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To: Hewitt, Andre; M&CP - Licensing
Subject: George and Vulture - Licensing amendment

Dear Sirs,

I have recently become aware of the changes to Licensing that has been applied for by Thomas Paget in respect of the above premises.

The George and Vulture, a historical place with a huge history has primarily been a restaurant and whilst it problem needs to lose its stuffiness, I am concerned about the request to remove condition 4 which will in effect turn the restaurant into a pub.

That in itself I am not necessarily opposed to but as the owner and resident at [REDACTED] Cornhill, I am opposed to the outside drinking that now seems to becoming the norm in this area - St Michael's Alley, Castle Court and George Yard, not to mention patrons drinking and smoking in Cornhill near the front entrance of The Counting House and directly underneath my 1st floor window.

Our first experience of the licensing team not appreciating that there are residents in the Area came last year when Live music events were allowed in The Counting House without thought to the fact that the speakers were directly on the party wall to my flat!

The alleyways around this already suffer from obstruction, anti-social behaviour and noise and the ability of the George and Vulture to sell alcohol directly to the public, whom as there will be no room in the premises will no doubt be drinking outside will only add to the problems.

I strongly object to any amendment in licensing that would increase noise levels experienced outside.

Yours

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