

APPENDIX C

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I am writing to support Nandakumar Vayanaperumal to keep his premises licence for the Danny Mart 2, Ludlow Road, Paulsgrove.

As one of the former Paulsgrove Councillors we supported the opening of this shop after the demolition of the old Plover pub and shop. I have known and supported Nanda as the owner of the Danny Mart for the last 11 years who is a local successful businessman. Nanda is fully aware of all four of the licensing objectives and as the Police have commented that he is an experienced operator and understands his responsibilities.

The shop has experienced numerous issues of a break in, shoplifting, graffiti and racial incidents over the years and Nanda has always been cooperative with the Police submitting CCTV.

Someone on social media has made comments stating that the owner had refused to provide CCTV evidence to the Police and that there had been a number of previous incidents associated with the property including card fraud. The card was a stolen one that was then used in the shop on one occasion 6 years ago in 2016. This information was totally wrong and the person should have known better and has not helped with misinformation.

As an experienced Licensee it is not in the best interest of him, his business or the public to deliberately breach licensing conditions.

Regards

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