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To: M&CP - Licensing
Subject: Unit 10 Barts Square West Smithfield EC1A 9DS

Re: Wright and Bell, Unit 10, Barts Square, West Smithfield, EC1A 9DS

To whom it may concern:

We are writing to give notice of our opposition to this application in its current form.

It is not appropriate to grant such late hours of licensing to a large restaurant and bar (some 6,300 square feet) sandwiched between a predominantly residential neighbourhood and a large hospital. It will create a considerable public nuisance in terms of noise, especially to residents at Spencer Heights, to many of the new residents in the Barts Square Development, existing residents in Bartholomew Close and patients at Barts Hospital. The dense positioning of all the buildings in this development mean that sound rises up and echoes around as it is. The addition of a huge restaurant/bar will only exacerbate the situation.

As well as the hours being unacceptable, we would ask that you impose conditions which mean that no tables be allowed on the pavements, at least in the evenings, doors and windows are kept closed and that there is no noise from air conditioning. If these late hours are granted, it would also mean a lot of noise from taxis and car doors being shut, until midnight or later.

We ask that you consider the rights of the residents of the area, and consider the needs of the patients at Barts, and refuse this application as it stands.

yours faithfully,
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