

# Blackpool Council

22 May 2018

To: Councillors Collett, Hobson and Mrs Scott

The above members are requested to attend the:

## LICENSING PANEL

Wednesday, 30 May 2018 at 6.00 pm  
in Committee Room B, Town Hall, Blackpool

## A G E N D A

### 1 APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRMAN

To appoint a Chairman for the meeting.

### 2 DECLARATION OF INTEREST - LICENSING

Members are asked to declare any interests in the items under consideration and in doing so state:-

(1) the type of interest concerned

(2) the nature of the interest concerned; and

(3) whether they have or have not sat on a Planning Committee which has previously considered a planning application in respect of a licensed premises which is also subject to consideration for a premises licence as part of the agenda for this meeting.

If any Member requires advice on declarations of interests, they are advised to contact the Head of Democratic Governance in advance of the meeting.

(Members are asked to also pay particular attention to the guidance sheet on interests supplied with the agenda).

### 3 PROCEDURE FOR THE MEETING

The Chairman of the Panel will summarise the procedure and announce the equal maximum amount of time for each party to speak for the hearing.

- A. Items 1 and 4 (b) will be undertaken in private session by the Panel and not in the Meeting Room.
- B. Items 2, 3, 4(a) and 4(c) will be recommended to the Panel to be held in public.
- C. The Panel may decide to exclude the public from all or part of a hearing where it considers that the public interest in so doing outweighs the public interest in the hearing, or that part of the hearing, taking place in public. (This includes a party and any person assisting or representing a party)

**4 APPLICATION FOR THE VARIATION OF A PREMISES LICENCE- LA CASA (Pages 1 - 118)**

- a. APPLICATION AND REPRESENTATIONS SUBMITTED. To consider the attached report
- b. DETERMINATION OF THE APPLICATION FOR THE VARIATION OF A PREMISES LICENCE- LA CASA
- c. ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE DECISION FOR THE VARIATION OF A PREMISES LICENCE- LA CASA

**Venue information:**

First floor meeting room (lift available), accessible toilets (ground floor), no-smoking building.

**Other information:**

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**Report to:** **Licensing Panel**

**Date of Meeting :** 30 May 2018

## **APPLICATION TO VARY A PREMISES LICENCE – La Casa, 14 Dickson Road**

### **1.0 Purpose of the report:**

1.1 To consider an application to vary premises licence PL1868 issued in respect of La Casa, 14 Dickson Road.

### **2.0 Recommendation(s):**

2.1 To consider the application and determine whether the granting of this variation would adversely impact on the licensing objectives.

### **3.0 Reasons for recommendation(s):**

3.1 Representations have been received therefore there must be a hearing to determine the application.

3.2a Is the recommendation contrary to a plan or strategy adopted or approved by the Council? No

3.2b Is the recommendation in accordance with the Council's approved budget? Yes

3.3 Other alternative options to be considered:

None, once an application is submitted and representations received it must be considered by the Licensing Panel.

### **4.0 Background Information**

4.1 On 19 March 2018, the Licensing Service received an application from Janafarag Limited to vary the Premises licence issued in respect of La Casa, 14 Dickson Road Blackpool.

- 4.2 The licence currently authorises the playing of recorded music, late night refreshment and the sale of alcohol for consumption on the premises during the following times:

Recorded music and Alcohol: Sun-Thu 17.30-01.00, Fri-Sat 17.30-03.00

Late Night Refreshment: Sun-Thu 23.00- 01.00, Fri-Sat 23.00-03.00

The application requests permission to extend the hours for late night refreshment to 05.00 daily with the addition of a number of conditions. A copy of the application is attached.

Representations have been received from Lancashire Constabulary, the Licensing Authority and a member of the public. Copies of the representations are attached.

4.3 **Local policy considerations**

This premise is situated within the town centre saturation area which, due to concerns about crime and disorder and anti-social behaviour arising from the number of takeaways in the area, includes applications for late night refreshment. The effect of this policy is to create a rebuttable presumption that applications will be refused. To rebut this presumption, an applicant would be expected to show through the operating schedule, and where appropriate with supporting evidence, that the operation of the premises will not add to the cumulative impact already being experienced. The following sections of the policy are relevant:

4.7.7 "...the policy will only be overridden in genuinely exceptional cases where the applicant can demonstrate that the granting of the application will not undermine the policy and the reasons for it."

4.7.8 "An application is not likely to be classed as exceptional merely on the ground that the premises have been or will be operated within the terms of its licence or that they are/will be well managed. This is to be expected of any application."

4.4 **National policy considerations**

9.12 –The police have a key role in managing the night-time economy and should have good working relationships with those operating in their local area. The police should usually therefore be the licensing authority's main source of advice on matters relating to the promotion of the crime and disorder licensing objective. However, any responsible authority under the 2003 Act may make representations with regard to any of the licensing objectives if they have evidence to support such representations.

9.43 – The authority’s decision should be evidence-based, justified as being appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives and proportionate to what it is intended to achieve.

14.44 – After receiving relevant representations in relation to a new application or for a variation of a licence or certificate, the licensing authority must consider whether it would be justified in departing from its special policy in the light of the individual circumstances of the case... If the licensing authority decides that an application should be refused, it will still need to show that the grant of the application would undermine the promotion of one or more of the licensing objectives and that appropriate conditions would be ineffective in preventing the problems involved.

#### 4.5 **Observations**

The current conditions on the licence are as follows:

##### **Annex 1 - Mandatory conditions**

- 1 No supply of alcohol may be made under the premises licence -
  - a) At a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of the premises licence,
  - or*
  - b) At a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or his personal licence is suspended.
- 2 Every supply of alcohol under the premise licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.
- 3 (1) The responsible person must ensure that staff on relevant premises do not carry out, arrange or participate in any irresponsible promotions in relation to the premises.  
  
(2) In this paragraph, an irresponsible promotion means any one or more of the following activities, or substantially similar activities, carried on for the purpose of encouraging the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises -
  - (a) games or other activities which require or encourage, or are designed to require or encourage, individuals to -
    - (i) drink a quantity of alcohol within a time limit (other than to drink

alcohol sold or supplied on the premises before the cessation of the period in which the responsible person is authorised to sell or supply alcohol), or

(ii) drink as much alcohol as possible (whether within a time limit or otherwise);

(b) provision of unlimited or unspecified quantities of alcohol free or for a fixed or discounted fee to the public or to a group defined by a particular characteristic in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;

(c) provision of free or discounted alcohol or any other thing as a prize to encourage or reward the purchase and consumption of alcohol over a period of 24 hours or less in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;

(d) selling or supplying alcohol in association with promotional posters or flyers on, or in the vicinity of, the premises which can reasonably be considered to condone, encourage or glamorise anti-social behaviour or to refer to the effects of drunkenness in any favourable manner;

(e) dispensing alcohol directly by one person into the mouth of another (other than where that other person is unable to drink without assistance by reason of disability).

4 The responsible person must ensure that free potable water is provided on request to customers where it is reasonably available.

5 (1) The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.

(2) The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licence must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.

(3) The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either a holographic mark, or an ultraviolet feature.

6 The responsible person must ensure that -

(a) where any of the following alcoholic drinks are sold or supplied for consumption on the premises (other than alcoholic drinks sold or supplied

having been made up in advance ready for sale or supply in a securely closed container) it is available to customers in the following measures -

- (i) beer or cider: ½ pint;
- (ii) gin, rum, vodka or whisky: 25 ml or 35 ml; and
- (iii) still wine in a glass: 125 ml;

(b) these measures are displayed in a menu, price list or other printed material which is available to customers on the premises; and

(c) where a customer does not in relation to a sale of alcohol specify the quantity of alcohol to be sold, the customer is made aware that these measures are available.

7 (1) A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.

(2) In this condition:-

- a. “permitted price” is the price found by applying the formula  $P = D + (D \times V)$ , where-
  - i. P is the permitted price,
  - ii. D is the amount of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and
  - iii. V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol;
- b. “duty” is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979;
- c. “relevant person” means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence-
  - i. the holder of the premises licence,
  - ii. the designated premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or
  - iii. the personal licence holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence;
- d. “relevant person” means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and
- e. “value added tax” means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994.

(3) Where the permitted price would not be a whole number of pennies, the

permitted price shall be taken to be the price rounded up to the nearest penny.

(4) Where the permitted price on a day (“the first day”) would be different from the permitted price on the next day (“the second day”) as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax, the permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.

## **Annex 2 - Conditions consistent with the Operating Schedule**

- 1 No alcohol will be allowed to be consumed outside.
- 2 Windows and doors will be kept closed after 2200.
- 3 Alcohol shall not be sold or supplied on the premises otherwise than to persons taking table meals there and for consumption by such a person as ancillary to the meal.
- 4 The supply of alcohol will be by waiter/waitress service only and only to persons seated at tables.
- 5 The Licence Holder and the Designated Premises Supervisor are to support and rigorously enforce a Challenge 25 Proof of Age policy. Any person who looks or appears to be under the age of 25 shall be asked to provide identification that they are over the age of 18. The following are the only forms of identification acceptable:
  - (a) UK photo driving licence
  - (b) Valid passport
  - (c) Proof of Age Standards Scheme Card

OR

  - (d) any other nationally or locally approved form of identification which may be introduced in the future.

If no suitable identification is provided, sale of alcohol to them will be refused.
- 6 All staff to have received suitable training in relation to the proof of age scheme to be applied upon the premises. Records to evidence this will be made available to an authorised officer upon request.

- 7 A notice or notices shall be displayed in the premises where they can be clearly seen and read and will indicate that it is unlawful for persons under 18 to purchase alcohol or for any person to purchase alcohol on behalf of a person under 18 years of age.
- 8 An authorisation of sales, signed and dated by the Designated Premises Supervisor, shall be kept at the premises showing all persons authorised by them to make sales of alcohol at the premises.
- 9 A personal licence holder (whose identity will be known to all other staff engaged in the sale or supply of alcohol) will be available to attend the premises whenever the sale or supply of alcohol is being undertaken, except in the case of emergency.
- 10 The licence holder and the Designated Premises Supervisor shall nominate another person, who will deputise for the Designated Premises Supervisor in the his/her absence, and shall ensure that the identity of the deputy is known by all other staff when such absence occurs.
- 11 Any person under the age of 16 must be accompanied by a responsible adult and remains the responsibility of the accompanying adult at all times when using the premises in the licensed areas of the premises. Members of staff are not allowed to be in sole supervision of children.
- 12 No person in possession of an alcoholic drink in an unsealed container shall be allowed to enter or leave the premises. Appropriate measures will be taken to ensure staff prevent the removal of bottles and glasses from the curtilage and grounds of the licensed premises. The Licence holder and the Designated Premises Supervisor shall erect and maintain signage on or adjacent to all exits advising patrons of this policy and the intention of staff to enforce a no exit with a bottle policy.
- 13 The Licence Holder and the Designated Premises Supervisor shall ensure that only toughened glass or polycarbonate vessels are used to dispense beverages to customers.
- 14 Frequent collection of glasses and bottles will be undertaken to ensure that empty containers do not accumulate in or around the licensed premises.
- 15 An incident book will be maintained, in which shall be recorded:
  - (i) All incidents of crime and disorder
  - (ii) Refused sales to suspected under age / drunken persons

- (iii) A record of any person refused admission or asked to leave the premises
- (iv) Details of occasions upon which the Police are called to the premises
- (v) The use or discovery of drugs

That book shall be available for inspection by a Police Officer or authorised person.

- 16 An adequate number of licensed door supervisors will be on duty as appropriate to any risk assessment at the premises.
- 17 All door staff employed at the entrance/exit of the licensed premises will wear a reflective jacket/tabard of a design approved by the Lancashire Constabulary.
- 18 Risk assessments carried out by or on behalf of the Licence holder which relate to a licensing objective will be available for inspection by a police officer or any authorised officer of a responsible authority.
- 19 CCTV will be installed internally and externally at the premises and will comply with the following; the CCTV system shall be installed, maintained and operated to the reasonable satisfaction of Lancashire Constabulary. All public areas of the premises are to be covered by the system. The system will incorporate a camera covering each of the entrance doors and will be capable of providing an image which is regarded as identification standard.
  - ☐ The system will display on any recording the correct time and date of the recording.
  - ☐ The system will make recordings during all hours the premises are open to the public.
  - ☐ VCR tapes or digital recording shall be held for a minimum of 31 days and 28 days respectively, after the recording is made and will be made available to the Police or any authorised persons acting for a Responsible Authority for inspection upon request.
  - ☐ The system will, as a minimum, record images of the head and shoulders of all persons entering the premises.
- 20 A staff member who is conversant with the operation of the CCTV system will be on the premises at all times the premises are open to the public. This staff member will be able to show recent data or footage with the absolute minimum of delay when requested to a Police Officer or to a Local Authority Enforcement Officer.
- 21 The Licence Holder or Designated Premises Supervisor shall notify the Police

Licensing Unit on any occasion when the CCTV is to be inoperative for a period in excess of one working day and shall provide a certificate from a competent person stating the reason for the system being inoperative and the measures which have been taken to satisfy the licence conditions.

