

Community Safety

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

Section 1 - Licence Application Details

| Applicant Name (If Known) | Dhillon Food & Wine |
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| Premises Name and Address | 68, Dovecot Street, Stockton-on-Tees, TS18 1LL |

| ection 2 – Authority/Department | |
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| ☐ Trading Standards | |
| ☐ Cleveland Police | |
| ☐ Environmental Health | |
| ☐ Cleveland Fire Service | |
| ☐ Planning | |
| ☐ Protection of Children From Harm | |
| □ Public Health | |
| ⊠ Town Centre Management | |
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| ection 3 – Representation Grounds | |

| The representation is relevant to one or | ⊠Prevention of Crime and Disorder | |
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| more of the following licensing objectives: | ⊠Prevention of Public Nuisance | |
| Please tick relevant box(es) | □Protection of Children from Harm | |
| (***) | ⊠Public Safety | |
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The grounds of the representation is based on the following:

(Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary)

This representation is in support of Stockton Borough Council's Licensing application for a licence review for Dhillon Food & Wine in relation to the undermining of the following licencing objectives:

- Prevention of Crime and Disorder
- Public Safety
- Prevention of Public Nuisance

I provide this representation as the Town Centre Manager for Stockton Borough Council, with responsibility for the operation of the outdoor general market on a Wednesday. Friday and Saturday. I also have responsibility to ensure our Town Centre is clean, tidy and welcoming to all who visit. I see lots of issues that stem from alcohol dependency, in particular very early, from as early as 6am, in the Town Centre, around the markets and most frequently, around the fountain. There can be groups of people drinking, around the fountain area, with black cans and other high strength alcoholic drink containers and these people can be loud, rude and often swear a lot, fight with each other and are very intimidating to traders, the public and businesses in the area. They have also openly urinated around the fountain area and in business doorways, such as furniture express, Costa Coffee and they also use alleyways out of the public eye to go to the toilet. I have to get our town centre cleansing operatives to clean these areas constantly. There are also issues caused with littering, the town centre cleaning team are constantly having to litter pick the fountain flower beds which are full of discarded alcohol tins and bottles. The perception that this drinking, shouting, swearing and other alcohol related ASB is really poor and this stops people from visiting town. I regularly report these issue's through the Security and Surveillance Centre with my calls being logged.

| Signed: Richard Bedadrd | Position: Town Centre Manager | Dated: 27/08/25 |
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