Appendix G

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Sent:

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To:

Licensing

Subject:

Full variation of license at Lime Bar Penwortham

I would like to give my objections to this application.

I have lived at 12 Queensway for thirty years and used to consider it a lovely place to live. However that has changed over the last year and the Lime Bar has made a considerable difference to my living conditions. There is a large amount noise at closing time from customers leaving the Lime Bar which makes it difficult getting to sleep particularly at weekends. Many customers park their cars on Queensway and as they leave there is a lot of doors banging and people saying goodbye to each other and then the engine noise as they leave which all sounds loud when lying in bed, especially in summer when windows are open. There is also now a lot more pedestrians walking down the street around closing time and the noise level is intolerable at times. I often feel like I live in the middle of partyland. There is also the noise of bottles being dropped into recycling bins several times a day, one of which is regularly around closing time.

The Lime Bar have already been allowed alterations to their original planning/licensing application and my concern is that if allowed this change they will be asking again in the future and will gradually get later and later opening hours which will make the noise later and later causing more difficulties for residents.

I also have concerns about the requested change in the music license. On the weekend of Penwortham Live, noise could be heard in my house all evening. Also on the lovely sunny evenings when the outside patio is busy I can already hear a general hubbub noise and this I believe would be much worse if music was being played as people would be talking above the music.

For all the above reasons I really feel the the current hours are sufficient for customers and for the business to survive and any change to give later opening hours in the evenings would have a detrimental effect to local residents. Queensway is a residential street and the original building before it was converted to the Lime Bar was residential so I feel the residents should be given more consideration now and we should be allowed to get our sleeep!

I object strongly to the change of license application.

Val Edwards