



East Sussex Licensing

Date: 05th September 2022

Senior Licensing Officer
Eastbourne borough Council 1 Grove Road, Eastbourne BN21 4UG

Dear Senior Licensing Officer

RE: APPLICATION FOR NEW PREMISES LICENCE FOR Tesco Stores Ltd 83-85 Terminus Rd, Eastbourne , BN21 3NJ
NOTICE OF OBJECTION under Section 18 (7) of the Licensing Act 2003

Notice of objection is hereby given on behalf of the Chief Officer of Police for Sussex for the above premises license on the grounds of the licensing objectives: of prevention of crime and disorder and public nuisance.

Sussex Police received the application on 08th September 2022, which seeks to licence the provision of late night refreshment (indoors) on the following days: Monday-Sunday 23:00-00:00 and the sale by retail of alcohol for consumption off the premises on the following days: Monday-Sunday 06:00-00:00

Sussex Police's rationale for objecting to this application seeks to cease trading including the sale of alcohol at 00:00. Sussex Police proposed on 15th September 2022 the store closing at 22:00 would be more justified for the location and the current crime and disorder in the area. The store is located in a high harm hotspot for public place violent crime and street drinking causing a significant impact on Ant-Social Behaviour in the area which does include littering and urinating in public places.

The location is covered by a Public Space Protection Order to tackle street drinking and its associated anti-social behaviour and public place violent crime. The store is located where the street community frequent regularly.

Sussex Police proposed on 15th September 2022 that SIA to be present at the premises door from 20:00 on a Friday, Saturday and Bank Holidays.

For the Postcode Search of BN21 3NJ, within a 0.15 mile radius, over the space of a year – this being from 01/09/2021 – 30/09/2022 741 incidences had been recorded 467 of those as 'violence against a person' 154 as 'public order' 41 as 'sexual offences' 20 as 'drug offences' 38 as 'arsons and criminal damage' 11 as 'possession of offences weapons' and 10 as 'miscellaneous crimes against society'. Friday 22:00-23:00 there are 13 incidences of 'violence's against a person'. Saturday there are 12 incidents of 'violence against a person' and Friday – Saturday there are 3 incidences of 'sexual offences' between 2200-2300.

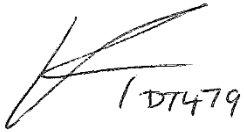
The area also attract a significant shoplifting, searching over the same period of time as above, there were 265 recorded incidences of theft, the highest number being recorded on Saturdays.

APPENDIX 3

The applicant has not; yet wished to comment on this proposed condition until she had secured some data regarding this, however this data has still not been supplied to Sussex Police, as true at the time of writing this letter (05th September 2022)

I confirm that a copy of this objection letter has been sent to the application manager on 05th September 2022.

Yours sincerely,



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