



## RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY RESPONSE TO LICENSING APPLICATIONS

RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY – Environmental Health, Pollution Control Team

<b>Name of Applicant</b>	AVKIRAN COMPANY LTD
<b>Premises</b>	Shock Off licence, 1 Bartlett Street, Caerphilly, CF83 1JS

<b>Your Name</b>	Victoria Woodland
<b>Job Title</b>	Environmental Health Officer
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<b>Which of the four Licensing Objectives does your representation relate to?</b>	
<b>The Prevention of Crime and Disorder</b>	
<b>Public Safety</b>	
<b>The Prevention of Public Nuisance</b>	✓
<b>The Protection of Children from Harm</b>	

<p><b>Please outline the reasons for your Representations</b></p> <p>The application seeks to provide:          Alcohol Sales: Off Sales          Opening Times requested: 08:00am - 01:00am          Supply of Alcohol Times requested: 08:00am - 01:00am</p> <p>Environmental Health have significant concerns regarding the wider impact the additional hours for the supply of alcohol may have upon nearby residents and the local area. There does not appear to be any reasoning as to why they have applied for supply of alcohol beyond the existing provision which is currently 23:00hrs. The applicant has furthermore failed to provide any details in their submission as to any mitigation that has been considered or measures to be put in place to minimise the potential impact the proposed extended hours for alcohol sales may have upon the prevention of public nuisance to nearby residents and the local community.</p> <p>The premises is located within Caerphilly Town Centre in close proximity to several public houses which benefit from a late licence for the supply of alcohol. These premises being best placed to manage and regulate the supply to, and consumption of, alcohol by patrons, rather than an off-licence with limited staff where large quantities of alcohol can be readily purchased/obtained at a</p>
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time. Furthermore, the premises is in relatively close proximity to residential accommodation. Much disorder and public nuisance is associated with public consumption of alcohol and concerns are therefore raised regarding the potential impact the proposed extended hours of alcohol sales may have on local residents and the local area.

For the reasons outlined above, Environmental Health wish to object to this application as we consider the proposed extension to the supply of alcohol times at the premises, particularly after 23:00 hrs, could undermine the Prevention of Public Nuisance Licensing Objective.

We would however, not object to extension of hours being 1 hour earlier than existing, as set out below:

<b>What conditions could be added to the licence to remedy your representation that the Licensing Sub-Committee could take into account</b>	The supply of alcohol shall be restricted to between the hours of 08.00 and 23.00 hours on any day
<b>Are you prepared to discuss these representations with the applicant by way of mediation?</b>	Yes

**N.B.** If you make a representation you will be expected to attend the Licensing Sub-Committee and any subsequent appeal proceeding.

Please remember if you intend to make representations to copy this file to all other RA's