

Appendix 4 b Objections

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Please take this letter as my registration to request that the application to grant a premises licence to Sorrel Stores Ltd be declined.

In particular, the request for the licencing of this property/establishment to be able to **play music until 11pm most evenings** and 10pm on Sundays will dramatically and negatively impact the quality of life for people living in adjacent properties.

Like many people in the area, I have children that require proper sleep in order to function and the playing of music late into the nights will not only make life unbearable but will also lower the value of the properties in the neighbourhood, including my own properties that my family are in the process of buying.

To be clear, I know of nobody living in the immediate area that thinks having music played late in the evenings will be good. I therefore ask most cogently that this application be restricted to selling food but without the option to "make noise" ... I am sure this is not unreasonable!

Many thanks for your consideration,

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I am writing to request the licensing application submitted by Sorrel Stores Ltd be rejected.

Great Norwood street is a quiet residential street with the few existing shops respecting the noise level of residential areas.

The playing of music (amplified or not) will change the nature of the environment, significantly impacting the quality of life of residents through noise pollution from 12 noon to 11pm most days, impacting the sleep of young children, reducing the safety of

the street due to alcohol being purchasable, and the inevitable de-valuation of the properties nearby.

Should Sorrel Stores Ltd wish to open a venue such as this, there are plenty of properties available on the busy Bath Road, just one street away.

Please may I request the licensing and music be rejected from the application, or a suggestion made to find a more suitable premises.