HELLON, Richard

To: LICENSING (Cheshire East)

Subject: Fifty Five Degrees Limited, 2 - 4 Crewe Road, Alsager ST7 2ES- VARIATION TO

PREMISES LICENCE

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Dear Sir

I am writing to state my opposition to the variation licence request, submitted by Fifty Five

Degrees Limited, 2 - 4 Crewe Road, Alsager ST7 2ES

- To increase the hours for The Provision of Recorded Music
- The Sale and Supply of Alcohol on Sundays from 11.00 22.00 to 11.00 23.00

I am opposed to increasing the hours for the provision of recorded music as this will have an adverse noise impact on nearby residents of this area in their houses, apartments and flats. Residents wish to enjoy their environment noise free and be able to get themselves and their children to sleep in the evening/at night without continual external noise and the thumping associated with loud music.

The establishment has large bi fold doors to the rear which open out onto a very large open space used for seating etc. This area backs on to Brookhouse Drive and noise, particularly at night, carries into Station Road a residential area close by. Residents have already expressed concern about the noise levels which carry through open doors and windows. If music is allowed to be played until later in the night internally with windows open or externally with installed loud speakers, this will significantly increase the noise levels and impact on residents and their children. Noise levels are also worse in summer months when customers will want to be outside not inside when the weather is warm, or if due to COVID customers are required/prefer to be outside. Also customers who are merry/intoxicated tend to gather/linger at the street end/front of the property when leaving the premises at the end of the night and in doing so create additional noise after closing. This will further impact on residents even later into the night if the licencing hours are increased on a Sunday. Increased drinking time may also lead to an increase in anti social behaviour

Regards