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Reply contact name is **David Bennett**

Dear Mrs Holland,

Ref: Jax Landings, 1 Bath Road, Chippenham SN14 0AD

The Wiltshire Police have received two Temporary Event Notices(TENS) from Rudi Jason Lee, in relation to the above premise.

The TEN's cover the time period Friday 28 October 2011 through to 30 October 2011, and Friday 4 November 2011 through to Saturday 5 November 2011. Apart from Sunday 30 October 2011, the club would remain open until 02.00 hours.

Wiltshire Police have concerns in relation to this application as follows:

1. Jax has been the subject of numerous incidents of crime and disorder both within the premise and in the vicinity. Police can provide details of these occurrences and the interventions made to try and address the problems.
2. The premise licence has recently been withdrawn. The nature and location of the Jax operation dictated that a full premises licence was required and was subject to a number of essential conditions. This was in order to support the licensing objective of preventing crime and disorder. Such enforceable conditions cannot be provided for under a TEN.
3. The provision of nighttime licensable activity in a nightclub environment to celebrate Halloween and Bonfire Night over a period of five nights is in the opinion of police a sham and is an abuse of the Temporary Event Notice provisions
4. The premises has recently received close scrutiny from both police and council licence enforcement officers in relation to a significant number of deficiencies in respect of management policy and procedure and compliance with specific

licence conditions. The departure of the DPS and any known management structure gives increasing cause for concern in these respects.

Based upon these concerns, Wiltshire Police object to these TEN's as it is feared that the crime prevention objective will be undermined. Please treat this letter as an objection notice.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David Bennett', with a large circular flourish at the end.

David Bennett

Divisional Licensing Manager