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Dear Mr Edge

Application for a Variation of a Premises Licence under Licensing Act 2003 Royal London, 4 - 6 Wulfruna Street, Wolverhampton WV1 1LX

I write on behalf of the Licensing Authority as responsible authority to make formal representations to the above variation application. Representations are made in support of the crime and disorder and prevention of public nuisance. The premises falls within the Cumulative Impact Zone and there is a rebuttable presumption that the application will be refused unless the applicant can demonstrate that there will be no negative cumulative impact on one or more of the licensing objectives.

The solicitor acting on behalf of the applicant, Stonegate Pub Company Ltd has been in consultation with the Licensing Authority, West Midlands Police and Environmental Health prior to submitting a formal variation application, in order to obtain views of these responsible authorities relating to the variation in hours for regulated entertainment and the sale and supply of alcohol on and off the premises.

The applicant has proposed amendments to their operating schedule for the above premises in order to show how the variation applied for will not contribute to the cumulative impact.

As the premises falls within the cumulative impact area the variation application will be referred to the Licensing Sub-Committee for determination.

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The Licensing Authority would be willing to withdraw their representations should the Licensing Sub-Committee be satisfied that there will be no negative cumulative impact on any of the four licensing objectives.

I shall be in attendance at the hearing should Councillors have any questions or require any further assistance.

Yours sincerely

E Moreton

Section Leader Licensing

On behalf of the Licensing Authority

cc. Copy to Applicant