- 22 Appropriate signage alerting customers to CCTV recording shall be displayed in conspicuous positions on the premises.
- 23 Annual documented maintenance checks of the CCTV system, including the recording system will be undertaken by the Designated Premises Supervisor to ensure that the system is in good working order and fit for purpose.
- 24 Security arrangements are sufficient to discourage the sale and consumption of drugs and shall ensure such arrangements include regular checks of toilet areas.
- 25 Confiscated and found drugs shall be stored, disposed, transferred in accordance with procedures agreed with the Lancashire Constabulary.
- 26 The licence holder and the Designated Premises Supervisor shall arrange adequate supervision of any queue which may form to gain entry to the premises.
- 27 The licence holder shall erect and maintain in a prominent position at every exit a clear and conspicuous notice requesting patrons to avoid causing noise, nuisance or disturbance to local residents.
- 28 The licensee shall ensure that staff arriving before 0900 or departing late at night when the business has ceased trading conduct themselves in such a manner to avoid disturbance to nearby residents.
- 29 The premises licence holder will arrange for litter dropped in the vicinity of the licensed premises to be collected and removed at the licence holder's expense at a frequency of not less than 60 minute intervals during opening hours.
- 30 For the purposes of the condition above, the collection and removal of litter should be taken to include the washing away to the gutter of spilled food and similar materials so as to leave the footway in a clean, safe and wholesome condition.
- 31 The premises licence holder will be expected to accept the Council's voluntary code of practice for litter and refuse. The code of practice is available from the Director of Technical Services.

- 32 When food for consumption off the premises is sold, adequate waste receptacles for use by patrons shall be provided in the local vicinity. The positioning of the receptacles shall be agreed by the Council, and the responsibility for disposing of the collected waste shall rest with the licensee.
- 33 The licensee shall ensure that noise or vibration shall not emanate from the premises such as to cause persons in the neighbourhood to be disturbed. To this end sound insulation shall be provided and regard must be had to the ventilation requirements for the premises. All sound insulation shall be installed to the satisfaction of the Council.
- 34 The licensee shall ensure that cooking, noxious or persistent smells generated at the premises do not cause nuisance to nearby properties, and that the premises shall be adequately ventilated to the satisfaction of the Head of Environmental Services.
- 35 Flashing or bright lights on or outside the licensed premises shall be positioned or screened in such a manner so as not to cause inconvenience to nearby properties.

4.8 Does the information submitted include any exempt information? No

4.9 **List of Appendices:**

Appendix 4a: Application  
 Appendix 4b: Representation from Lancashire Constabulary  
 Appendix 4c: Representation from Licensing Authority  
 Appendix 4d: Representation from member of the public (Mr M Laurence)

5.0 **Legal considerations:**

5.1 Please see local and national policy in the background information.

6.0 **Human Resources considerations:**

6.1 None.

7.0 **Equalities considerations:**

7.1 None.

**8.0 Financial considerations:**

8.1 None.

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19 MAR 2018

## APPLICATION TO VARY A PREMISES LICENCE

**Applicant Name(s):**

*Janafarag Ltd*

**Contact**

Licensing Service  
Blackpool Council  
Municipal Buildings, PO Box 4  
Blackpool, FY1 1NA

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# Application to vary a Premises Licence under the Licensing Act 2003

Please read the following instructions first:

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of this form. 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.

<b>Full name/s of the premises licence holder/s:</b>
JANAFARAG LTD

I/We the premises licence holder/s named above, apply to vary a premises licence under section 34 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1

<b>Premises Licence number:</b>	PL1868
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## Part 1 – Premises Details

<b>Premises Address</b>	14 DICKSON ROAD						
	BLACKPOOL						
	FY1 2AE	<b>Post Code</b>					
<b>Telephone Number of premises (if any)</b>							
<b>Non-domestic rateable value of premises</b>	12,250.00						

## Part 2 – Applicant details

<b>Title:</b>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Mr	<input type="radio"/> Mrs	<input type="radio"/> Miss	<input type="radio"/> Ms	<input type="radio"/> Other	<b>Forename(s)</b>	MAGDY ABEL RAHMAN				
<b>Surname</b>	ALY FARAG					<b>Date of Birth</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Month</b>	<b>Year</b>		
							17	09	67		
<b>Home address</b>	13B CAUNCE STREET										
	BLACKPOOL										
		<b>Post Code</b>	F	Y	1			3	N	G	
<b>Telephone Number</b>						<b>Mobile Number</b>	07473964557				
<b>E-Mail address</b>											

**SECOND INDIVIDUAL APPLICANT (If Applicable)**

<b>Title:</b>	Mr	Mrs	Miss	Ms	Other	<b>Forename(s)</b>					
<b>Surname</b>						<b>Date of Birth</b>	Day	Month	Year		
<b>Home address</b>	N/A										
						<b>Post Code</b>					
<b>Telephone Number</b>						<b>Mobile Number</b>					
<b>E-Mail address</b>											

**A. OTHER APPLICANTS**

Please provide name and registered address of applicant in full. Where appropriate please give any registered number. In the case of a partnership or other joint venture (other than a body corporate), please give the name and address of each party concerned.

<b>Name</b>	JANAFARAC LTD											
<b>Address</b>	REG OFFICE; 10 DICKSON ROAD BLACKPOOL											
						<b>Post Code</b>	F	4	1	2	A	E
<b>Registered number</b>	101 807 13											
<b>Description of applicant (for example partnership, company, unincorporated association)</b>												
LTD COMPANY												
<b>Telephone number</b>	07473964557											
<b>E-Mail address (optional)</b>												

### Part 3 – Variation

If yes please tick

Do you want the proposed variation to have effect as soon as possible?

If not, when do you want the variation to take effect from?

Day		Month		Year		

Do you want the proposed variation to have effect in relation to the introduction of the late night levy? (Please see guidance note 1)

If your proposed variation would mean that 5,000 or more people could be expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend

**Please describe briefly the nature of the proposed variation (Please see guidance note 1)**

EXTENSION OF HOURS FOR LATE NIGHT REFRESHMENT ONLY  
UNTIL 5.00 AM WITH THE ADDITION OF CONDITIONS TO SAFEGUARD  
THE LICENSING OBJECTIVES

## Part 4 – Operating Schedule

Please complete those parts of the Operating Schedule below that would be subject to change if this application to vary is successful.

### Provision of regulated entertainment (please see guidance note 3):

If yes please tick

- a) A performance of a play (if ticking yes, fill in box A)
- b) An exhibition of a film (if ticking yes, fill in box B)
- c) An indoor sporting event (if ticking yes, fill in box C)
- d) Boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)
- e) A performance of live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)
- f) Any playing of recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)
- g) A performance of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)
- h) Entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H)

Provision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box I)

Sale by retail of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box J)

**In all cases complete boxes K, L, and M**

**A**

Plays Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			Will the performance of a play take place indoors, outdoors or both – please tick accordingly (Please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors	
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 5)	Both	
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variation for performing plays (please read guidance note 6)  N/A		
Thu					
Fri			Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of plays at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please see guidance note 7)		
Sat					
Sun					

**B**

Films Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			Will the exhibition of films take place indoors, outdoors or both – please tick accordingly (Please read guidance note 4)	Indoors
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors
				Both
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 5)	
Tue				
Wed				
Thu			State any seasonal variation for the exhibition of films (please read guidance note 6)	
Fri				
Sat				
Sun			Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the exhibition of films at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please see guidance note 7)	

N/A

**C**

Indoor sporting event Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			Please give further details (Please see guidance note 5)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon			
Tue			
Wed			
Thu			State any seasonal variations for indoor sporting events (please read guidance note 6)
Fri			
Sat			
Sun			Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for indoor sporting events at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (Please see guidance note 7)

**D**

<b>Boxing or wrestling entertainment</b> Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			Will the boxing or wrestling entertainment take place indoors, outdoors or both – please tick accordingly (Please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors	
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 5)	Both	
Tue					
Wed				State any seasonal variation for boxing or wrestling entertainment (please read guidance note 6)	
Thu					
Fri			Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for boxing or wrestling entertainment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please see guidance note 7)		
Sat					
Sun					

N/A

**E**

<b>Live music</b> Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			Will the performance of live music take place indoors, outdoors or both – please tick accordingly (Please read guidance note 4)	Indoors	
Day	Start	Finish		Outdoors	
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 5)	Both	
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variation for performance of live music (please read guidance note 6)		
Thu					
Fri			Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of live music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please see guidance note 7)		
Sat					
Sun					

N/A

**F**

Recorded music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			Will the performance of recorded music take place indoors, outdoors or both – please tick accordingly (Please read guidance note 4)		Indoors	
					Outdoors	
Day	Start	Finish				
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 5)			
Tue						
Wed			State any seasonal variation for playing recorded music (please read guidance note 6)			
Thu						
Fri			Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the playing of recorded music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please see guidance note 7)			
Sat						
Sun						

**G**

Performances of dance Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			Will the performance of dance take place indoors, outdoors or both – please tick accordingly (Please read guidance note 4)		Indoors	
					Outdoors	
Day	Start	Finish				
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 5)			
Tue						
Wed			State any seasonal variation for the performance of dance (please read guidance note 6)			
Thu						
Fri			Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of dance at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please see guidance note 7)			
Sat						
Sun						

# H

<b>Anything of a similar description to that falling within (E), (F) or (G)</b>			<b>Please give a description of the type of entertainment you will be providing</b>		
<b>Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)</b>			<b>Will this entertainment take place indoors, outdoors or both – please tick accordingly (Please read guidance note 4)</b>		<b>Indoors</b>
					<b>Outdoors</b>
					<b>Both</b>
<b>Day</b>	<b>Start</b>	<b>Finish</b>	<b>Please give further details here (please read guidance note 5)</b>		
<b>Mon</b>			N/A		
<b>Tue</b>					
<b>Wed</b>			<b>State any seasonal variation for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (please read guidance note 6)</b>		
<b>Thu</b>			Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the entertainment of similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please see guidance note 7)		
<b>Fri</b>					
<b>Sat</b>					
<b>Sun</b>					

# I

<b>Late night refreshment Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)</b>			<b>Will the provision of late night refreshment take place indoors, outdoors or both – please tick accordingly (Please read guidance note 4)</b>		<b>Indoors</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
					<b>Outdoors</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
					<b>Both</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Day</b>	<b>Start</b>	<b>Finish</b>	<b>Please give further details here (please read guidance note 5)</b>			
<b>Mon</b>	2300	0500				
<b>Tue</b>	2300	0500				
<b>Wed</b>	2300	0500	<b>State any seasonal variation for the provision of late night refreshment (please read guidance note 6)</b>			
<b>Thu</b>	2300	0500	Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of late night refreshment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please see guidance note 7)			
<b>Fri</b>	2300	0500				
<b>Sat</b>	2300	0500				
<b>Sun</b>	2300	0500				

**J**

Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			Will the sale of alcohol for consumption be on the premises, off the premises or both (Please read guidance note 9)	On the Premises	
Day	Start	Finish		Off the premises	
Mon			State any seasonal variation for the supply of alcohol (please read guidance note 6)		
Tue					
Wed					
Thu					
Fri					
Sat			Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the supply of alcohol at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please see guidance note 7)		
Sun					

*W/S*

**K**

Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matter ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 10)

*NONE*

<b>Hours premises are open to the public</b>			<b>State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 6)</b>
Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 8)			
<b>Day</b>	<b>Start</b>	<b>Finish</b>	
Mon	12:00	05:00	
Tue	12:00	05:00	
Wed	12:00	05:00	
Thu	12:00	05:00	
Fri	12:00	05:00	
Sat	12:00	05:00	
Sun	12:00	05:00	
			<b>Non-standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises to be open to the public at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please see guidance note 7)</b>

**Please identify those conditions currently imposed on the licence that you believe could be removed as a consequence of the proposed variation you are seeking**

I have enclosed the existing premises licence and summary If yes please tick

I have enclosed the relevant part of the premises licence

If you have not ticked one of these boxes you are required to give your reasons for not including the licence, or any part of it below.

**Reasons why I have failed to enclose the premises licence or relevant part of the premises licence**

# M

Describe any additional steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives as a result of the proposed variation:

**a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e) (See guidance note 11)**

**b) The prevention of crime and disorder**

AN SIA DOOR SUPERVISOR WILL BE EMPLOYED EVERY TUESDAY AND SUNDAY FROM 08:00hrs until 05:00hrs.  
ADDITIONAL DOOR SUPERVISORS WILL BE EMPLOYED ON A RISK ASSESSED BASIS  
A BARRIER SYSTEM WILL BE DEPLOYED FROM 03:00hrs AND ALL SEATING FOR CUSTOMERS WILL CEASE (SEE PLAN ATTACHED).

**c) Public Safety**

NO CUSTOMERS WILL BE PERMITTED TO SIT AT THE TABLES AFTER 03:00

**d) The prevention of public nuisance**

THE PREMISES WILL NOT SERVE HOT FOOD BETWEEN 05:00hrs and 08:00hrs. WE WILL CLOSE THE PREMISES AT 05:15hrs.

**e) The protection of children from harm**

NO PERSON UNDER THE AGE OF 16 WILL BE PERMITTED ON THE PREMISES AFTER 23:00

## M

Describe any additional steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives as a result of the proposed variation:

### a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e) (See guidance note 11)

### b) The prevention of crime and disorder

A clear and legible notice outside the premises indicating the normal hours under the terms of the premises licence during which licensable activities are permitted.

Clear and conspicuous notices warning of potential criminal activity, such as theft, that may target customers will be displayed.

As a late night refreshment premises, custom will not be sought by means of personal solicitation outside or in the vicinity of the premises.

CCTCV is in place on 24 recording.

