

Hughes, Aneurin

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To: Licensing Division; Hughes, Aneurin
Subject: Representation for Re-evolution Premises Review

Good Evening,

We would like to make a representation in regard to the premises review for the Re-Evolution nightclub.

We are sure you are well aware of the buildings history as a music venue and the problems it has caused for residents over the years and more recently as an Indian restaurant and disco.

Most recently the building is being used as a sports bar and nightclub, it seemed to pop up as a "nightclub" and since Black Friday the noise it has produced, mostly at weekends, has been horrendous.

There were conditions imposed on the license regarding the music, meaning it has to stop by 11:30pm, which they have breached, but that does not really help when you live so close and the noise level is so loud, you have children and rise very early for work on weekends.

Our house is back to back with the building and when they hold music events it can be heard so loudly on every level of the house over the tv and any appliance that may be on, people can be heard singing, shouting and screaming from the side of the building which causes the dog to bark in fear if he needs to go in to the garden and taxis beeping from the front. It is obviously very difficult to get sleep when this is happening, most weekends it is a 5am start for work and leaves us exhausted.

It is most stressful and upsetting when you are tired and want to rest in your home, we understand people like to enjoy a night out however we believe we should not be able to hear this taking place from inside our home. We don't bear the business owners any ill will, we just dont think the building is in a suitable area for a nightclub. It is much too close to peoples homes for music levels that loud. There is no sound proofing and on some DJing events they have held the music could be heard clear across Brecon Road and in the town centre, that was awful.

There are also other concerns that there is underage drinking taking place there as well as failing to meet other conditions on the license which is also quite worrying when living within such close proximity and given the buildings chequered past.

Also there issues with vehicles blocking the pavement to pedestrians, and drunk people standing outside the doors and at the side in the nights, broken glass over the pavements and as the weather gets better these problems would only become worse.

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