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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 30, 2024 4:11 PM  
**To:** Licensing Shared Email [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Comments for Licensing Application 24/00435/LAREVI

## Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

Licensing Application comments have been made. A summary of the comments is provided below.

Comments were submitted at 30/01/2024 4:11 PM from Mrs Pauline Howarth.

### Application Summary

Address:	119 Elm Grove Southsea PO5 1LH
Proposal:	Review Premises
Case Officer:	MR DEREK STONE

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### Customer Details

Name:	Mrs Pauline Howarth
Email:	[REDACTED]
Address:	[REDACTED]

### Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Neighbour
Stance:	Customer objects to the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 30/01/2024 4:11 PM I have lived in St Peter's Grove since 1983. We have had the occasional group of tipsy people walking down our quiet, residential road but since SBK opened we have had drunken people hanging round nearly every Friday and Saturday night, often behaving in an anti-social way. More specifically, on New Year's Eve (1 January 2024), I was walking home from Old Portsmouth with some friends, as I have done for 40 years. After leaving The Retreat, I was on my own. It was 12:45 am. You could hear shouting a block away from Elm Grove. I walked down The Ticket. At the corner by the Co-op was a group of 6 men, one being sick. I got to Elm Grove where there were at least a dozen people in yellow security jackets, a security patrol van and noisy people in the road outside SBK. I started to cross the road to St Peter's Grove, a security man said, "Don't go there - it's dangerous, people and glass." I said I had to, as I lived there. He said to go the other way - back to the traffic lights and down Grove Road South. As this meant coming back down a dark street towards the trouble, I approached the biggest security man and asked him to see me safely to my house. He just looked at me. At which point a fight broke out by the launderette and they rushed off to deal with it. A security woman remained in the road so I asked her if she would accompany me to my door a few houses down St Peter's Grove. She very kindly did and a security mate was also keeping a look out, so I got home safely. We never had such problems when the premises were being run as a restaurant, nor do we get bother from clientele from pubs

The One Eyed Dog or the Deco or restaurants in Elm Grove. I am now apprehensive of walking down St Peter's Grove on Friday and Saturday nights, when there is a lot of noise coming from SBK and people are hanging around in the road. I frequently visit friends and venues in the neighbourhood on foot and sometimes have to park my car several blocks away from my house.

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Kind regards