### c) Public Safety

A log book or recording system shall be kept upon the premises in which shall be entered particulars of inspections made; those required to be made by statute, and information compiled to comply with any public safety condition attached to the premises licence that requires the recording of such information. The log book shall be kept available for inspection when required by persons authorised by the Licensing Act 2003 or associated legislation.

Adequate access is provided for emergency vehicles.

All parts of the premises and all fittings and apparatus therein, door fastenings and notices and the seating, lighting, heating, electrical, ventilation, sanitary accommodation, washing facilities and other installations, will be maintained at all times in good order and in a safe condition.

Food Hygiene certificates for all staff members

- ALL STAFF ARE Legally Registered with our Accountant

### d) The prevention of public nuisance

Prominent, clear and legible notices will be displayed at all exits requesting the public to respect the needs of nearby residents and to leave the premises and the area quietly.

The Licensee will ensure that staff who arrive early morning or depart late at night when the business has ceased trading conduct themselves in such a manner to avoid causing disturbance to nearby residents.

Customers will be asked not to stand around talking in the street outside the premises; and asked to leave the vicinity quickly and quietly.

A specific taxi operator has been nominated for staff and customers use. The company's telephone number is advertised to customers. The operator, and all drivers, are aware that they should arrive and depart as quietly as possible, should not sound vehicle horns as a signal of their arrival or leave engines running unnecessarily.

The movement of bins and rubbish outside the premises will be kept to a minimum after 11.00pm. This will help to reduce the levels of noise produced by the premises.

Adequate waste receptacles for use by customers will be provided in the local vicinity.

### e) The protection of children from harm

Challenge 25 with staff training for all staff to Responsible Alcohol Retail Course

No unaccompanied children **AT ALL TIMES**

If yes please tick

- I have made or enclosed payment of the fee, or I have not made or enclosed payment of the fee because this application has been made in relation to the introduction of the late night levy
- I have sent copies of this application, a copy of the plan and a photocopy of the existing premises licence to responsible authorities and others where applicable
- I understand that I must advertise my application
- I have enclosed the premises licence or relevant part of it or an explanation why not
- I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected

**IT IS AN OFFENCE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION. THOSE WHO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT MAY BE LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE OF ANY AMOUNT.**

**Part 5 – Signatures** (please read guidance note 12)

Signature of applicant (the current premises licence holder) or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (please read guidance note 13). If signing on the behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.

Signed	
Print Name	MAGDY ALY FARAG
Capacity	MANAGER
Date	19/03/18

Where the premises licence is jointly held signature of 2<sup>nd</sup> applicant (the current premises licence holder) or 2<sup>nd</sup> applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent (please read guidance note 14). If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.

Signed	
Print Name	AMAL AIT-AZZOUZ
Capacity	DIRECTEUR
Date	19/03/18

Contact name (where not previously given) and address for correspondence associated with this application. (Please read guidance note 15)

Title:	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Mr	<input type="radio"/> Mrs	<input type="radio"/> Miss	<input type="radio"/> Ms	<input type="radio"/> Other						
Forenames	MAGDY				Surname	ALY FARAG					
Address for Correspondence associated with this application	13B										
	CAUNCE STREET										
	BLACKPOOL					Post Code	F	4	1	3	N
Telephone Number					Mobile Number	07473964557					
E-Mail Address	specialestmnh@yahoo.co.uk										

## Notes for Guidance

**This application cannot be used to vary the licence so as to extend the period that the licence has effect or to vary substantially the premises to which it relates. If you wish to make that type of change to the premises licence, you should make a new premises licence application under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003.**

1. You do not have to pay a fee if the only purpose of the variation for which you are applying is to avoid becoming liable for the late night levy.
2. Describe the premises. For example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information that could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies you must include a description of where the place is and its proximity to the premises.
3. In terms of specific regulated entertainments please note that:
  - Plays: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
  - Films: no licence is required for "not-for-profit" film exhibition held in community premises between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day provided that the audience does not exceed 500 and the organiser (a) gets consent to the screening from a person who is responsible for the premises and (b) ensures that each such screening abides by age classification ratings.
  - Indoor Sporting Events: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000.
  - Boxing or Wrestling: no licence is required for a contest, exhibition or display of Greco-Roman wrestling, or freestyle wrestling between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000. Combined fighting sports – defined as a contest, exhibition or display which combines boxing or wrestling with one or more martial arts – are licensable as a boxing or wrestling entertainment rather than an indoor sporting event.
  - Live music: no licence permission is required for:
    - A performance of unamplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, on any premises;
    - A performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500;
    - A performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a workplace that is not licensed to sell alcohol on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500;
    - A performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
    - A performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from (i) the local authority concerned or (ii) the school or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.
  - Recorded music: no licence permission is required for:
    - Any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
    - Any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.

- Any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school proprietor or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.
    - Dance: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500. However, a performance which amounts to adult entertainment remains licensable.
    - Cross activity exemptions: no licence is required between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, with no limit on audience size for:
      - Any entertainment taking place on the premises of the local authority where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the local authority;
      - Any entertainment taking place on the hospital premises of the health care provider where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the healthcare provider;
      - Any entertainment taking place on the premises of the school where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the school proprietor, and
      - Any entertainment (excluding films and boxing or wrestling taking place at a travelling circus, provided that (a) it takes place within a moveable structure that accommodates the audience, and (b) that the travelling circus has not been located on the same site for more than 28 consecutive days.
4. Where taking place in the building or other structure please tick as appropriate. Indoors may include a tent.
  5. For example state the type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.
  6. For example (but not exclusively), where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.
  7. For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day, e.g. Christmas Eve.
  8. Please give timings in 24-hour clock format (e.g. 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.
  9. If you wish people to be able to consume alcohol on the premises please tick on. If you wish people to be able to purchase alcohol to consume away from the premises please tick off. If you wish for people to be able to do both please tick both.
  10. Please give information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises, for example (but not exclusively) nudity or semi nudity, films of restricted age groups, the presence of gaming machines.
  11. Please list here the steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.
  12. The application must be signed.
  13. An applicant's agent (for example solicitor) may sign the form on their behalf provided that they have actual authority to do so.
  14. Where there is more than one applicant, the applicants or their respective agents must sign the application form.
  15. This is the address that we shall use to correspond with you about this application.



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21 MAY 2018

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF HEARING**

**Blackpool Licensing Service - Application for variation of premises licence**

Premises Name	La Casa
Hearing Date	30 May 2018
Hearing Time	6.00pm
Hearing Location	Town Hall, Talbot Square, Blackpool
Return "Response to Notice of Hearing" by	23 May 2018

I acknowledge receipt of the Notice of Hearing for the hearing detailed above.

I will attend the hearing	<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES	<input type="radio"/> NO
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I will be represented	<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES	<input type="radio"/> NO
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If YES Give details of your representative [Please print name]

MR. MAGDY ALY FARAG

I consider the hearing to be unnecessary	<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES	<input type="radio"/> NO
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I request permission for the person/s detailed below to attend the hearing:

Name of proposed attendee/s: [Please print name/s]

- MR. M. LAURANCE FLAT 2 55 QUEEN ST.

Brief description of the points that each proposed attendee may assist the panel:

attached 71 pages  
 (71)

Print Name (Your name)	A. ALY FARAG
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Usual Signature	
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Contact Telephone Number	07473964557	Fax Number	
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E-mail Address	Specialestmnh@yahoo.co.uk
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Date	21	04	18
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Dear sir/madam

I MAGDY ALY FARAG , WOULD LIKE TO STATE THE FOLLOWING FACTS

1- FROM THE FIRST DAY WE TOOK THE LEASE OF THE PLACE , WE TRY TO COMPLY WITH THE ALL REGULATIONS AND LAWS

- WE ARE A REGISTERED LTD COMPANY
- OUR SOLICITOR MR. DAVID OWEN
- OUR ACCOUNT LAYTON LAW ACCOUNTANT .

2- ON FEB- MARCH 2017 WE HAVE APPLIED TO EXTEND THE HOURS . WITCH BEEN REFUSED , WE BEEN INFORMED IT'S REFUSED BY POLICE I CONTACTED THE POLICE LICENCES DEP. TO DISCUSS IT . THEY ADVISED ME TO RUN THE PLACE FOR FEW MONTHS TO PROOF THAT WE ARE NOT CAUSING ANY TRUBLES TO POLICE. THEN WE CAN APPLY AGAIN .

3- WE OPENED ON AUGUST 2017 ONLY FOOD NO ALCOHOL AT ALL AND WE HAD NEVER BEEN IN TRUBLES AT ALL

4- BECAUSE OF THE LIMETED GRANTED HOURS WITCH NOT MATCHING WITH THE BUSINESS PEAK TIMES AROUND THE AREA . IT ONLY RESULT OF US LOOSING AND NOT EVEN COVERING OUR COST

5- FROM THE TIME WE STARTED UP TO NOW , WE ARE FACING SOME ISSUES WIT NEXT DOOR ( MARIOS TAKEAWAY ) WHO ALWAYS PUSH SOME ATHOURTEE AGAINIST US BECAUSE OF HIS DIRECT CONTACT RELATION WITH SOME OF THE BLACKPOOL LICENSING OFFICE . AT SEVERAL TIMES THEY CAME TO BUTHER US FOR NO REASON . SUCH AS RUBBISH AT THE BACK YARD , WITCH WAS TOTALLY NOT FROM US THE TENANTS ABOVE MARIOS TAKEAWAY KEPT IT IN OUR BACK YARD AND THEN CONTACTED THE LICENSING OFFICE TO GIVE US TRUBLES. WE HAD TO CLEAR AND CLEAN IT FEW TIMES ON OUR COST .

5- ON MARCH 2017 I CONTACTED THE COMIRICIAL WAST DEPARTMENT AT BLACKPOOL COUNCIL FOR A CONTRACT TO TRANSFER OUR WASTE . THE REPLY WAS NOT TAKING ANY NEW CONTRACT I THEN HAD TO GO FOR PRIVATE COMPANY ( FRESH START ) AND HAD A CONTRACT WITH THEM

6- FROM LATE OCT.2017 DURING THE WINTER AND LIMITED HOURS OF OUR LICENCE WE HAD TO CLOSE THE SHOP WE STILL PAYING FOR RENT AND UTILITIES.

7- ON MARCH 2018 WE SUBMITTED A FULL VARYATION TO EXTEND THE HOURS AS ALL OTHER SHOPS AROUND THE AREA

\_ I WAS TOLD AT THE COUNTER THAT I HAVE TO MEET WITH MR. MARK MARSHALL THE MANAGER BEFORE I SUBMIT MY APPLICATION ON THE MEETING MR MARSHAL HAD FIELD THE FORMS BY HIMSELF AND THEN I SUBMITTED THE APPLICATION

8- ON SATERDAY NIGHT 07/04/2018 WHILE IN THE 28 DAYS CONSULTATION PERIOD

I OPENED LACASA AT 23:00 BECAUSE THE AREA WAS BUSY FOR BUSINESS I WAS WORKING ALONE COULDN'T GET ANY STAFF DUE TO SHORT NOTICE

I HAD FEW CUSTOMERS CAME AROUND 02.40 AND PLACED THE ORDERS BEFORE 03:00 I HAD TO SERVE THEM IT TOOK ME ANOTHER 1 HOUR TO FINISH IT DIDN'T REALISE THE TIME AT ALL . I HAD NEVER THOUGHT TO BREAK ANY LAW OR TO BREACH THE LICENCE OBJECTIVS AND WE HAD NO TRUBLES AT THE NIGHT BUT ( MARIOS TAKEAWAY ) HAD SPY ON ME AND THE FOLLOWING DAY HE CONTACTED MR MARSHAL

9- ON APRIL 10 TH MR MARSHAL ASKED ME TO MEET AT THE SHOP WITH HIM AND MRS PARKINSON THE POLICE DEP. THEY ASKED TO VIEW THE CCTV ON THE NIGHT IF SAT.07/04 TO SUN 08/04 WITCH CAN SEE ME SERVING CUSTOMERS AFTER 03:00 I HAD EXPLAIN EXACTLY WHAT I DID. BUT I HAD NO ENTINTION TO BREACH ANY LAW . ESPECIALLY ON THAT TIME WHEN I'M WAITING TO VARY THE LICENCE. IF I REALLY MENT TO SERVE CUSTOMER AFTER MY HOURS . I COULD CLEAN MY CCTV . OR EVEN REPLAY THE REQUIST TO FIEW CCTV BY POWER CUT AT THE MEETING .

THE ONLY THING I REALLY DIDN'T MEAN TO BREACH THE LAW

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10- THE ONLY PUBLIC OBJECTED ON OUR APPLICATION MR. M LAURENCE OF FLAT 2, 55 QUEEN STREET I HAD NEVER SEEN BEFORE. AND ON THE FRIDAY THE DAY I RECEIVED THE HEARING NOTICE. I SEEN MR. LAURENCE WALKING PAST ME, HE ASKED ME WHERE IS LACASA THEN I KNEW THAT IT WAS HIM. I ASKED IF HE THE PERSON WHO OBJECTED. HE ANSWERD YES. WHAT REASON, SAID HE DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS MY SHOP. ( HE WAS TOLD TO ) BUT HE PROMISED TO SUPPORT MY APPLICATION.

12- IN REVIEW TO MR. LAURENCE OBJECTION IT'S ALL AGAINST MARIOS TAKEAWAY AND HOT STAFF TAKEAWAY WE AT LACASA. WE ARE FULLY LEGAL WE DON'T DEAL DRUGS. WE DONT LAUNDER MONEY. WE DONT APPROACH GIRLS.

