

Miszewska, Arleta

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Proposed Development: Retrospective application for pergola structure to front of pub with alterations.

Dear Arleta

I email you further to my team's comments of 20th March, and would request that if retrospective planning permission is granted that the following planning condition be attached,

- The use of the pergola structure forming part of the application shall not be used after 2100 hours Monday to Sunday in order to limit the impact of patron noise on nearby residents.

To add context, we are currently investigating a complaint about amplified music and of patron noise arising from the pagoda. The pagoda is located approximately 20-25m east of dwellings which face directly onto it. The pub is in a predominantly residential area. We have carried out noise monitoring in the area that confirms the noise is a statutory nuisance under section 79 of the Environmental Protection Act 1990. Patron noise is particularly problematic because it is associated with unexpected changes in loudness, frequency content and more generally by the noise not behaving in a predictable manner. Swearing and the content of conversation is likely to increase the impact, as well as a decrease in background sound levels as the evening/night progresses.

Regards

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My working pattern – Monday to Friday

Advance notice of leave – None



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