Representations On A Current Application For Review Of A Premises Licence Or Club Premises Certificate Under The Licensing Act 2003

Section 1 - Licence Details

Applicant Name (If Known)	Elliott Beevers (Stockton Borough Council Licensing)
Premises Name and Address	Dhillon Food and Wine, 68 Dovecot Street, Stockton

Section 2 - Responsible Authority

X Cleveland Police

Section 3 – Representation Grounds

The representation is relevant to	X Prevention of Crime and Disorder			
one or more of the following licensing objectives:	X Public Safety			
Please tick relevant box(es)	X Prevention Of Public Nuisance			
	Protection Of Children From Harm			

The grounds of the representation is based on the following: :

Cleveland Police as a responsible authority are in support of Stockton Borough Councils Licensing department in their review of the premise licence of Dhillon Food & Wine, 68 Dovecot Street, Stockton.

The area of Dovecot Street, Stockton where Dhillon Food & Wines is situated has and still is suffering from alcohol related Anti-Social behaviour (ASB), disturbances and violence. This is an issue which blights all of the people in the area and has a significant impact on the businesses in the area.

We ask that local businesses work with us to combat these issues and have the cooperation of most of the businesses in the area. We have had difficulty getting Dhillon Food and Wines on board and they have been resistant to changes to their premise licence which would go a long way to helping the issues in the area.

A lot of the issues revolve around the sale of high ABV low price alcohol more often than not sold as single cans which is the alcohol of choice for those causing issues in the area. This can be easily remedied, and these issues have been raised both with the previous Premises Licence Holder (PLH) and Designated Premise Supervisor (DPS) and the current PLH and DPS without success. The issues are that prevalent that the Local Authority has successfully applied for and implemented a Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) which covers Stockton Town Centre area and due to the issues identified the PSPO also covers Dovecot Street which includes the area where Dhillon Food and Wines is situated.

We therefore fully support a council licensing review application for Dhillon Food & Wine.

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Signed: Andrew Thorpe	Position:	Police	Alcohol	Dated:02/09/2025
	Licensing Officer			

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