13- WE BELIEVE THAT WE ARE ALMOST THE ONLY PLACE AROUND DICKSON ROAD WITCH IS FULLY LEGALIZED BY ALL MEANING.

14- MR MARSHAL STATEMENT I PERSONALLY DID WHAT I COULD TO COMPLY WITH ALL HIS REQUESTS RATHER THAN THE ONLY UNPLANNED MISTAKE ON APRIL 08TH NIGHT TO STAY AFTER 03:00

15- MRS PARKINSON STATEMENT.

- THE BUS STOP SHELTER IS NOT DIRECTLY OUTSIDE LACASA. IT'S OUTSIDE MARIOS

- THE NIGHT OF SATERDAY /SUNDAY 08 TH APRIL WAS REALLY UNPLANED MISTAKE WHEN LACASA WAS OPENED AFTER 03:00 NEVER HAPPENED BEFORE OR AFTER

- (( DUE TO POLICE CONCERN THAT MR FARAG'S PURE MOTIVE TO MAKE MONEY BUT THERE IS A WILLINGNESS TO DO IT AT WHATEVER THE COST ))

IT'S TOTALLY UNTRUE AND MRS PARKINSON MISS TRANSLATED WHAT I MENT TO SAY. ALSO WHAT IT THE MEANING OF BUSINESS DOESN'T IT MEAN MAKING MONEY. PROFIT

BUT I ASSURE THAT ALL OUR WAY OF MAKING MONEY ONLY IN CLEAN AND LEGAL WAY. NOTHING ELSE.

- IF WE OPEN BETWEEN 05:00 AND 07:00 AM WITCH STILL VERY BUSY TIME WITCH FALL OUTSIDE LICENSABLE HOURS, WOULD IT BE OK WITH THE POLICE, WOULDNT IT ADD TO THE CUMULATIVE IMPACT.

- IF WE THINK ONLY TO MAKE MONEY WHY DIDN'T WE OPEN AFTER 05:00 AS OTHER SHOPS. AND THEN NO POLICE OBJECT ON IT. THIS IS ENUGHT PROOF THAT MRS PARKINSON MISS TRANSLATED OUR SATUATION.

- WE DIDN'T EVEN SELL ALCOHOL WHILE WE CAN DO. IF WE ONLY THINK MONEY BUT WE BELIEVE THAT ALCOHOL CAUSING SOME ISSUES. THAT'S WHY WE DIDN'T SELL IT AT ALL.

- OUR APPLICATION ONLY TO ALLOW US TO OPEN UP TO 05:00 AM

DEAR SIR/MADAM PLEASE RECONSIDER OUR APPLICATION IN ORDER TO HELP US TO BUILD OUR FAMILY FUTURE. AS WE ARE HARD WORKING FAMILY WITH 2 DAUGHTERS ALL WHAT WE DO IS ONLY WORK TO MAKE OUR FAMILY LIFE BETTER.

WE ASSURE THAT WE WILL FULLY COMPLY WITH ALL REGULATIONS AND LAWS. WILL NEVER BREACH THE LICENCE OBJECTIVS AT ALL

THANK YOU  
Janafarag Ltd

A.A.Azzouz

Magdy aly farag

# FERNLEA

HOTEL

Fernlea Hotel,  
25 Lord Street,  
Blackpol,  
Lancashire,  
FY12BD,

To whom it may concern,

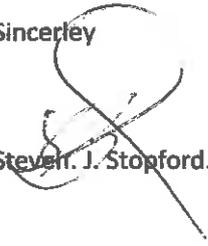
This is a letter of recomendation for La Casa Restaurant, Blackpool, 14 Dickson Rd, Blackpool, FY1 2AE.

As we run a busy hotel we often eat at La Casa resturant, blackpool, and have been very impressed with the food, service, and overall high standards of this business and always highly recommend La Casa to old, new guests, friends and family.

i confidently recommend La Casa Resturant to extend his hours for serving food upto 5am.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you would like to discuss this recommendation further.

Sincerley

  
Steven. J. Stopford.

To whom this may concern.

I am a regular customer at La casa and I live around the corner. The food and service is amazing, I eat there regularly and I always receive the best food and hospitality. It's a very clean and welcoming place with no trouble, I feel safe eating at La casa even with drunk people about and homeless people begging. The staff are always polite and respectful towards other staff and customers. They are most definitely suitable for a licence to stay open for longer hours to serve quality food and great service, in a safe and clean environment.

Yours truly  
Chelsea Mullins

Contact Number:

07934572743

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# H HAVEN FOODS LTD

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BLACKPOOL

FY1 5ED

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To whom it may concern

4/5/2018

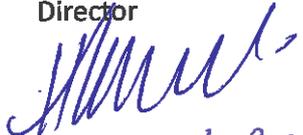
Dear Sir/Mdam

LACASA TAKEAWAY  
14 DICKSON ROAD  
BLACKPOOL

I am writing to confirm that LACASA TAKEAWAY is our customer ,we are supplying our best quality products (kebabs,burgers,pizza cheese)on regular bases to this takeaway.we have very good trade relations with the owner,so i found him very trustworthy person.

If you need any more information regarding this, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Director

  
HAROON RASMI  
4/5/2018

Maria Beatriz Jimena Bonillo

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- \* I'm a customer of "La Casa" take away at Dickson Road, I have been there a few times, the place is ~~cleaning~~ cleaned and safed.
- \* The food is clean and fresh
- \* I haven't seen any ~~p~~ problems at the shop.
- \* I don't think there is any reason not to grant "La casa" more hours to open.
- \* I support "La Casa" to be open more hours as the good Bussiness starts late at Dickson Road.

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Thank You xxx

Daniel putton

I am a local customer to LACASA Take way  
in dickson road I have been there sever times  
never met nay Erubble in side the shop  
I wish if the shop opens longer hores  
to ~~buy~~ buy my food after night out  
all my support to LACASA

THAKES

DANIEL PUTTON

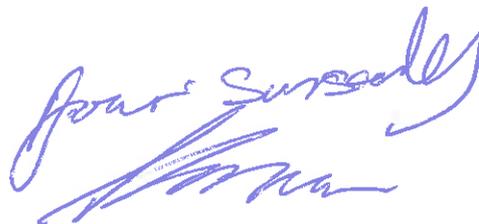
I STEVEN EKEN AM A CUSTOMER OF THE  
TAKE AWAY CALLED IACASA ON DIXON ROAD  
AND I REGULARLY AND I BUY STUFF FROM THERE quite  
often AND I DON'T SEE WHY THERE SHOULD  
BE ANY PROBLEMS WITH THE LICENSING

  
STEVEN EKEN

TEL: 07943 884627

Mr John Turner  
704 Swille R.D.  
Blackpool  
LANCS  
FY1 6ST

I am local to Blackpool and after  
on evenings out, I frequently visit La-CASA on  
Dixon Rd, I have found it to be very clean and  
the food is cooked in front of you, to see it  
prepared is the best for me.  
At the restaurant staff are friendly and helpful.  
I would highly support La-CASA to be able to  
stay open late as others.

Yours Sincerely  


To whom it may concern,

I am writing in regard to the restaurant La Casa, I am a regular customer & neighbour, only living across the road. The food & service here is impeccable, I eat here regularly & always receive quality food that I have watched be prepared in a clean & safe environment. There is never any trouble here as there is with other take aways & restaurants in this area. The staff are always polite & respectful when interacting with customers/members of the public. Living in Blackpool all my life I have eaten from many of the local take aways/restaurants & La Casa is by far one of the cleanest, friendliest, & enjoyable places to eat. I feel they are more than suitable for a licence to allow them to stay open later as they will cause/tolerate no trouble, & only provide quality food & service in a pleasant & hygienic environment.

Yours faithfully,

Georgia Woods

D. A. LANGTON  
FLAT 7  
71 DICKSON Rd.  
BLACKPOOL  
FY1-2BX  
07745-308-374.

Dear Sir;

I have been a regular customer since Mr Farag opened the "LA CASA" I have never seen any trouble in this establishment at any time I have been in. the LA CASA, This is the only "Take away" on Dickson Road that I can honestly feel safe at 0200 in the morning when I have finished work as a barman.

Yours faithfully

D. A. Langton

MY NAME IS PAUL JACONELLI  
I RESIDE AT 312 LYTHAM ROAD, RP022  
I AM A CUSTOMER AT LACASA TAKEAWAY/RESTAURANT  
AT DICKSON ROAD  
EVERY TIME I VISIT THE SHOP THE FOOD  
IS OUTSTANDING AND PREMISES IS VERY CLEAN  
I HAVE NEVER SEEN ANY TROUBLE INSIDE  
THE SHOP,  
I HIGHLY SUPPORT LACASA APPLICATION FOR  
LONGER HOURS

YOUR FAITHFULLY

Paul Cona 

07400-991-509

I, POPPY DAZZLER

WRITING IN SUPPORT FOR LACASA TAKEAWAY  
AT 14 DICKSON RD. AS I'M A CUSTOMER.  
MOST OF TIME I REALLY ENJOY THE FOOD  
AND ATMOSPHERE

I have never seen or met any trouble  
at Lacasa Takeaway

I strongly support LACASA to open  
for late night refreshment  
AS IT'S A KIND OF SHOP WE REALLY  
NEED AT THIS TOWN

Thank's

Poppy

Connors

02486134198

N V. Bond

To whom it may concern,  
I as a 3rd Party am writing  
a letter to Recommend that local  
(14 Dickson Road) is able to open  
~~the~~ till Sam because as a local,  
customer and work in Casey's bar  
with my personal licence (no PL3349)  
also with my colleague (no PA4156)  
can honestly say, is in a prime  
position to help local businesses in  
the area. If any further information  
is needed contact

Patrick Jarvis  
on  
07542937488.

Kind Regards

Patrick Jarvis

+

Declan Radcliffe,





**BASIC DISCLOSURE**

Criminal conviction certificate issued under section 112 of the Police Act 1997

MR MAGDY ABDEL RAHMAN ALY FARAG  
C/O NATIONAL HOSPITALITY ACADEMY  
UNIT 1 BLACKPOOL TECHNOLOGY CENT  
FARADAY WAY BLACKPOOL  
LANCASIRE  
FY2 0JW  
UNITED KINGDOM

Disclosure Number: 200000009655358  
Date of Issue: 14/02/2018  
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**Applicant Personal Details**

Surname: ALY FARAG  
Forename(s): MAGDY ABDEL RAHMAN  
Date of Birth: 17/09/1967

All basic disclosure certificates are issued under section 112 of the Police Act 1997. A certificate either contains information about every conviction of an applicant or states that there is no such conviction. Conviction takes its meaning from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974, but it does not include any spent conviction. The Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 sets out rehabilitation periods after which convictions may become spent; different rehabilitation periods apply in England and Wales and in Scotland.

For an application where the home address of the applicant is in England or Wales, the application has been processed under the version of section 112 of the Police Act 1997 and the rehabilitation periods in section 5 of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 that apply in England and Wales.

