

**Representations On A Current Application For A Grant/Variation Of A Premises  
Licence Or Club Premises Certificate Under The Licensing Act 2003**

**Section 1 – Licence Application Details**

Applicant Name (If Known)	<b>Mark Garry 275 Bensham Road Gateshead Tyne &amp; Wear NE8 1UU</b>
Premises Name and Address	<b>Jokers 11 Yarm Lane Stockton on Tees TS18 3DR</b>

**Section 2 - Responsible Authority**

- Trading Standards
- Cleveland Police
- Environmental Health
- Cleveland Fire Service
- Planning
- Protection of Children From Harm

**Section 3 – Representation Grounds**

<b>The representation is relevant to one or more of the following licensing objectives:</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prevention of Crime and Disorder <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prevention of Public Nuisance <input type="checkbox"/> Protection of Children from Harm <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public Safety
<b>Please tick relevant box(es)</b>	
Please Select:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I object to the application being granted at all <input type="checkbox"/> I object to the application being granted in its current form*	

\*If you choose this option remember to tell us what changes you would prefer to see.

**The grounds of the representation is based on the following:**

(Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary)

This is a variation to increase the hours of the premises licence for the supply of alcohol.

At present the existing hours are Sunday – Thursday 10:30hrs – 02:00hrs and Friday & Saturday 10:30hrs – 02:30hrs.

The applicant wishes to increase the times the premises can supply alcohol to start at 10:00hrs Monday – Sunday and the supply of alcohol on a Friday & Saturday to finish at 03:00hrs.

This premises is situated in the town centre of Stockton on Tees which suffers from alcohol related crime and disorder especially within the night-time economy.

Since September 2014 there have been several incidents reported from the premises.

These include an assault on the licensee as well as attacks on members of doorstaff.

There have been other calls about persons causing a nuisance to staff and on one evening there were a number of calls made to police regarding the actions of a group of persons causing problems both in the premises and on the street outside.

Staff at the premises have been spoken to about the increase in incidents and were advised that should they continue, the premises will be placed on an action plan.

Cleveland Police object to the granting of the extra hours especially the later times, as recently these premises are causing concern to Police by the number of incidents that have been occurring at the premises and believe that the granting of the extra hours will undermine the crime and disorder objective.

In the event that the above application is not withdrawn, further evidence will be provided by Cleveland Police.

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Signed:	Position: Solicitor to the Chief Constable of Cleveland Police	Dated: 05/11/2014
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