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**Sent:** 13 May 2019 09:30 **To:** M&CP - Licensing

**Subject:** RE: OBJECTION re: Unit 2, Bartholomew Close

Dear Sirs,

## **OBJECTION**

I am writing to object to the opening hours applied for this unit.

This property has residential units above it and beside it and a closing time of 23.30 Monday- Saturday (22.30 Sunday) is far too late.

In practice, this would mean customers might well be exiting the premises after midnight.

In addition, the proximity of the property to Middlesex Passage is likely to mean significant numbers would be using this narrow passageway, which is universally recognised as an "echo chamber" amplifying significantly even the most conversational tones.

Scores of flats overlook Middlesex Passage and the majority have bedrooms which face on to the Passage. Both bedrooms in my flat fall into this category.

The capacity for late night noise pollution and disturbance is immense.

I would also stress how important it is that there is a condition that all doors and windows in the licenced premises are kept closed at all times and that silent air conditioning is in place.

I should be grateful if you would acknowledge receipt of this objection.

Regards,

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