. I told him I was unaware of this and did not consider he had a drug problem at his venue, he never mentioned it when we met. I checked his name on IIP going back until 24<sup>th</sup> January 2016 and



found 1 call to an intoxicated person trying to gain entry who had left and the rest related to crime reports that did not involve drug dealing. I emailed Panikos explaining this and requesting the phone numbers he used as a name search would be inaccurate if misspelt by operator. I liaised with Graham at Central Licensing about search warrants as requested by Panikos.

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## **Barrett Daliah**

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**From:** Barrett Daliah  
**Sent:** 02 June 2017 12:38  
**To:** Julian Abraham  
**Subject:** METROPOLITAN BAR REVIEW MEETING - FOLLOW UP

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**Date:** 2 Jun 2017 16:14:32  
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**To:** Barrett Dallah <[Dallah.Barrett@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:Dallah.Barrett@haringey.gov.uk)>

Dear Ms Barrett,

Thanks for your email.

I am still acting for the Club, and we hope to have the Operating Schedule ready shortly – in the next week or so. As soon as it is ready I'll forward you and PC Greaves a copy for your thoughts on it. Is there yet a deadline by which you need to receive the Operating Schedule to be able to include it in the report?

As far as the extra information/documentation in respect of the matters raised in the application for Review is concerned, I should be in a position to set out what I may require by mid next week.

Kind Regards

Julian Abraham

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**Barrett Daliah**

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**From:** Barrett Daliah on behalf of Licensing  
**Sent:** 05 June 2017 14:18  
**To:** Julian Abraham: Licensing  
**Cc:**  
**Subject:** RE: Club Metropolitan: Application for Review of Premises Licence

Hello Julian

No we will not be sending you unredacted copies of the letters of representation. The residents have asked for their details to be withheld and we will honour that request.

The Councils Statement of Licensing Policy does also for this and this is at the Licensing Officers discretion:

**131 Disclosure of personal details of persons making representations**

The licensing authority is required to provide the licence applicant with copies of any relevant representations received in respect of the application.

The licensing authority may consider withholding some or all of a person's personal details where that person can demonstrate they have a genuine and well-founded fear of intimidation and the circumstances justify such action.

The withholding of personal details by the licensing authority will only be taken in exceptional circumstances and any person requesting their details to be withheld will be expected to demonstrate why such action is necessary.

Where a person who has concerns over an application but does not wish their personal details to be disclosed, alternative approaches include requesting a local councillor to submit a representation based on their concerns, or alternatively providing details on how the licensing objectives are likely to be undermined to a responsible authority, who may make representation, if they consider it justifiable and appropriate to do so.

The Section 182 Guidance however, is very clear that is at the discretion of the Licensing Authority:

**Disclosure of personal details of persons making representations**

9.26 Where a notice of a hearing is given to an applicant, the licensing authority is required under the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005 to provide the applicant with copies of the relevant representations that have been made.

9.27 In exceptional circumstances, persons making representations to the licensing authority may be reluctant to do so because of fears of intimidation or violence if their personal details, such as name and address, are divulged to the applicant.

9.28 Where licensing authorities consider that the person has a genuine and well-founded fear of intimidation and may be deterred from making a representation on this basis, they may wish to consider alternative approaches.

9.29 For instance, they could advise the persons to provide the relevant responsible authority with details of how they consider that the licensing objectives are being undermined so that the responsible authority can make representations if appropriate and justified.

9.30 The licensing authority may also decide to withhold some or all of the person's personal details from the applicant, giving only minimal details (such as street name or general location within a street). However, withholding such details should only be considered where the circumstances justify such action.

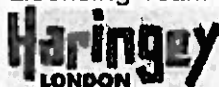


Whilst we are not obliged to follow our own policy, we are obliged to follow the Section 182 Guidance and will need very good reasons to depart from it.

All representations received have had names and addresses of the residents that have made the representation, they are valid and have been sent on to you via this Licensing Authority. The Authority is able to verify to the Licensing Sub Committee and the Magistrates that the letters are valid representations and has done so many times on previous cases that have been appealed to the Magistrates.

Regards

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**Sent:** 05 June 2017 12:07  
**To:** Licensing  
**Cc:**  
**Subject:** FW: Club Metropolitan: Application for Review of Premises Licence

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Dear Sirs

First of all many thanks for forwarding me the further objections that you have received. I do have one query regarding these objections, because I notice that they have all been anonymised. I would be most grateful for a copy set of all complaints without any redaction, pursuant to Haringey's own Statement of Licensing Policy 2016 – 2021. I would be most grateful to receive these copies on an urgent basis.