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**Convictions**

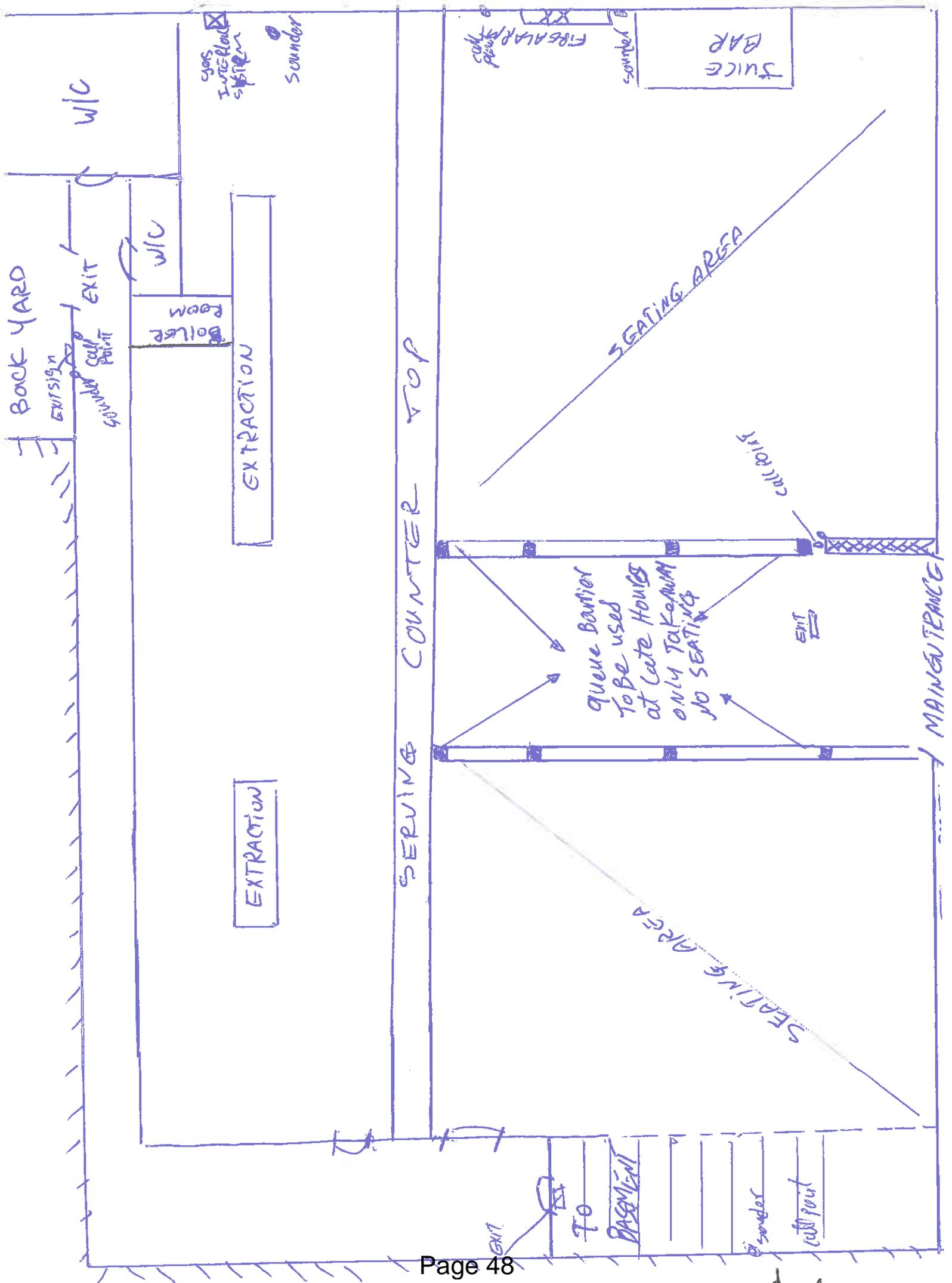
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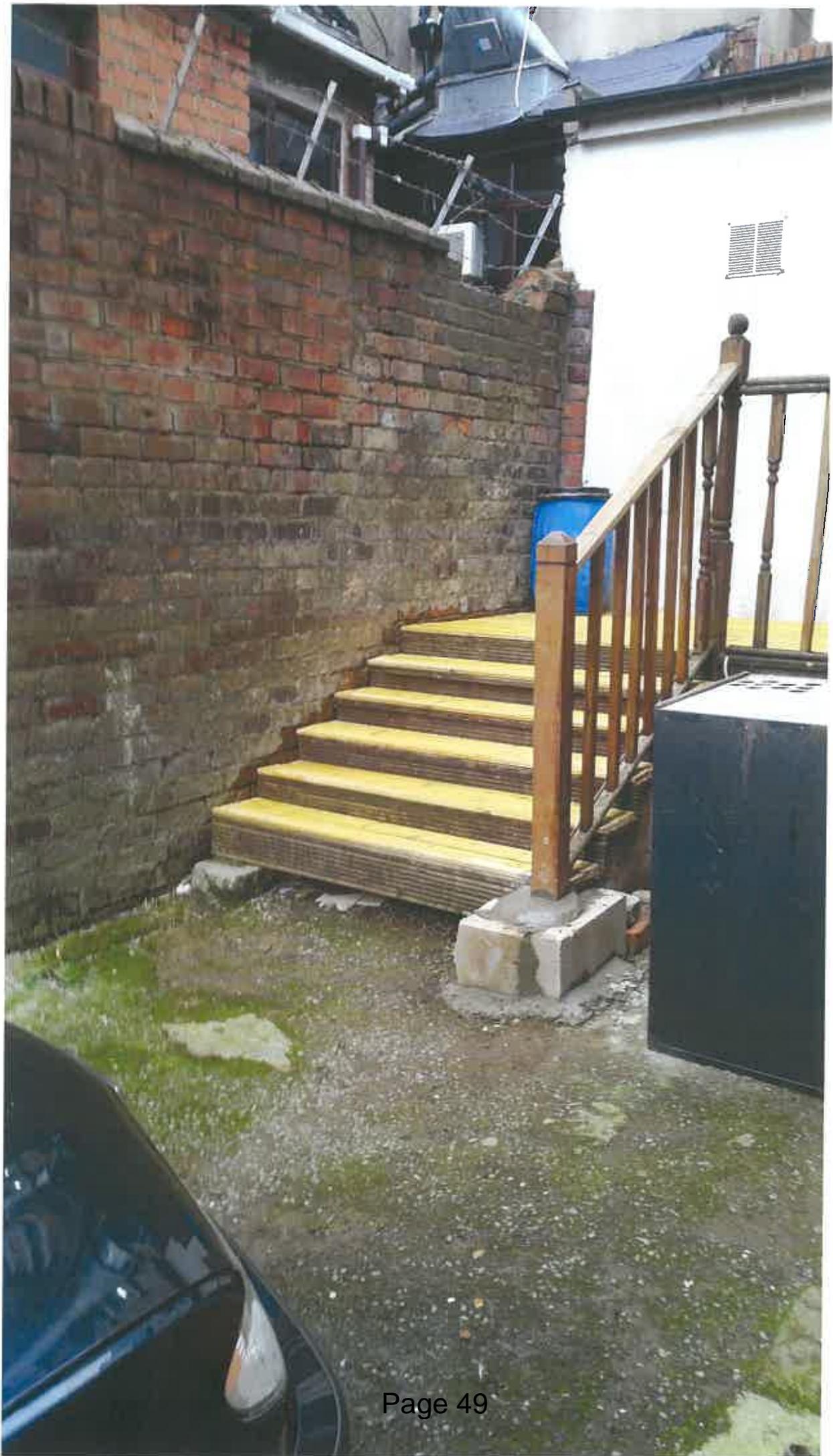


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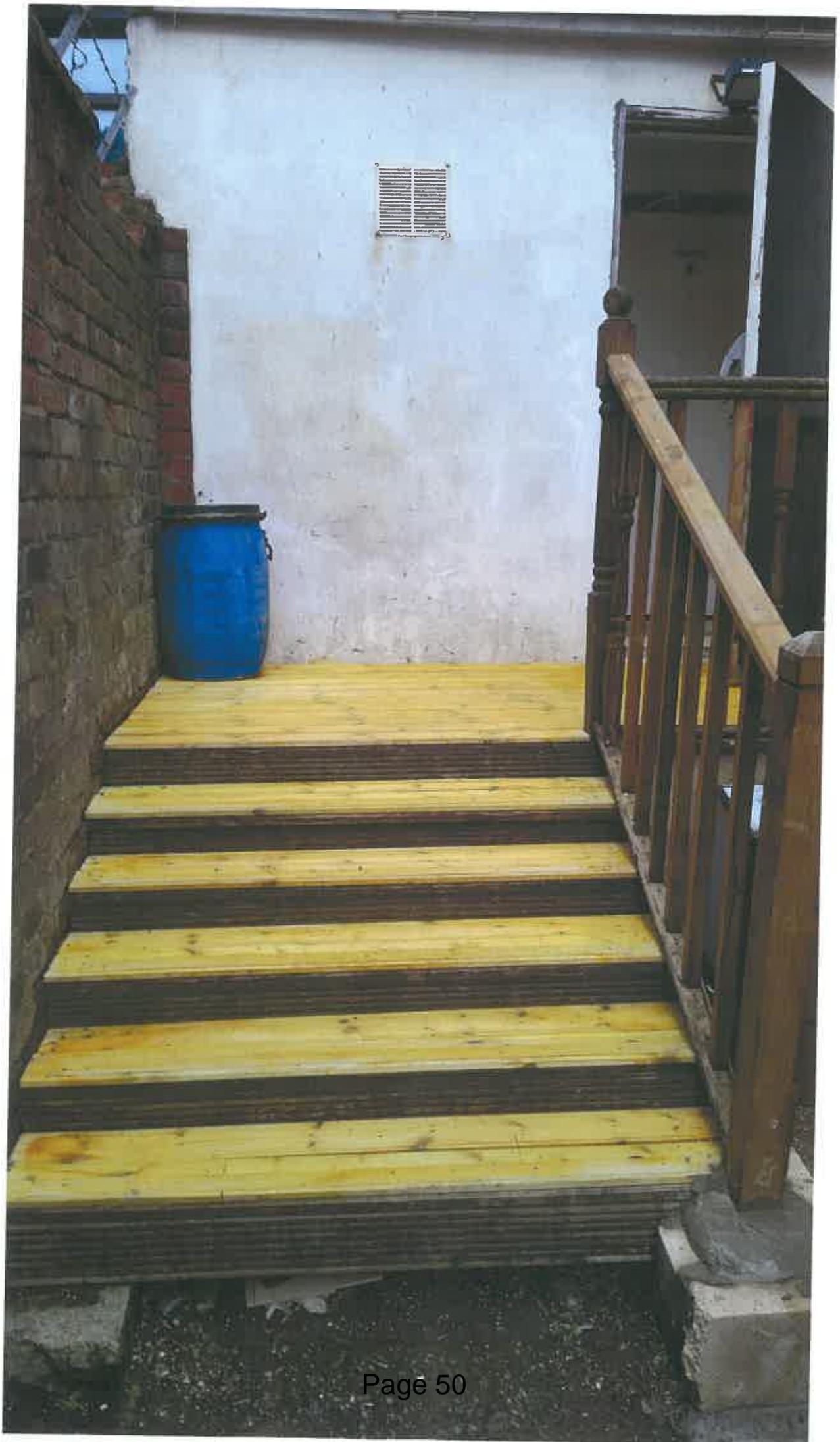
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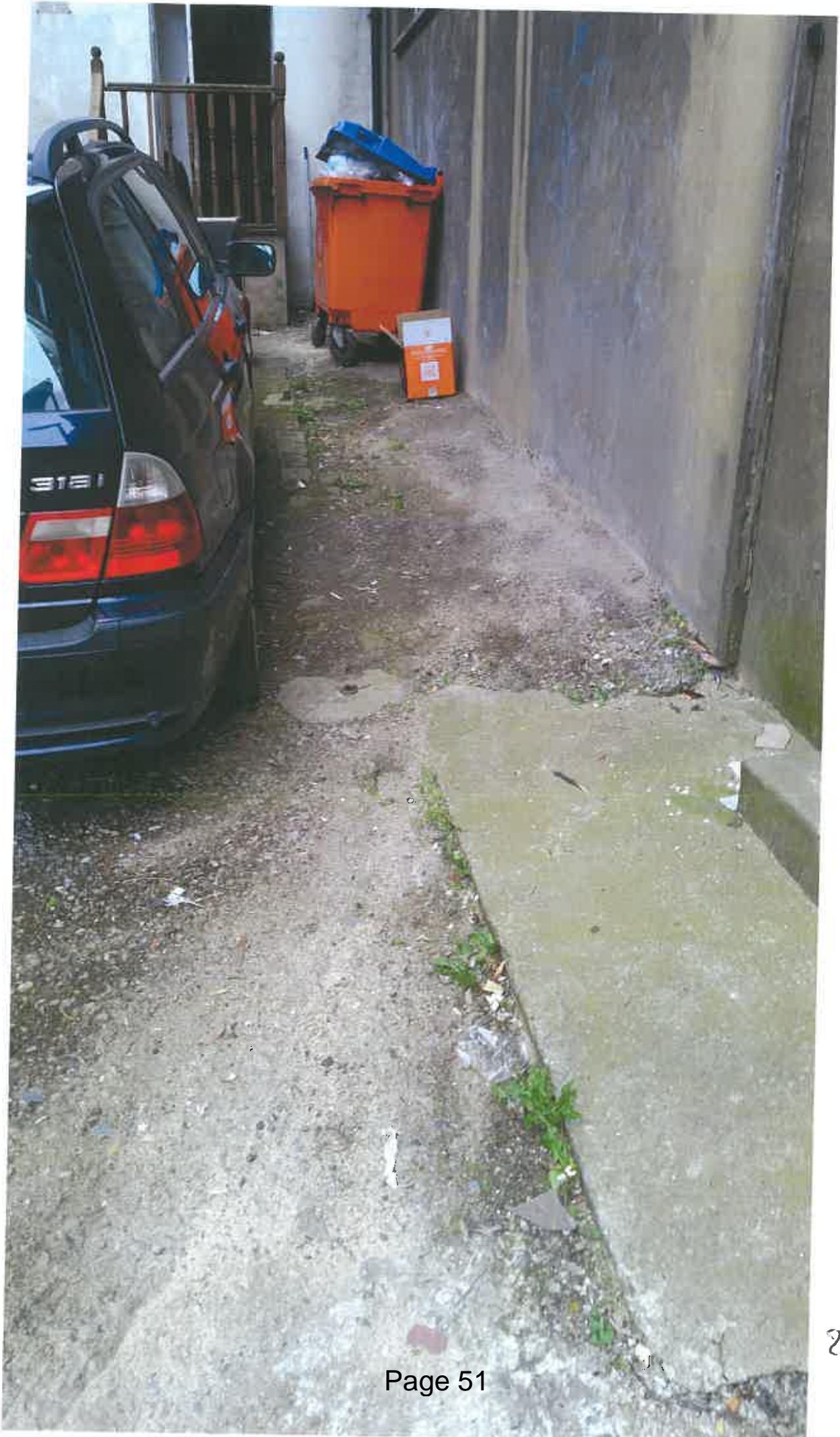


17/06/21



18/21





15/02



15/12



22/21



**The Royal Society**  
*for the*  
**Promotion of Health**

This is to certify that

**Magdy Farag**  
has been awarded

**Food Hygiene Certificate**  
*Stage 2a Essential Food Hygiene*

Established 1876



PATRON: HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN

Course organiser

*For The Royal Society for the Promotion of Health*

Certificate No.

