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**Date: 6th JULY 2013**

**Ref: - Objection to Temporary Event Notice - One Love Festival**

Police acknowledge receipt of the above Temporary Event Notice made on the 1st AUGUST 2013 in respect of The One Love Festival to be held at Damyns Hall Aerodrome, Averly Road, Upminster, ESSEX, RM14 2TN

The applicant, Mr Adam SMITH submitted an application requesting Licensable activities between 16th and 18th August 2013 from 1100 -0300 hrs, namely -

- \* The sale by retail of alcohol
- \* The provision of regulated entertainment
- \* The provision of late night refreshment

The Aerodrome is a large open space situated beside residential premises.

**As the Licensing Officer for Havering and on behalf of the Commissioner for the Police of the Metropolis, I object to the notice being granted on the grounds of public safety, Prevention of Crime and Disorder and Prevention of Public Nuisance.**

When considering this application, the Police Licensing Department consulted with both the Events Team and the local Safer Neighbourhood Officers covering this area. The SNT have advised me of several complaints being received in the past relating to noise nuisance and Anti Social Behaviour emitting from the venue during previous events.

Insufficient information has been provided with this application which undermines public safety. No mentions of security or care measures are referred to at any point. The TEN increases the length of time patrons will be able to gain access to alcohol which in turn has an effect on safety, crime and of course, noise. The extended hours of regulated entertainment will naturally generate noise for longer periods having a detrimental effect on local residents and sleep patterns alike, including children in the area.

Previous events have shown "Spikes" in crime statistics. Reported thefts, violence and drug allegations have all increased. Experience has shown a risk to public safety and an increase in crime when events run late into the night / following morning. By extending the finishing time of licensable activities' we simply extend drinking time, this in turn increases noise nuisance, issues to public safety and crime and disorder. To have 300 people present in an area providing entertainment and alcohol until 0300hrs will simply create more noise along with alcohol fuelled problems. This will all be at a time of night which is ordinarily extremely quiet.

The location of the event is nearby local housing, this makes the request for a 0300hrs finish completely unreasonable for the residents. It is anticipated large numbers of people will attend the main event. Therefore it is critical festival goers disperse back to their individual tents or away from the location at the earliest convenience. This will help to achieve the licensing objectives and protect the local residents. By extending licensable activities to 0300hrs this will prove counter productive to the original approved application. By extending one area of the festival we simply prevent patrons from returning to their tents or going home.

Police believe if this temporary event notice is granted, it will further stretch our limited resources and undermine public safety along with preventing Crime & Disorder and Public nuisance objectives.

If I can be of any further assistance in this matter please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "PC Jason ROSE". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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Metropolitan Police - Havering  
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