
Representation from Shaftesbury Town Council re License Application: 161568 at KFC Ivy Cross, SP7 8DS

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To: Licensing <licensing@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk>

Subject: RE: Representation from Shaftesbury Town Council re License Application: 161568 at KFC Ivy Cross, SP7 8DS

Good morning Roy,

The objection from Shaftesbury Town Council relates to Licence Application 161568, for premises at Ivy Cross, SP7 8DS.

At its recent meeting, the Council RESOLVED to object to the application on the grounds that approval could set an undesirable precedent for late-night opening in a residential area, with the potential for increased noise disturbance affecting nearby residents.

However, the Council indicated it would be open to reconsidering the application on the basis of a three-month trial period, limited to Friday and Saturday nights only, in order to monitor any impact on the local community.

I understand that trial licences cannot be granted. Therefore, in line with the committee's resolution, the formal objection should be made on the grounds of Prevention of Public Nuisance, and Public Safety with the above comments provided as supporting rationale.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any further information.

Kind regards,

Sarah

Sarah Smith

Town Clerk

for and on behalf of Shaftesbury Town Council

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From: Licensing <licensing@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk>

Sent: 26 August 2025 08:38

To: Sarah Smith [REDACTED]

Subject: Re: Representation from Shaftesbury Town Council re License Application: 161568 at KFC Ivy Cross, SP7 8DS

Good Morning,

Thank you for your representation but we will need more clarification on what you are objecting too,

Each application must be treated by its own merits, what may happen to other premises in the area if this licence is granted cannot be taken into consideration.

The licence authority cannot issue trial licences, the licence is either granted as applied for, Granted with amendments, or refused.

Can you please provide further information on what you are making a representation against in terms of what is being applied for,

The application is for Late night refreshment only between - 23:00 - 00:00,

No regulated entertainment is being applied for, a valid representation must relate to what is being applied for and must relate to one or more of the four licensing objectives, Prevention of Crime and disorder, Protect of Children from Harm, Prevention of Public Nuisance and Public Safety

Kind Regards

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From: Sarah Smith 
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Dear Dorset Licensing,

I am writing on behalf of Shaftesbury Town Council to formally submit a representation to licence application 161568.

At its recent meeting, the Council RESOLVED to object to the application on the grounds that approval could set an undesirable precedent for late-night opening in a residential area, potentially resulting in increased noise disturbance for nearby residents. However, the Council would be willing to reconsider the application on the basis of a three-month trial, limited to Friday and Saturday nights only, in order to assess any impact on the local community.

Kind regards,

Sarah

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