10017795

Date

28 March 2002  
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Chartered  
Institute of  
Environmental  
Health

# Basic Health & Safety Certificate

*Magdy Alyfarag*

has completed a course of health & safety  
training and has achieved a  
satisfactory degree of competence in the  
assessment which concluded the course

Course Director

Date

*25th March 2002*

Centre

*H53328*

Certificate Number

*3676373*

*BPKama*

President

Chartered Institute of  
Environmental Health



**Highfield Awarding Body for Compliance**

Certifies that

*Magdy A Aly Farag*

has successfully passed an assessment in  
**HABC Level 2 Award in Health and Safety  
in the Workplace (QCF)**

Date of assessment 13 March 2015

Date of award 13 April 2015

Certificate number 1861836

Course Director

Castle View Recruitment/Nursery  
Ltd

Training Organisation



Jason Sprenger - Chief Executive  
Highfield Awarding Body for Compliance

Qualification number

600/0598/1

Regulated by

**Ofqual**

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Welsh Government



This is to Certify that

**Magdy Aly Farag**

Has Achieved

**Level 1 Award in Understanding Enterprise**

**601/4051/3**

This holder has a number of formal Unit  
Credits by which this Award was achieved

Awarded 04-08-2015

Certificate No. 1NTNGISNEA064

**Nic Preston**  
Chief Executive  
SFEDI Awards



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Welsh Government

**Functional Skills qualification in Information and Communication  
Technology (ICT) at Entry 3  
501/0638/7**

is awarded to  
**Majdy Abdelrhman Alyfarag**

who attended  
**Blackpool and The Fylde College**

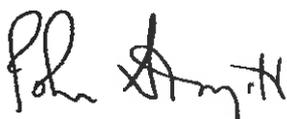
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Awarded 04 June 2014

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**REPLACEMENT**



**Sir John Armitt, CBE FREng FCGI  
Chairman  
The City and Guilds of London Institute**



**Chris Jones  
Director-General  
The City and Guilds of London Institute**



**Llywodraeth Cymru  
Welsh Government**





This is to certify that

**Magdy Alyfarag**

Has successfully achieved the following

**BCS Level 1 ECDL Award  
in IT User Skills (QCF)**

David Clarke  
Chief Executive

21-August-2014  
BCS ID BCS106597260

The following unit/s and credit/s have been awarded :

Unit Title	Accreditation No	Level	Credits
IT Security for Users	R/502/4256	1	1
IT User Fundamentals	J/502/4206	1	3
Using E-mail	J/502/4299	1	2
Using the Internet	T/502/4296	1	3

National Accreditation Number: 601/0633/5

1464/826

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**BLACKPOOL  
SAFEGUARDING  
CHILDREN BOARD**

## Certificate of Attendance

### Child Sexual Exploitation Hospitality Briefing

This is to certify that

*Magdy A. PARAG.*

Completed the above training  
course on:  
Tuesday 8th November 2016

#### Training aim:

To raise awareness and provide participants  
with the knowledge, skills and confidence that is  
required to support young people around Child  
Sexual Exploitation.

*P. Whredball*

Signed  
Business Development Manager

\* I been here is very nice food  
really nice staff  
I like this place  
xx Thank you

\*

I like this man as he is  
making me Ganic halloumi. cheese  
and Ganic bread Love you for  
making me a great mood.

Thank you  
xoxo

Top Top!

We hope  
in Wales

25/8/17

Very friendly staff cooked my food on the spot from an off the menu option. Definatly come again before I leave

25.8.17.

25/8/17 very friendly service. And extremely  
~~accomod~~ accomodating over orders.  
Will visit again.

24/8/17

Food was really good and served  
a time - the - well - the bar ~~was~~

Really good food - Kebab & Curry,  
Good value.

24/8/17

Very welcoming. Liked that we could eat in.  
My Chicken (cash wings) were great, as were the chips  
Very friendly. No complaints!  
Rice was nice, maybe a few more veg would be nice.  
Good mixture of options from around the world.  
Generous portions. Nice Seating area.

The Hummous was great... good portion &  
the curly fries were great, also a good portion  
The Host was very welcoming. Will definitely be  
coming back.

2518117

absolutely divine  
full of flavour and spice and  
the best breads i've ever had!

hey hun.

your food is delightful.  
your flavour is divine!

what can i say  
you cook better than me!

The

Flynn's

X

25/8/17

Amazing food  
and  
fantastic atmosphere

X  Joey + Jose

1.3/09/17

Very clean and very helpful staff well recommended

hardly good  
for Big Time  
~~xxxx~~



Lovely food  
great service  
clean place



26/8/17

Every good Customer Services  
welcoming staff  
xxx  
Sullis

My pizza was good thank you  
great service, staff. Brilliant for my  
first night in Blackpool thank-you again  
xxx

Trudly

2618117

W not can / say --- Awesomeson 1/2

♡ ♡ ♡  
♡ ♡ ♡

26/8/17

Had a great donor kebab + at last something  
Vegetarian for my husband. Well cooked +  
tasty.

Thank-you 😊

10/10 Food was lovely + Staff was  
friendly.

Thanks.

Staff really friendly

Food really good

- well worth a visit!

Thanks

2618117

Customer service assistant (blonde lady) is the nicest person ever,  
made my experience so much better! Hope the food is  
as lovely as her!  
good prices, lovely staff, definitely coming back.

26/8/17

Lovely fresh food

D Embleron

Dunha

26/8/17

Lovely staff, great food - one of the best takeaways  
in Blackpool, defo worth recommending.  
We live in Blackpool,



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- The wrap - chicken was very succulent +  
fresh + well seasoned → The wrap  
can make use of salad - like lettuce  
for extra crunch! But it was good!

27/8/17

Very Welcoming Staff.

Nice food.

Kebab fresh. !!!

Keep it up

Female Staff Deserve to be  
Spoken to Better by Men  
or owners —

Very welcoming and helpful Staff.  
Food Smells lovely.

Jo is lovely ... x x x

Thank you Jo for a lovely experience!

28/8/2017

one off the best new  
openings of a food outlet  
since 2015 well done. 3.1.0

28<sup>th</sup> / 8 / 17

We Been here 5 times and everytime  
The food has Been lovely and all  
Staff are friendly Very good food  
For the prices I send all my  
Hotel Staff here ~~for~~ there food  
Will Be coming here from now  
on BEST PLACE IN  
Blackpool

Fernlea hotel

~~Customer~~

29/8/17

\* Fantastic food

\* nice and sweet staff

29/8/17

Absolutely beautiful food.  
Awesome staff.

Paul (Hawthorpe).

30/08/17 - Lovely food + Delicious.

Great Staff

Would come again.

SHEIKH Family from London.

30/8/17

Excellent Sweet chilli chicken with  
fried RICE, Loads of flavour!

great WRAP TOO 😊

TOP CLASS customer SERVICE  
Will Definatly Be Back,

Ellen + Kieran

Rockcliffe Hotel

N-promenade!

50/71

3/18/12

Lovely meal and very nice music  
to be serenaded to us too. Thank you  
very much Kim + Sarah Liverpool

~~01/19/12~~  
A Awesome meal! Thank you very much! Justin

01/09/12

Lovely atmosphere, great food and great staff  
will definately be returning,

Thank you La Casa X

02/09/17

Really nice place ~~fast~~ friendly custom.  
and Great food will Definatly be  
backe

02/09/17

lovely blessed atmosphere and the food was excellent - highly recommended.

Malcolm - haworth  
Ive - Ipswich

5/19/17

Jamaican Jerk Chicken was spot on,  
really good! And now lace bones here  
Thai green curry 😊 plus, really friendly!

Stephen

Kayleigh

5/19/17

Jo was Excellent !!  
Excellent food, fab Kebab.

Jerk Chicken wing best  
we have had in blackpool.

Will definitely be coming back  
again!

Becki & Colin ∞

8/9/17

FIRST TIME IN BLACKPOOL FOR 21 YEARS -  
BROUGHT A FRIEND. FIRST EXPERIENCE OF A  
CHICKEN KEBAB OUTSIDE OF NEWPORT (S. WALES  
OH MY GOD! NOW I KNOW WHY I DON'T  
ORDER THEM AT HOME! ABSOLUTELY  
GORGEOUS. FOOD FULL OF FLAVOUR, NO FAT  
OR GRISTLE. DIDN'T LEAVE THE PREMISES  
TO EAT AS THEY HAD 5 STAR ENTERTAINMENT  
ON SITE WHICH WAS SUPERB!

THANKS SO MUCH LISA XD

8-9-17.

Travelled all day from South  
Wales to Blackpool. Finally ticked  
off my Bucket list - had a lovely  
evening in funny Curls followed  
by a trip here to "LA CASA"!!  
WALKED IN TO A GUY - (KEVIN)  
SINGING ON THE MIC - EXCELLENT  
ENTERTAINMENT WHILST WE WAITED  
FOR FOOD. FOOD WE ORDERED WAS DELISH...  
CHICKEN SOUCRENT, SALAD FRESH. FRIENDLY  
STAFF.... WILL RETURN NEXT TIME!  
THANKS ... X L,

9/9/17

Lowkey man, great food and very good price. Will come back.

GREAT FOOD PIZZA WAS  
THE BEST ~~John~~

Very Good JOHN HONNELL of ST Anne's  
on Sat. Very nice man.

Very good service, - relaxed and nice  
natured staff. - great food - I had  
chicken kebabs - which tasted great.

10/19/12

Absolutely the top food I have  
tasted in years - Rightly recommends  
Robert - local. local.

You can't go wrong here fresh - and  
with a kick about it. <sup>is.</sup>  
The best ever (top chef)

Your cheeseburgers are on  
top #Winning

11/9/17

Food is the best takeaway + sit  
down Venu. Very Clean!  
Staff are friendly and helpful.  
Overall a very professional establishment  
with good Clientel.  
New favourite Place in town.

Jh. x

12/9/17

Excellent food + service, freshly  
cooked. + clean throughout.  
Shella + friends x

15/9/17

Entertainment was ok while waiting  
for food. ~~At~~

Better than listening to nothing!!

Nice bloke though 😊

Would be better if he took requests. A man!

15/9/17

EXCELLENT Staff  
Really friendly made me  
and my partner very happy

16/9/17

Excellent Service lovely Staff  
mediterranean meal very good,  
we will call in again,  
and we are from Manchester

16/9/17

Very friendly service - nothing was too much trouble.

I've been coming to Blackpool for the last 11 (ELEVEN) years and lived in Blackpool since 2012, this is the best takeaway I've ever had at 0300 in the morning.

BRILLIANT THE BEST - REAL ALE DAVE ☺

19/9/17

Excellent Staff Magdy & Kevin very friendly we felt safe protecting us from stranger drunken man as the man interrupting us while we ordering foods, He explained all the Menus, ingredients, and cooked in front of us, we also enjoyed the music by Kevin we had a wonderful time and would recommend the restaurant. We enjoyed watching Magdy cook the food and had some great fun with the games.

Mara & Julietta

Thank you Guys

Well done 😊 😊

20.9.17 of John Donnelly, 15, Birkinale Ave. ST ANNES on SEA, Also part of High Ry.

Leytonstone London. Also Grossman & Carrickmross (UK Ltd). Licensed with the British Boxing Board of Control & the Irish Boxing Union. Speak very highly of this Establishment, the Continental Orientals & all kinds of superb Irish is second to none. The Establishment is in a strategic position & should have a late licence, there is no trouble here as it is well policed & look after, nobody would dare to cause any trouble. Boxing is making a great comeback. It is an entertainment capital & I advise a lot of affordable house spring up on the quilt! The right sort of people are moving in around the town. John Donnelly

20/11/17

First time Been in here omg.  
Shoud be Newly Wca Staff lovely  
Very friendly loved it. will come back  
again thank you so much,



23/09/17

Amazing Staff, very friendly and accomadating  
First time ~~as~~ Customer, will definitely come  
again, very happy with the Service + Selection  
of food for vegetarians.

Live has x.

28/9/2017

Had a American street Mistle burger  
and a salt and pepper curly fries which  
were excellent! Jason

28/9/2017

Tokyo spicy Soba noodles would be better if they are not cut into short ones. But the taste is really good!!

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September

Family of 5. Very Friendly staff.  
Amazing food, really enjoyed the  
food and atmosphere. Thank-you so much.  
We will be back again. 😊

Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017

Very helpful & very clean.  
Good service & very friendly.  
Good portion of food.  
Will be back 😊

←  
NUTTE  
Chae & Jai

DU  
Durumagi

Chezza + Paul.

7/10/17

Wynnie Service-

Love Chckin

YVY.

You work here, we can

See

YVY.

7/10/17

Great food. Sexy magdy!

The best pizza in town.  
100% mozzarella.

Great service, great smile, we'll be back  
very soon.

Many thanks  
Fab Swingers  
aka Swingers Away Socials.com

13<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017

ordered. Thai Green Curry so  
spicy but lovely food. Will come back  
when next here. lovely guy.

katsue curry was really nice

3/11.

LIVING IN THAILAND 6 MONTHS EACH YEAR  
I TRIED THIS PLACE FOR THE FIRST TIME.  
VERY CLEAN BUT WHAT REALLY IMPRESSED ME  
WAS THE FRIENDLY STAFF AND THE FOOD WAS NOT  
TO BE BEATEN. VERY IMPRESSED AND WILL COME  
HERE AGAIN ON MY NEXT VISIT.  
IF I WAS ASKED TO MARK OUT OF TEN IT WOULD BE  
10.

NICK FROM BANGKOK.

