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Subject: Booth School
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THIS IS AN EXTERNAL EMAIL

Dear Sir,

I write to you stating my objection to the recent licensing application made by The University of Chicago Booth School of Business - The City of London.

My wife and I are residents of Bart's Square of only two months, and we chose this location due to the particularly secluded, peaceful and historical nature of the environment. Having looked at the application, I am very concerned that everything we sought is going to be lost should this application be approved.

Naturally, I can see why students would need some form of social scene on their university campus, however, as I feel that firstly, the student headcount at Booth does seem to be particularly low, I do not understand why any university social scene needs six or seven days a week of entertainment, especially until 3am. Additionally, when I look at nearby Farringdon, which has a multitude of bars, restaurants and clubs, I note that none of these venues are open until 3am, other than at the weekend.

And when I think of the Farringdon area, I know that a thriving nightlife already exists, therefore, the question arises as to why a new license should be given to what is essentially a private square. Surely it is not too much of a hardship for students to walk to existing venues.

My overriding concern is that if this licence is awarded it shall be likely to lead to a public noise nuisance in a residential area.

Please let me know if you need anything further information and in the meantime, I shall look forward to hearing from you.

Best regards,

Andrew Cropper