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Subject: Objection: Cos Bar, 148 Queen Victoria Street

Referring to the application made for the variation of the premises licence of Cos Bar to extend their hours until 3.00 am on Fridays and Saturdays, I'm writing to object to this application.

I believe it is totally unreasonable for a venue in such close proximity to a residential building to have extended hours until 3.00 am. In particular live music reverberates, in particular bass beats, through walls and leaks into the street when people exit and enter the bar. It's usually very hard to regulate that doors should remain closed at all times in particular during the summer. Most importantly, the noise that's created by customers leaving licensed premises, who are more often than not very loud because of alcohol, is something which causes a great deal of public nuisance and general noise problems. On occasions excess alcohol consumption can lead to anti-social behaviour.

My personal view is that closing time should be midnight given the location of this business.

Regards
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