

Middlesbrough Council
The Licensing Act 2003 - Responsible Authority (RA) Representation

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Licence holder details

Name and Address of Premises

Address: 85 Borough Road, Middlesbrough, TS1 3AA

Name of licence holder or club holding club premises certificate (if known)

Mr Muhammed Tayyeb Butt

Number of premises licence or club premise certificate (if known)

N/A

Representation

It is my opinion that the application fails to adequately satisfy the following licensing objectives:

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| x | Prevention of Crime and Disorder |
| x | Prevention of Public Nuisance |
| | Public Safety |
| | Protection of Children from Harm |

Grounds for representation (including details of any previous representations)

As the representative of the Responsible Authority for the Licensing Authority, I make this representation against the application for a Premises Licence on the grounds of Prevention of Crime and Disorder and Prevention of Public Nuisance.

The application made is for the grant of a new premises licence for the supply of alcohol, seven days a week between the hours of 8am and 10pm.

It is the opinion of the Licensing Authority, acting as a Responsible Authority, that the granting of a further premises licence for an off licence in this location would have a

negative impact on the Crime and Disorder and Prevention of Public Nuisance licensing objectives.

The premises is situated in Middlesbrough Town Centre which has a high density of licensed premises and already suffers from high levels of alcohol related crime and disorder and anti-social behaviour.

For a number of years the Town Centre has been included in an area covered by Cumulative Impact Policies for both On and Off Licence Premises. Whilst these policies have lapsed there is a current review ongoing of the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy. Evidence has been provided to the Council which shows that there are still high levels of alcohol related crime and disorder and anti social behaviour within the Town Centre and a draft Statement of Licensing Policy is currently being prepared for consultation which will recommend maintaining the Cumulative Impact Policy for the Town Centre area for both On and Off Licence Premises.

It remains my opinion that the granting of this licence would undermine the Crime and Disorder, and Public Nuisance licensing objectives.

Tim Hodgkinson, Licensing Manager

Dated 5 May 2022