

Appendix C

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To: Licensing Shared Email
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Subject: Mutiny Review - 17/04000/LAREVI

Dear Licensing,

This representation is being made on the grounds of the Licensing Objective 'Prevention of Public Nuisance'.

Despite the size and location of this event, at present there are no safeguarding conditions concerning noise and the prevention of public nuisance on the premises licence, rather a reliance on voluntary agreements and control exercised through the Events team.

Following complaints in 2016 and 2017 and our observations at these events, it is the view of this service that an informal process does not adequately prevent public nuisance and a more formal approach is required. To this end, we wish the Licensing Committee to consider applying the following conditions to the licence for the Mutiny event.

1. The control limits set at the mixer position shall ensure that the music noise level shall not exceed LAeq(15min) 75 dB(A) between the hours of 10:00 hours and 23:00 hours as measured 1 metre outside any noise sensitive premises.
2. The control limits set at the mixer position shall ensure that the music noise levels shall not exceed Leq(15min) 90 dB in either of the 31.5Hz, 63Hz or 125Hz octave band frequencies between the hours of 10:00 hours and 23:00 hours as measured 1 metre outside any noise sensitive premises.
3. A record of all monitoring at the mixing desk positions and measurements demonstrating compliance with conditions 1 and 2 above shall be retained and submitted to Environmental Health within 7 days after the event has ended.

In a meeting with the applicant's acoustic consultants on the 15th September 2017, the formalising of noise conditions was discussed, however agreement could not be reached. There is a balance to be made in ensuring that this event is a success in terms of audience enjoyment whilst safeguarding noise sensitive premises and preventing public nuisance. This is one of the occasions where Regulatory Services has sufficient concern in respect to the prevention of public nuisance to raise these issues in front of the committee. It is our view that that the committee need to decide whether in view of the history of the event the organisers will be able to meet this licensing objective without the application of the above conditions.

Please note that the Michael Thorne shall be the representative of Regulatory Services attending committee so please copy him into all further correspondence.

Yours sincerely,

Richard Lee
Regulatory Services Manager