Although I realise that the date for complaints/representations has not yet expired, I wonder if you can tell me if you have any tentative date or dates in mind for the forthcoming hearing?

Kind regards  
Yours faithfully

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## Barrett Daliah

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**From:** Barrett Daliah  
**Sent:** 25 June 2017 20:46  
**To:** Enforcement Response; Charles Rockwell; Julian Abraham  
**Subject:** RE: My Client: Club Metropolitan - 266 Muswell Hill Broadway, London N10 2QR

Hello Julian

Has the licence holder sought advice and guidance from an acoustic consultant prior to carrying out these works? Can you please submit the acoustic consultants report so that it can be made available to the LSC. It would also assist the Noise Officers to have sight of this document prior to them engaging in any assessment as they need the back ground information.

Can you also clarify for me if the licence holder sought permissions or made a variation application to the Licensing Authority prior to installing the lobbied areas referred to be below which will no doubt impact on the licensed area and the current plans that are held by this Authority and upon which the licence was granted?

Regards

Daliah Barrett  
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**From:** Eastwood Mark **On Behalf Of** Enforcement Response  
**Sent:** 22 June 2017 11:18  
**To:** Charles Rockwell; Barrett Daliah  
**Subject:** FW: My Client: Club Metropolitan - 266 Muswell Hill Broadway, London N10 2QR  
**Importance:** High

Hi,

For your info / comment

**Mark Eastwood**

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**From:** Pamela Childs [ ] **On Behalf Of** Julian Abraham  
**Sent:** 22 June 2017 10:59  
**To:** Enforcement Response  
**Subject:** My Client: Club Metropolitan - 266 Muswell Hill Broadway, London N10 2QR  
**Importance:** High

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Our Ref: JA\CLU0211\3

Dear Mr Eastwood

I refer to our telephone conversation yesterday, and I am grateful that you were able to take my call.

As I explained to you, I have been instructed to act for the Club in respect of the review hearing that at the moment is scheduled to take place on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2017 at 7.00 p.m.

My client is confident that he has solved noise problems emanating from the Club (having installed acoustic lobbies at the front and back of the premises) and I submit it would be of great help to the Licensing Committee in dealing with the review if you would agree to come down to the premises late night (perhaps around 2.00 a.m. – as you have done before) to take noise measurements from inside the flats of the complainants so that the noise limiter within the premises can be set at the appropriate level to ensure that the problem of any music noise escaping from the premises is put to an end.

We basically have this weekend (Friday night – into the early hours of Saturday) and Saturday night – into the early hours of Sunday) and also next weekend on the same days.

I realise that this urgent request is made at short notice, for which I can only apologise on behalf of my client.

I would be most grateful to hear from you as soon as possible.

If in the meantime you have any queries or concerns, my contact details are as follows:-

Mobile :

Work direct line: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Yours sincerely

**Julian Abraham**  
Partner  
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## Barrett Daliah

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**From:** Barrett Daliah  
**Sent:** 26 June 2017 09:05  
**To:** Julian Abraham  
**Subject:** FW: METROPOLITAN - OFFICERS OBSERVATIONS

Hello Julian

Below is the observation carried out by the Noise officer on 24<sup>th</sup> April that you were requesting:

"Hi Daliah,

The premises above was visited on Friday night/Saturday Morning at 02:10 to 02:30. Observed a very short queue of not more than 6 people all through the visit. Crowds came in small numbers and the door supervisor was letting them in after searches. No noise from music or voices was coming from the bar itself. The noise we observed was from a group of smokers on the new build block of flats where the car park used to be. A few ladies were sat there smoking and talking and voices were clearly audible.

We observed a few young men sat in their cars and shouting out at ladies across the street.

The bar was well controlled from the outside and only a few smoking patron of about of about 4-6 ladies was observed chatting loudly without being unruly. No urinating in the streets of ASB. Just voices from various people including passersby and those using other premises.

We went to the back of the Metropolitan Bar, in Dukes mews but that area was quite with no activity."

On the night no Statutory noise nuisance was observed however the officer has highlighted men shouting in car, people smoking outside residents doorways that were associated with the premises talking loudly which are all matters that are consistence with the concerns that have been raised in the past and reiterated in the many letters of objections submitted by residents.

Regards

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