

## Appendix D



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Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2018

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing to you with regard to the Highway Amenities application made by James Stone of Bangerz 'n' Brewz (60B Victoria Road South, Southsea, PO5 2BT). The application states that under the Highways Act 1980, the owner would like to place tables and chairs on the street outside the said premises.


I would like to oppose this application on the grounds of the noise pollution and disruption it will cause to myself and my neighbours. Although my property is listed as being on Marmion Road, the entrance to it is actually off of an alleyway by 60D Victoria Road South, which is directly behind 60B Victoria Road South.

As I am sure you can understand I would not have purchased the property had I known that a bar/ restaurant would be opening so close to it, as such a business is likely to cause a lot of noise late at night, particularly if it is likely to be spilling out on to the street. I think this would be especially disruptive in summer months, when I have no option but to keep the windows open for ventilation.

Being situated on the main route between Palmerston Road and Albert Road where there are many bars, I have had to put up with many incidents of antisocial behaviour since living at the property - including having my car vandalised and broken into (it is often parked on Victoria Road South), as well as incidents of bottles being dumped in the alleyway and fly tipping. I feel this behaviour is only likely to increase if there is a bar directly outside the entrance.

I hope you can understand the concerns of myself and my neighbours, and will take this into account when considering the application.

Kind Regards,

  
Catherine Jones