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To: M&CP - Licensing

**Subject:** Gopuff, 171-176 Aldersgate Street, Barbican, EC1 A 4HT Licsensing application

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## THIS IS AN EXTERNAL EMAIL

Dear Sir,

Re; Gopuff, 171-176 Aldersgate Street, Barbican, EC1 A 4HT Licsensing application

I write to oppose the licensing application and the use of the building as a warehouse and delivery hub.

The plan is for a 24/7 warehouse and delivery hub at the base of a residential building.

Road safety- The location is directly at the exit of a busy corner on the road. The amount of delivery lorries stoped at this location that the proposed business will cause will clearly create a significantly increased road hazard . It's just not safe. The Gopuff delivery drivers are working to a time critical schedule. Many of them ride motorbikes as learner drivers, many of them are young inexperienced drivers, most of them are male, This is exactly the group most likely to be involved in a road traffic accident.

I note the GoPuff plan indicated storage of vehicles within the building. Clearly this is to mitigate drivers congregating outside, an inevitability. However, how many journeys across the pavement of this busy city street beside the entrance to a residential building will that entail, each day. How many 4 wheeled vehicles will be parked up outside waiting for the larger deliveries

The plan notes the NCP car park entrance at the edge of the plan but fails to note the entrance to the residential building in the middle of the proposed plan !!!

I note the goods in entrance is directly beneath a flat I own. The noise nuisance will be significant .

The location is not appropriate for this type of business.

Edward Malden

Owner

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