Food wonderful the staff  
are all amazing

councillor Samantha Bellamy

LOOKS clean, smells clean  
foods, clean

LOVE Vicky Wilson  
xxx

18/11/2017

I tried this place what a taste and  
so much diffienbinty to the food cant  
get better its even cooked in front of you  
and what does anyone hate  
bland food this is the  
opposite of that

DAIR

Amazing food. Polite staff. Quick  
service. Clean nicely decorated.  
eating area

Angie from Leeds.  
CHINA

NICE FOOD, NICE STAFF, NICE CUSTOMER

BIG STEVE FROM MY MOTHERS WORK

~~Big Steve~~

<b>Blackpool Council Licensing Service</b>				
Representation made by a Responsible Authority to an application for the grant / variation of a Premises Licence / Club Premises Certificate				
<b>Responsible Authority</b>				
Name of Responsible Authority	<b>LANCASHIRE CONSTABULARY</b>			
Name of Officer <i>(please print)</i>	PS1747 Helen Parkinson			
Signature of Officer				
Contact telephone number	<b>01253 604074</b>			
Date representation made	<b>12</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>18</b>	
Do you consider mediation to be appropriate			NO	
<b>Premises Details</b>				
Premises Name	<b>La Casa</b>			
Address	14 Dickson Road			
	Blackpool			
	Lancashire			
Post Code	FY1 2AE			
<b>Reasons for making representations</b>				
<p>I am in receipt of an application for a Major Variation to the Premises Licence for the above address.</p> <p>The variation includes increasing the hours for Late Night Refreshments until 05:00.</p> <p>On behalf of the Chief Officer of Police, having reviewed the application the Police make formal objections on the following grounds:</p> <p>The police base this objection on the following points:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The premise falls within the current Town Centre Saturation area as part of the Council's Cumulative Impact Policy.</li> <li>2) The number of current issues around crime and disorder the area is experiencing.</li> <li>3) A significant Licence breach at the premises themselves.</li> </ol> <p>When the current Saturation area was reviewed in 2013 a large part was removed leaving only those areas which currently require significant resourcing from police and other responsible authorities and the area where La Casa is located remains within this area. The issues in this area of the Town Centre are mainly caused due to the behaviour of customers of all the premises together and not just one individual venue due to high concentration of late night licences already in place, both on-licences and take-aways. The Cumulative Impact Policy applies to applications to vary existing licences, as well</p>				

as new licences, where modifications are directly relevant to this issue. Police believe that in this case, an extension to current trading hours will have a detrimental impact.

It is not only the number of on-licences that impact on the amount of crime and disorder and Public nuisance that is received but also the number of take-aways with late night licences in a vicinity. Take-aways increase the number of people that gather in the area into the early hours, once they have left the drinking establishment. It provides a haven for people to hang around and once outside licensed venues where they are no longer supervised as closely disorder breaks out.

This has recently been recognised by Blackpool Council as in their current statement of Licensing policy (2015-2019) point 4.7.3 states:

*Due to concerns about crime & disorder and anti-social behaviour arising from the number of takeaways in the area, the town centre saturation area is to be extended to include applications for late night refreshment.*

This area around Dickson Road and Queen Street is the most problematic area for Police in relation to alcohol related Crime and disorder in the whole of the Town Centre. This is due to a number of reasons: this area has the two latest on-licensed venues and a number of take-aways that remain open into the early daytime hours. The combination of drunk people and hot food attract a large number of revellers. There is also a bus stop directly outside La Casa where many will seek shelter whilst they eat their food. Also into the early hours there are less Emergency Services' resources.

Between 1<sup>st</sup> August 2017 and 31<sup>st</sup> March 2018 police have identified 273 recorded incidents within the close vicinity to La Casa on Dickson Road, as shown in the map below (FIG. 1) between the hours of 02:00 – 07:00. As a point of reference Flamingo Nightclub is indicated with a pink dot.



FIG.1

These incidents range from public order, nuisance, concerns for safety, assault and suspicious circumstances. 38% of these 273 incidents have been recorded between 2-4am, 23% between 4-5am and 39% between 5-7am. As can be seen from the map this is an extremely small concentrated area to have this number of incidents.

Examples of incidents within the highlighted area around Dickson Road are as follows:

LC-20171001-0356 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 2017 at 04:55 Dickson Road  
Ambulance has had a call from a female who saw a male lying on the floor outside Wilko's. They have been told that he had been kicked in the head but had also taken Spice.

LC-20171001-0414 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 2017 at 06:32 Dickson Road  
Fight outside Wilkos, 12 people involved, all male. No injuries but getting out of control. Crime No WA1718091 refers

LC-20171027-0186 27<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017 at 05:59 Dickson Road  
Ambulance attending a report of a 25 year old male having been punched to the head. Offender has left the area, Crime No WA1719732 refers

LC-20171029-0426 29<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017 at 06:44 Dickson Road  
2 males fighting, group of 8 surrounding the, some girls trying to stop it. Crime No WA1719825 refers

LC-20171106-0125 6<sup>th</sup> Nov 2017 at 03:15 Dickson Road  
There is a group of males and females with crow bars; they are walking up Dickson Road. They had pieces of wood as well.

LC-20171216-0322 16<sup>th</sup> Dec 2017 at 04:52 Flamingos, Queen St  
There are a number of people fighting. They are at the back entrance of Flamingos. They have come spilling out of the Club and are fighting.

LC-20180123-0144 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan 2018 at 05:04 Kaos, Queen St  
Officer reports having pava'd someone outside Kaos. Male and female arrested. The female is banging her head against the cage requiring officer assistance in custody.

LC-20180214-04:14 14<sup>th</sup> Feb 2018 at 04:14 Flamingos, Queen St  
A large male is kicking off; he has been kicked out of the Club. Informant advised Police need to hurry up because this male is going 'absolutely nuts'. Caller could hear male shouting in the background.

LC-20180312-0091 12<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at 03:05 Dickson Rd  
Caller is a taxi driver and states that there is a male they are refusing to take as he is being abusive. As a result he has threatened to smash his windows. The male is now on Queen St opposite Kaos. He has threatened 6 taxi drivers.

LC-20180319-0112 19<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at 06:30 Dickson Rd  
Inft reporting her son has been assaulted in a takeaway. He was trying to pay for his pizza, his card was declined. Then a female squared up to him, so he held his receipt to her face, and then he got punched on the side of the head by her friend.

LC-20180407-0299 7<sup>th</sup> April 2018 at 06:18 Dickson Rd  
There is a fight ongoing about 20 people involved. Females and males, outside Boozebusters, Inft can't see any weapon. They are in the road fighting.

LC-20180410-0159,0160,0161 10<sup>th</sup> April 2018 at 06:07 Dickson Rd  
Fight – at least 50 people – the instigator 6ft is now unconscious. Guy who hit him is wearing a camouflage jacket. A male has been overheard saying he was going home to a get a knife. He is bleeding from his head and eyes.

Police and Council have been working hard in this area for around 5 years now and in that time an on-licence venue and several take-aways have been reviewed to try to help tackle the problem, however the issues continue.

In June and July 2017 Licensing were receiving regular reports regarding issues around the area of the top end of Queen Street and Dickson Road. As a consequence joint visits took place in the early hours to ascertain the extent of the problem. Following these visits, on 28<sup>th</sup> September two take-aways directly across the road from La Casa were taken to review due to issues with compliance with licensing conditions alongside the amount of crime and disorder in the area. Both premises had their late night refreshment licences reduced to 3am. Both premises appealed the decision but then withdrew in March this year when the appeal was due to be heard at Magistrates Court.

In December 2017 Police ran a further evidence gathering Operation in the area to ascertain whether it was certain premises in particular causing the issues or the cumulative effect of all of them together. The Operation came at a cost to Police, as resources are lower between 3-7am it had to be run on overtime. The Operation did result in some breaches being highlighted, however, through spending time in the area during these peak times, it was evident that the main issue stems from the 'perfect storm' these premises jointly create: two very late night venues and four take-aways resulting in many drunken people, hovering around an area, getting food and mixing together. One more would just enhance the problem further.

It is accepted that the lack of police resources at the later time will contribute to the issues with Crime and disorder but at the same time it must be noted that it is a premise's choice to open at the more high-risk times and it isn't the Police's responsibility to 'Police their Licence', Police shouldn't be expected to put provide more resources because a venue wishes to open later.

As previously mentioned, two premises with late-night refreshment licences were recently reviewed due to licence breaches as well as the issues in the area. This area demands Licence holders of the highest quality, with the upkeep of the licensing objectives foremost in their working ethic, to manage such a problem area.

On Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2018 at 13:00 I attended La Casa in company with Mark Marshall, Licensing Manager for Blackpool Council, to speak to owner and DPS Mr Magdy Aly Farag. Whilst at the premises Mr Marshall asked Mr Aly Farag to operate the CCTV system and playback from the previous Saturday night at approx. 03:15hours (8<sup>th</sup> April). La Casa currently only has a late night refreshment licence until 03:00hours on a Friday and Saturday night.

**Premises Open Hours Requested**

	<b>Time From</b>	<b>Time To</b>
Sunday – Thursday	17:30	01:00
Friday – Saturday	17:30	03:00

**Activities - Times Requested**

	<b>Time From</b>	<b>Time To</b>
<b>F. Playing of recorded music (Indoors)</b>		
Sunday - Thursday	17:30	01:00
Friday - Saturday	17:30	03:00
<b>I. Late night refreshment (Indoors)</b>		
Sunday - Thursday	23:00	01:00
Friday - Saturday	23:00	03:00
<b>J. Supply of alcohol for consumption ON the premises only</b>		
Sunday - Thursday	17:30	01:00
Friday - Saturday	17:30	03:00

On playing back the CCTV it could clearly be seen that Mr Aly Farag was serving customers well after the 03:00 terminal hour (shown in the photos below) and only started to close up the premises around 04:15hour. This in breach of his licensable hours.

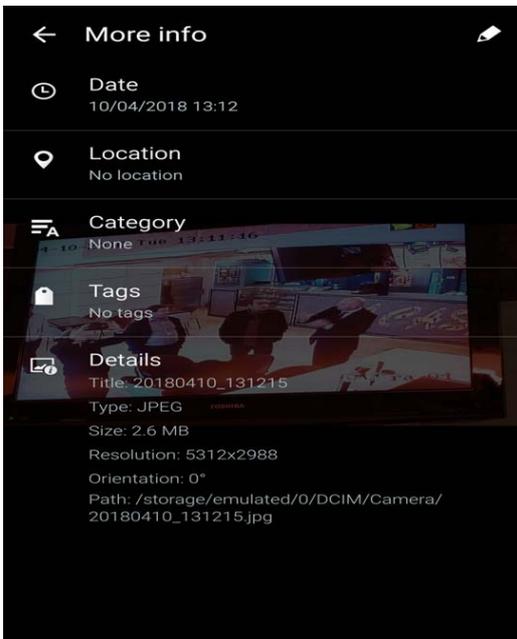


The first picture shows Mr Aly Farag cooking food with customers stood at the counter and also some sat at tables at 03:37 hours.

The second photo shows a group sat inside at 03:58 with food and another inside still waiting for food.

When asked about the footage Mr Aly Farag firstly stated that he has never breached any licensing conditions and claimed that he hadn't altered his clocks from two weeks previously when they changed to British Summer Time, so he states it is actually 02:58 in picture 2. It was pointed out to Mr Aly Farag that the clocks moved forward on 24<sup>th</sup> March, not backwards, so if the clocks on the CCTV hadn't been changed the time would actually be 04:58.

To confirm the accuracy on the clock timings I took a picture in real time whilst at the premises and matched it to the clock on my Samsung device. The pictures below confirms the timings on Mr Aly Farag's CCTV are accurate:



The picture was recorded as being taken at 13:12hours on 10/04/18 on my Samsung device and the time on the CCTV system shows 13:11hours on 10/04/18.

Mr Aly Farag then stated he was on his own and didn't realise the time as the clock doesn't work that is on the wall and he doesn't wear a watch. Mr Marshall then pointed out the clock on his till display but Mr Aly Farag stated he wasn't good with the till system, although this wouldn't stop him from seeing the time.

Mr Aly Farag stated he saw that the area was busy and at the last minute decided to open. Due to the short notice he wasn't able to get any other staff in so he was on his own. This indicates that Mr Aly Farag's only concern on the night in question was to make money; the area was busy so he wanted to open up with no regard to conditions he needs to adhere to. He was there to simply make some money. He claimed to be struggling to pay some outstanding bills.

Due to this, Police has serious concerns that Mr Aly Farag's pure motive for this variation is to make money but there is a willingness to do it at whatever the cost. As I have already demonstrated, this

area is very high risk when it comes to crime and disorder and needs operators to be of the highest standard, with the upkeep of the licensing objectives foremost in their operation, Mr Aly Farag has clearly demonstrated here that profit is his main and only concern.

In his application, Mr Aly Farag has offered conditions to help safeguard the licensing conditions. Firstly, the above evidence shows that he cannot be trusted to upkeep licensing conditions. Secondly, he has offered to close at 05:15. This time falls outside licensable hours and therefore there are no controlling sanctions that can be placed on the premises. Should Mr Aly Farag change his mind and open then he is free to do so. As I have already evidenced 5am – 7am is still a very busy time in this immediate area so why would a business (who has already admitted to struggling financially) close at the busiest time when they don't have to?

Two premises were reviewed in September last year for showing little regard to their licensing conditions and the licensing objectives and the committee saw fit to reduce their hours to 3am.

