

## Appendix 4

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Licensing Authority  
Watford Borough Council  
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Watford  
WD17 3EX

Re: Grant of Premises Licence Objection for Candies, 75 The Parade, Watford, WD17 1LN

Dear Sirs,

I Harminder Singh Chopra of 65 the parade, Watford, WD17 1LJ would to object to the grant of premises licence application for candies ltd, 75 the parade, Watford, WD17 1LN. On the ground of the 4 licensing objectives. I am objecting on the following points:

- 1.** The parade is already a drinking area. This only operates when there are police to instruct a drinker to cease drinking alcohol. Therefore, in the absence of police the parade is a drinking zone.
- 2.** The availability of the sale of alcohol in that area means that it's an effective extension of the bars and clubs. This clearly extends those areas already holding an on-licence by the to the whole of the parade.
- 3.** It may be argued that the off licence is there for customers to obtain drink to take home with them. We believe that this would be a very small number and with so many off licence facilities already in the parade area denial of yet one more would not inconvenience any potential customers.
- 4.** I wonder how the addition of a new off licence would further the aim of making the parade a family friendly is, in my view it's just complete opposite.
- 5.** I strongly fee this would undermine the Licensing objective of Public Nuisance that it's not helping the friend town centre motto.
- 6.** The applicant has not shown a great understanding of 4 licensing objectives in its operating schedule and has not had a look at the licensing policy LP3 to create a friendly town centre.
- 7.** I also state that under licensing policy LP3, the policy states it should adopt a friendly town centre and premises which are alcohol led such as off licence should be discouraged.
- 8.** The application does not show any exception to the licensing policy LP3 hence it should not be granted a premises licence.
- 9.** It is considered so many off licence outlets will be put under pressure on the pricing of alcohol and this have a consequent effect on the promotion of Crime and disorder when counterfeit alcohol will be sold just to beat of competition.

Please register my objection towards this application.

Your Faithfully

Mr Harminder Singh Chopra