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Sent: 16 March 2023 19:17
To: Licensing <licensing@harlow.gov.uk>
Subject: Imran newsagents and general stores,

Dear Harlow Council Licensing

As a residents who live above Imran Newsagents & General stores, 1 The Marriotts, The Hoo, Harlow, Essex, CM17 0HT, we oppose the application for a premises licence for the following reasons.

The flats (which I live in) which is located next to the shop already attracts youths who sit on our front steps, use our communal garden and intimidates the residents in this block

I already have a very anxious 15year old who doesn't leave the house if there are groups hanging around the main door to the flats. When it's raining the youths come into the block of flats and Congregate on the stairs inside where they already smoke drugs and eat food from the shop leaving the rubbish on the floor. (as We have no key entry system)

Some of the residents (including me work for the NHS and work shift work (including nights). I would not feel safe coming home after finishing work at 22:00 / 23:00 / 00:00, Where at the moment no one is usually around during that time, especially when our building is not secure.

We have 5 families in this block with children (2yrs-15yrs) and it's not appropriate for this licence to be approved.

So with all of the above reasons I strongly object to the selling of alcohol and extending the opening times.

Kind regards
Caroline Haydon
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