



Licensing & Out of Hours Compliance Team - Representation

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Premise Details	
Application Ref No	274542
Name of Premises	Bar Pop
Address	10 Canal Street, Manchester, M1 3EZ

Representation	
Outline your representation regarding the above application below. This representation should describe the likely effect of the grant of the licence/certificate on the licensing objectives and on the vicinity of the premises.	
<p>Licensing and out of hours team (LOOHT) have assessed the likely impact of granting the, Temporary Events Notice , taking into account a number of factors, including, the nature of the area in which the premises is located, the hours applied for and any potential risk that the granting of this licence could undermine the licensing objectives.</p> <p>Canal Street is the main thoroughfare, through the village on which Bar Pop is located. Bar Pop have applied to use the outside area, that would generally have the tables and chairs, to have a bar 2 meters by 5 meters and stage 8 foot by 4 foot, however on the plan provided, the position of the stage is juxtaposition to the natural flow of people.</p> <p>The TEN is for 499 people and to box people in like that would cause potential obstruction and public nuisance. When stages have been previously allowed they are generally on the canal side which would allow for the free flow of people, and LOOH would have no issues with this.</p> <p>However LOOH feel that as it is an extended bank holiday going into a weekend we can expected a significant increase in footfall. The location of the stage will cause an obstruction and congestion causing a public nuisance and possible public safety issues The stage would need to be located level with the bar also for safety reason.</p> <p>Given the above LOOH asked that the application be refused as it would undermine the licensing objectives Public Nuisance and Public Safety.</p>	
Recommendation:	Refuse Application