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Good Morning,

West Midlands Police wish to make formal representations in relation to this transfer application under licensing objectives the prevention of crime and disorder and Public Safety.

The applicants details for this transfer are the same details as those on a Trading Standards review, for the premises Family Shopper 289 Wood End Road WV11 1YQ. This review is currently a live review, whereby West Midlands Police have made supporting representations

Information documented in the application for a review of this premises highlights the applicants disregard for The Licensing Objectives. Trading Standards document how 878 illicit vapes and 660 illicit cigarettes were voluntarily surrendered during the inspection.

To knowingly keep or allow to be kept on relevant premises, goods such as cigarettes which have been imported without payment of duty or otherwise been lawfully imported is a criminal offence as per section 144(1) and (3) of the Licencing Act.

Vapes and Cigarettes that were displayed for sale on the premises on the day of the trading standards inspection were much greater than UK regulations allow. This putting public safety at a much greater risk.

Kind Regards

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