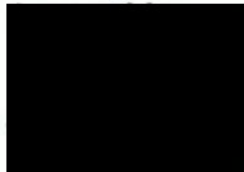


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The Licensing Unit
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The Business Centre
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Dear Sir or Madam,

Haslingden Bar & Grill Ltd., 125 Blackburn Road, Haslingden BB4 5HL

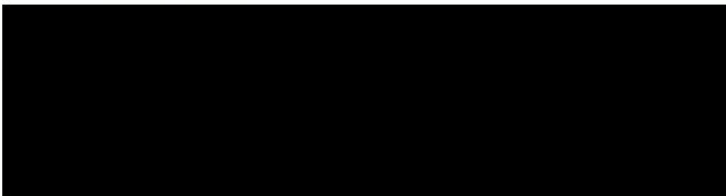
We write to object most strongly against the application to amend the existing restaurant use of the above premises so as to combine it with a late night music licence (see the Legal Notice published in the Rossendale Free Press newspaper of 18 March, 2016, copy attached).

Given the history of failed restaurants on this site, the application should be seen for what it really is, an application for a night club licence.

The locality is an almost entirely residential area, being predominantly families with young children or elderly persons. Amplified and live music beyond 23:00 is wholly unacceptable. If you care to visit the site, you will see there is insufficient parking for vehicles. And, given the history of public nuisances and violence associated with late night drinking clubs, this will place impossible demands on ever shrinking police and ambulance services.

We do not object to the opening of a new restaurant; such a business will have our support as did the previous businesses on the site. But a night club, for that is what this poorly veiled application really proposes, is most unwelcome and it would bring a wholly inappropriate change for a residential area.

Yours faithfully,



Valid representation
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