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date: 11 Dec 2018, 12:10

subject: Ref: 222991/JC1 - Sicilia Pizza, 116
Mauldeth Road, Manchester, M14 6SQ

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Dear Premises Licensing

I am writing to object to application reference: 222991/JC1, Sicilia Pizza which is in Withington ward. This is on the grounds of prevention of public nuisance.

The opening hours are significantly extended compared to the other late night refreshment venues on Mauldeth Road in Ladybarn District Centre. To approve this application would increase issues around the night time economy. We have long had issues with the refuse storage at the rear of the property, plus issues relating to noise and anti-social behaviour linked to our large student population within the locality.

Furthermore, the venue already appear to be breaking the rules. On the Just Eat website, their opening hours are listed as 5pm to 4am Monday- Sunday. (<https://www.just-eat.co.uk/restaurants-sicilypizza-m19>). This does not give residents and elected members a good level of trust that licence terms will be stuck to. As a local resident I have personally seen the venue open and trading in the early hours of the morning.

For these reasons, I would ask that the licencing committee reject this application and encourage the applicant to significantly reduce their opening hours in any future application.

Best wishes,

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