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To: LICENSING (Cheshire East)
Subject: The Silk Museum Schoolroom, Macclesfield

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing because I wish to make a representation with respect to the following licence application: **Speaking Up Speaking Out (SUSO)**, for the premises known as **The Silk Museum Schoolroom, Park Lane, Macclesfield, SK11 6TJ**.

My name is [REDACTED] and I have been resident at [REDACTED] for almost 9 years.

I wish to object to this application on the following grounds: Prevention of Crime and Disorder; Public Safety.

The Silk Museum Schoolroom is situated on the area of Park Lane (sometimes referred to as Old Park Lane to avoid confusion with the A536 main road) that is opposite the junction with Wardle Street and leads to an underpass beneath Churchill Way. This area has been the scene of significant alcohol- and drug-related anti-social behaviour and disorder, which has grown worse over the time I have lived here. It most frequently occurs on Friday and Saturday evenings, and has resulted in damage to residents' property by those involved.

The anti-social behaviour problem is recognised by Macclesfield Central councillors and the Macclesfield Central police team, who delivered a letter to residents including myself dated 27th March 2020 specifically focusing on this issue. This letter highlights the urgent need to prevent individuals involved in anti-social behaviour from gathering in the area.

I fear that the addition of another licensed premises in this location could exacerbate the already existing problems described above, and that the risk to public safety in the vicinity of Park Lane and Wardle Street is significant. Therefore, the New Licence Application should not be granted.

Thank you,
[REDACTED]