GREATER MANCHESTER POLICE



To: Manchester City Council

Licensing Unit

Manchester Town Hall Extension

Lloyd Street Manchester



10th July 2023

Dear Sir,

Please accept this letter as formal notification that Greater Manchester Police wish to object, under Section 104(2) of the Licensing Act 2003, to the **TEMPORARY EVENT NOTICE** detailed below, as we are satisfied that granting the application under these circumstances would undermine the Licensing Objectives.

PREMISES NAME:	The Whitworth Street Creative Studio
ADDRESS:	Regency House 36-38 Whitworth Street Manchester M1 3NR
DATE OF EVENT:	26/08/23 – 28/08/23
TIME OF EVENT:	1200 – 2000 hours

GMP objects to the grant of this Temporary Event Notice on the grounds of the Prevention of Crime and Disorder and the Prevention of Public Nuisance.

The application seeks to allow off sales of alcohol from a hair salon for 3 days during the Pride festival for 8 hours a day.

The applicant has not included any detail whatsoever within the application in relation to the way in which the alcohol will be dispensed, what age verification will be in place or what control measures will be in place.

The applicant has been contacted and has sent through further information but one of the things that they have stated is that all the drinks will be

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served in plastic cups. This means that the alcoholic drinks will be served for immediate consumption off the premises.

The premises are not within the Pride event footprint and therefore the road outside is subject to the Public Spaces Protection Order that exits in the City Centre and as such anybody consuming alcohol in the area will be in breach of this.

Therefore, it is highly likely that the grant of this TEN will result in GMP having to deal with issues of street drinking on days when they will already be stretched due to the Pride Festival.

As such we ask that this TEN application is refused.

Signed:PC 17659 Isherwood	(rank/pin/name)
Date/Time 10 th July 2023 0705 hrs	