

15 The Close
Warminster
BA12 9AL

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Licensing Section
Public Protection Services
Wiltshire Council
Monkton Park
Chippenham
SN15 1ER

Dear Sirs,

**Prestbury Sports Bar, Application to vary Premises License LN/000010892
Reference WK202109006**

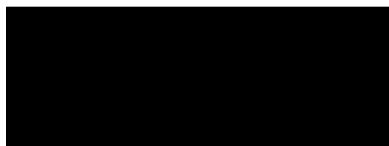
We live within earshot of the comings and goings of The Prestbury Sports Bar, which has, under the temporary relaxation of their Premises License, included the sound of outside live music. The prospect of this temporary relaxation becoming permanent fills us with horror. It would deny us the quiet enjoyment of our cottage and our small courtyard garden, especially at weekends.

Of the three people who live at No 15, one is a Registered Care Manager, with responsibility for staff and vulnerable people, who works long and unpredictable hours, whose weekends are precious, a chance to rest and recharge the batteries. Another is a chef working for Longleat Enterprises, long, irregular shifts, with the occasional weekend off. Those weekends too are precious. The third is an elderly adult deemed CEV during the last bout of shielding.

In their application to vary the license, the Presbury Sports Bar states that the noise from the music will be no more than a car passing. It is an interesting analogy. However, a car is here one moment and gone the next, whereas the music proposed will be constant from midday until eight o'clock in the evening, every Saturday and Sunday. In addition, there will be the disruption caused by the building and breaking down of the temporary stage, which in the past has led to a build up of traffic backing up to Portway.

We urge you to refuse this application. The Close is predominantly a residential area, apart from the dance studio, the Old Fire Station and the Presbury Sports Bar, whose combined commercial activities have, in the past, taken place indoors, with minimum disturbance to their neighbours,

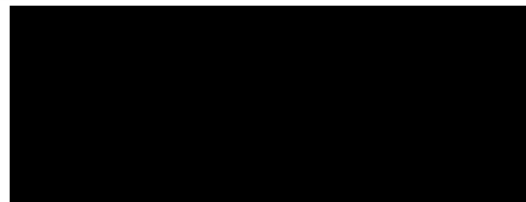
Faithfully,



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