

Licensing Act 2003

**Representation made in respect of a Grant/Variation of a Premises
Licence or Club Premises Certificate**

**PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE COMPLETING THE
ATTACHED FORM.**

You have notified the Licensing Authority that you wish to make a representation concerning an application to grant/vary a Premises Licence or Club Premises Certificate.

The law does not require a representation to be in a standard format however, Pendle Borough Council, as the Licensing Authority, is obliged to decide whether your application is valid within the requirements of the Act and Regulations.

Under the provisions of the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings Regulations) 2005, the Licensing Authority requests that you clarify the grounds upon which you are making representations. This form will assist you in ensuring that you have entered your representations properly and fully.

If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records. You may use your copy as an aide memoir at a hearing before the Licensing Committee.

The ground(s) for representation must be based on one of the licensing objectives.

Please list any additional information or details to support your application and attach any documentary or other information that you may wish to use. If you have not disclosed this information, you will not be able to introduce it at the hearing unless all the other parties consent.

Please note that by ticking the section below which appears on page 5 of this form -

I understand that the Licensing Authority is obliged to give notice of a hearing to all parties to the hearing and this must include a copy of this representation. (You must tick this box)	Yes ✓
---	-----------------

and signing and dating the form, you are agreeing that a copy of your representation can be passed to the applicant and other associated parties.

If you do not want this to happen, you should contact the Licensing Office on 01282 661987 immediately and discuss it with an Officer. However, it should be noted that some or all of your personal details can only be withheld in exceptional and isolated circumstances and this course of action will only be considered where the circumstances justify such action.

I (insert name of person making representation whether as an individual or on behalf of a group or authorised to make a representation as a responsible authority)

MUZAMAL ZAMAN

make representations in respect of a grant/variation of a; (tick as appropriate)

Premises Licence	
Club Premises Certificate	

Premises or club premises details

Name, address and postcode of premises or club premises in respect of which you are making representations. 113 Halifax Road	
Post town NELSON	Post code (if known) BB9 0EQ

I am;

Tick as appropriate

- (a) a person ☒
(b) a body representing persons
(c) a person involved in a business
(d) a body representing persons involved in a business
(e) a Responsible Authority
(f) elected Borough Councillor

Please provide your details below -

DETAILS OF INDIVIDUAL / ORGANISATION / RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY
(mark as appropriate)

Mr.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mrs.		Miss		Ms		Other	
-----	-------------------------------------	------	--	------	--	----	--	-------	--

Surname	ZAMAN	First Name	MUZAMAL
---------	-------	------------	---------

I am 18 years of age or older	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
-------------------------------	-------------------------------------

or

Name of the Organisation or Responsible Authority	
---	--

Address

100 HALIFAX ROAD NELSON LANCASHIRE Postcode BB9 0EH
--

Contact name	MUZANAL ZAMAN
Job Title	HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER
Daytime contact telephone number	07393147448
E-mail address	M_A_ZAMAN@HOTMAIL.CO.UK

Details of the licensing objectives which will be undermined by the variation.

This representation relates to the following licensing objective(s) (tick as appropriate)

the prevention of crime and disorder	✓
public safety	✓
the prevention of public nuisance	✓
the protection of children from harm	✓

Information and details of the Representation

Please note that if your representations relate to the Variation of an existing Licence or Certificate, the representations can only relate to the variation of the Licence or Certificate.

Please provide as much information as possible to support your representation. Please note that if you have not disclosed this information, you may not be able to introduce it at the hearing unless all the other parties consent.

continued on page 4

As a local resident and educated High School teacher and someone who has worked with 11-21 year olds for over 14 years. I am deeply saddened that yet another local resident is opening alcohol shop in Nelson. 01
A

Nelson is one of the most poorest and deprived area in the England. However I believe there are still areas in Nelson that have been looked after by good, strong diverse communities, these people find tranquillity and peace in these streets ~~or~~ areas.

Neighbourhoods where bars, restaurants and liquor and other stores that sell alcohol are close together suffer more frequent incidences of violence and other alcohol-related problems, according to recent research by the Prevention Research Centre and others. The strong connection between alcohol and violence has been clear for a long time – but now we know that this connection also relates to the location of places that sell alcohol.

The First and second objection relates to the prevention of crime and disorder and prevent of public nuisance;

There have been a number of robberies, around the Halifax area where individuals have broken into homes and also made a huge nuisance in the evening. Individuals have gathered at the back of Halifax road (house number 100 to 111) where they have been drinking and swearing and using foul language. By introducing an Alcohol shop opposite this area it will encourage individuals to use this area as a socialising drinking ground. My family have been called racist slurs (Paki, black bastard, terrorist) by individuals who have been to the local shop on place on the hill, where they bought bottles of strong bow, we frighten to inform the police as these individuals know where we live (Receipts of the bottles were found in the litter that was left behind) This is starting to become an on going thing. There are a number of alcohol shops located within the vicinity; we do not need another shop. A lot of elderly people live in the area and are quite vulnerable.

Third and Fourth objection relates to Public Safety and the protection of children from harm;

The shop is based at a very dangerous junction. There is no parking around the shop and public safety is a major concern. As the road is used by hundreds of students that walk to school and home, this includes local primary school and secondary school students. Students cross the road near to the shop to walk through the fields to get the Edge End Avenue, shorter route to school.

The local highway agencies have already objected on the grounds of public safety.

Marsden Heights School is a failing school that is located near by. Ofsted have inspected the school and the outcome has been very poor. Special measures/Inadequate to be precise! We as a community will be failing this school further by giving the shop an alcohol license. With all due respect I am not saying the owner will be selling alcohol to youngsters. However it does occur. As a teacher for the local community I can be confident in saying students will be more tempted to buy alcohol on their way back from school. From my experience students have truanted school and purchased alcohol to drink in the fields opposite the shop.

Also there are concerns that a shop in this vicinity would encourage young people to drink by making alcohol accessible locally and raises the spectre of safeguarding issues, Child sex exploitation etc... children could see "inappropriate behaviour" as a result of adults drinking during school break times and at home times. Myself and my wife will be adopting or fostering young children with mental health problems. These children could be from backgrounds of alcohol abuse and would be very vulnerable. An alcohol shop would not be a good idea to have close by.

Signed: Mr Zaman

Date: 18.04.17

Have you made any representations in respect of these premises before? (Delete as appropriate)	Yes	No
Date that you made representations		

I understand that the Licensing Authority is obliged to give notice of a hearing to all parties to the hearing and this must include a copy of this representation. (You must tick this box)	Yes ✓
--	----------

IT IS AN OFFENCE, LIABLE ON CONVICTION TO A FINE UP TO LEVEL 5 ON THE STANDARD SCALE , UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003 TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION OR REPRESENTATION.

Section 6 Signatures

Signature of person making representation or a solicitor or other duly authorised agent. If signing on behalf of a body representing a person living or carrying on a business in the vicinity of the premises or on behalf of a responsible authority please ensure that have the right to sign a representation on their behalf and state the capacity in which you are signing.

Signature *MZA*

Date 18.04.2017

Capacity