Lancashire Constabulary has significant concerns that crime and disorder will increase if this premises is allowed to increase the licensable hours. This will add to the cumulative impact already being experienced within the Town Centre Saturation Area and would lead to further alcohol fuelled crime and disorder and contribute to the stress and further burden on the emergency services.

**It is recommended that the licence should only be granted if the application is amended, or if conditions are applied, as detailed below.**

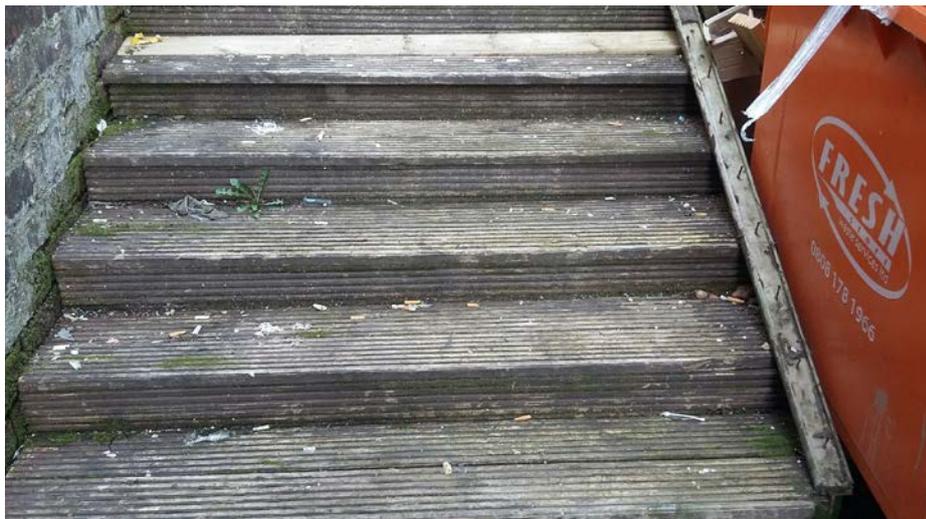
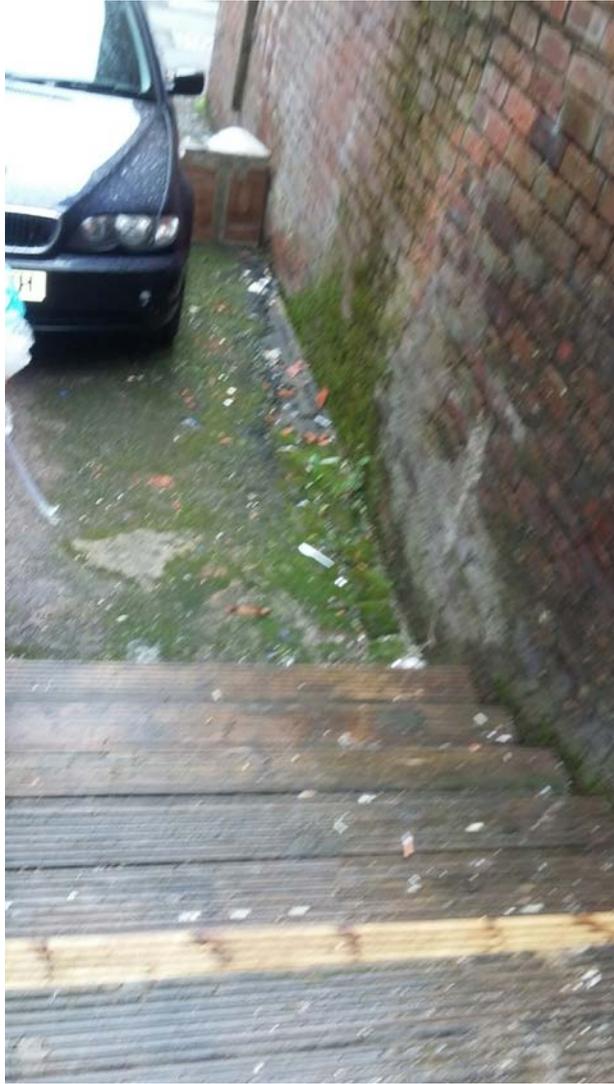
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<b>Blackpool Council Licensing Service</b>				
<b>Representation made by a Responsible Authority</b>				
<b>Responsible Authority</b>				
Name of Responsible Authority	<b>Licensing Authority</b>			
Name of Officer <i>(please print)</i>	Mark Marshall			
Signature of Officer				
Contact telephone number	<b>01253-478493</b>			
Date representation made	<b>12</b>	<b>04</b>	<b>2018</b>	
Do you consider mediation to be appropriate				NO
<b>Premises Details</b>				
Premises Name	<b>La Cassa</b>			
Address	Dickson Road			
	Blackpool			
Post Code	FY1 2AE			
<b>Details of your representation (Please refer and attach any supporting documentation)</b>				
<p>The premises in question have rarely been open during the winter months and I was approached prior to the application being submitted to seek my views on an extension to the hours. The premises currently have a terminal hour of 3am.</p> <p>My advice was that we had struggled for many years with the takeaways on Dickson Road, the major problem being the protracted dispersal from the area when the Clubs close and the very late hour that takeaways continue to operate which can have an impact with the early morning day time economy.</p> <p>The Licensing Authority on previous decisions have chosen to revoke licences as well as reduce the hours of certain premises but it is only in very recent weeks that 2 recent decisions have been ratified by the Magistrates so as such it is too early to say if the reduction in hours has addressed the root cause of the problem.</p> <p>The applicant was given the explanation above and also advised that his proposals may give rise to objections but he was not deterred from making an application and was given some advice on measures that he could introduce to lessen the impact on the Licensing Objectives. He was amenable during this conversation to adopt whatever condition or restriction was necessary.</p>				

On the Monday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2018 I was in the alley way to the rear of the property and noticed a build-up of combustible waste to the rear of the property and unsafe rotten stairs leading from the fire escape.





The same day I also received information that the premises were open beyond its hours and traded till 5am. I arranged to meet the applicant the following day at 1pm. I attended the premises with Danny Stephenson and Sgt Helen Parkinson. I checked the rear area and confirmed the door leading to the

back was a fire escape that would be utilised by staff, as such I expressed concern regarding the safety of the decking and steps, numerous boards were rotten and very unstable, they felt they would fail at any time especially with 2 or 3 people walking over them in succession. The surface area of the decking was very slippery and hazardous. The applicant was agreeable to addressing the problems with the decking and clearing the waste so that a clear exit route could be maintained.

We then checked on the CCTV system which was very good in terms of its coverage and clarity, the applicant was also conversant with its use, I asked for him to pull images from the 8<sup>th</sup> April at 03.15 hrs.

Numerous files were available in a time order; they appeared to be in 45minute chunks and related to the respective cameras in chronological order. We asked him to pull up one of the files which showed images from within the takeaway, the time of the image was 03.46hrs and showed a group of males eating food on the tables, demonstrating that the takeaway was still open. The applicant's response to these images was to suggest that the time on the system was incorrect as he had not changed it following the change to British Summer Time.

This excuse caused some confusion as if the system was only an hour out then the actual time of the recording would have been 04.46hrs (as the clocks went forward at the end of March) the applicant did not understand this point at first and maintained his position of suggesting the time on the system was wrong and he always complies with his opening hours.

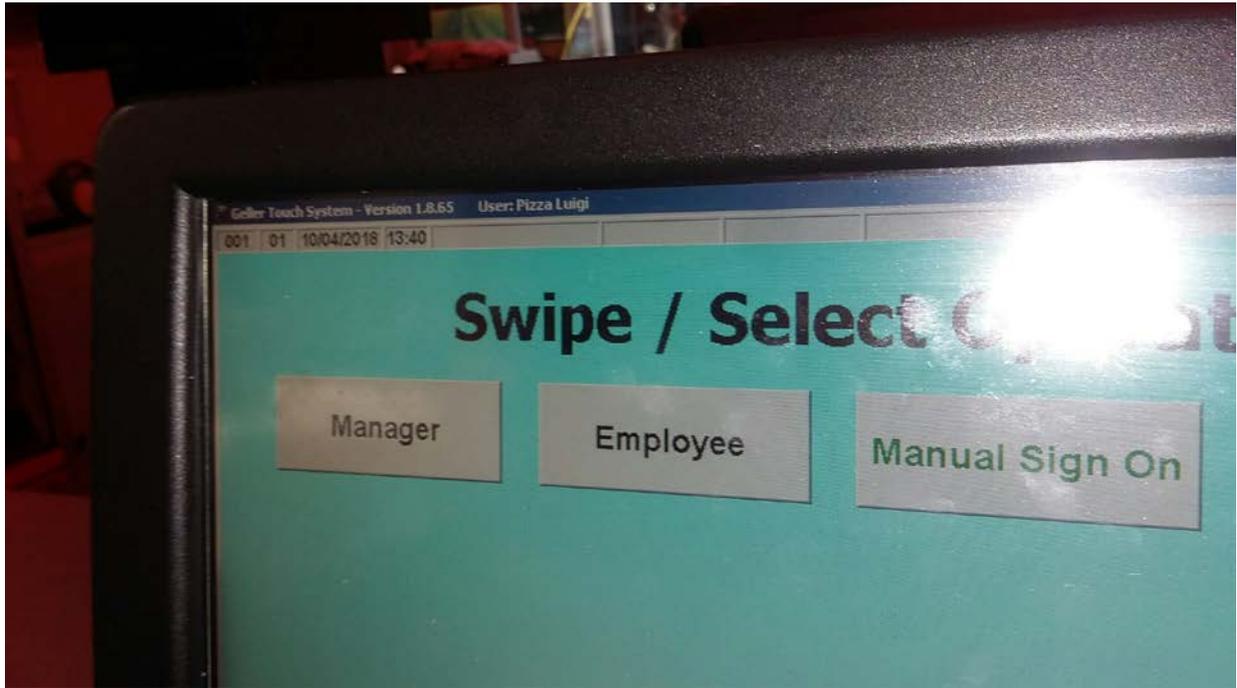
We then moved the system back to live recordings and the time display was correct as per our respective watch's, again the applicant maintained the system recordings were wrong and he complies with his Licensable hours.

I then pulled up a different camera from the 8<sup>th</sup> April, this camera showed images of the kitchen and people ordering food at the counter, I set the recording running from 03.00hrs and put it on x4 (forward).

As the recording moved on it was clear that customers were coming into the takeaway and numerous food orders were being prepared.

The applicant was the only person in the kitchen on this night and he changed his position slightly by saying as he was on his own and busy he didn't realise the time. We let the images roll on till 04.15 hrs and the recordings without question demonstrated that a significant amount of customers had been served hot food after the terminal hour of 03.00hrs.

After the recordings had finished, the applicant finally admitted that he was busy on the night but still maintained he didn't realise the time, at this point I took him to the till behind the counter, which was an electronic till system, I asked if he could pull back the orders he rang through on the Sat/Sun morning, he claimed not to be able to use the till system but it was very apparent the time of day was displayed in the top left corner of the display screen, I noted the time was 8 minutes faster than my watch but pointed out that he would realise what the time was every time an order was cashed in.



As we concluded the discussion I explained there was clear evidence that he had breached the conditions/ terminal hour of the licence and that he could be prosecuted for the offence. Both Sgt Parkinson and I explained that our concerns would be reported to the Committee who would have the ultimate decision as to whether the variation was granted.

In view of the findings on the day and the fact that takeaways now make part of the saturation policy which suggest a closing time of 2am for LNRL I would say the application should be rejected.

The committee would need to have a great amount of faith in an operator applying for later hours in an area that suffers from so many Crime related problems and the limited amount of dealings I have had with this applicant have sadly shown that there are far more concerns than positive experiences and therefore he is not a man who can be relied on to honour the proposals put forward in his application.

Blackpool Statement of Licensing policy recognises the issue from later hours and recommends terminal hours for categories of premises;

4.4.2 The Authority proposes to introduce a framework of core hours for licensable activities at premises:

Premises Type	Commencement hour for sale of alcohol	Terminal hour
Off-licence	10.00 am	23.00 pm
Restaurant	10.00 am	01.00 am
Other on-licenced premises	10.00 am	02.00 am
Takeaway	n/a	02.00 am

4.4.3 This framework will apply to applications for new premises licences and to applications for variations to extend the hours for licensable activities (earlier and later in the case of the sale of alcohol). Applicants are advised not to exceed these core hours when submitting a licence application in order to avoid representations .

**For New / Variation Applications only.  
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DEAR SIR / MADAM

03 APR 2018

I AM WRITING TO YOU  
TO OBJECT TO  
LACASH RESTAURANT  
HOLDING A LICENSE  
UNTIL 5AM,

MARIO'S TAKEAWAY  
AND HOT STUFF

OF DICKSON ROAD  
ARE OPEN UNTIL  
6-30 TO 7AM

IN THE MORNING  
WHEN IT SUPPOSED  
TO BE 5AM, WHY

ARE THEY ALLOWED  
TO FLAUNT THE

LAW, THEY DON'T  
JUST SELL FOOD

THEY SELL DRUGS  
AND LAUNDRY

MONEY, AND ENTICE  
YOUNG GIRLS IN

AND ARE NOISY IN  
EARLY HOURS

A LOT OF US  
ARE HOPE  
YOU DON'T GRANT  
THIS LICENSE  
LIVE AROUND THE  
CORNER

MR. M. LAURENCE  
55. QUEEN'S STREET

THANK YOU