

Licensing & Out of Hours Compliance Team - Representation	
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Premise Details	
Application Ref No	REF 288084
Name of Premises	Projekts MCR
Address	Projekts Skateboard, 97 London Road, Manchester, M1 2PG

## 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.

The Licensing & Out of Hours Compliance Team have assessed the likely impact of the granting of this application taking into account a number of factors, including the nature of the area in which the premises is located and the proximity to residential accommodation, the hours applied for, and any potential risk that the granting of this application could lead to issues of public nuisance.

The applicant has applied for a 'Punk rock music event' to run from 20:00 until 03:00 the following morning, which will be an 'after party' to the Outbreak Festival which is being held at Mayfield Depot on both Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023 and Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2023 with an expectation to allow up to 499 people on each night.

Projects MCR is located underneath the Mancunian Way which can be seen in the picture below.



Having considered the application we seek refusal on the grounds that The Prevention of Public Nuisance Licensing Objective will, beyond question, be undermined. The noise from an event held at that location, across the road to a hotel, student accommodation and only 100 metres to Lockton Close, a residential street, would undoubtably prevent anyone from being able to rest in their property or sleep until the event itself finishes.

The mere proposal of an outdoor, live music event until 03:00 shows zero consideration for those that live in the locality. Whilst the applicant states they will have 'noise controls' there is nothing within the application to suggest what these controls would be. By virtue of the way in which noise will travel from the event I would argue that any noise control that is offered is a complete fallacy.

Recommendation: Refuse Application