



01/08/2024

Umar Hussain
Bliss Heights
140 London Road
Abridge
Essex
RM4 1XX

**POLICE OBJECTION NOTICE To a Temporary Event Notice (TEN)
Section 104 Licensing Act 2003**

Name of Premises User: Umar Hussain

Address of Premises: Bliss Heights, 140 London Road, Abridge, Essex, RM4 1XX

Date required for TENs 17th August 2024

On 31st July 2024 Essex Police received the above Notice.

Essex Police are satisfied that allowing the premises to be used in accordance with the notice would undermine one or more of the licensing objectives.

The licensing objectives, under the Licensing Act 2003, of relevance to this objection notice is:

- Prevention of Crime and Disorder
- Public Safety

Essex Police are satisfied the licensing objectives mentioned above will be undermined due to numerous complaints being made to Essex Police during a similar event in August 2023. During the last event there was no traffic management and a disproportionate amount of traffic caused by vehicles attending the premises. This caused issues which Essex Police were alerted too. As such Essex Police have concerns under the Public Safety licensing objective due to there being no traffic management previously, cars being stuck in traffic for long periods of time and the likelihood that this could cause a public safety risk. Currently, Essex Police still have concerns regarding traffic and the risks this could cause in relation to Public Safety.

The premises is on various wedding sites advertising that people can hire the premises for their weddings/parties. This goes against the crime and disorder objective as the premises does not have a licence to hold events of this nature. Essex Police are aware that Epping Forest District Council Licensing issued a warning letter regarding the premises operating

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unlicensed and so therefore Essex Police suspect that the premises has gone against the Licensing Act 2003. Due to the premises already breaching a legal requirement, Essex Police do not feel that the premises would uphold the crime and disorder licensing objective, or any licensing objectives, if the TEN was granted.

Lastly, due to the premises not having a premises licence and local authority not being able to attach conditions to a TEN there are no licensing conditions to abide by that will promote the Crime and Disorder, Public Nuisance and Public Safety licensing objectives. Therefore, Essex Police object to this Temporary Event Notice.

A copy of this objection notice has been served upon the premises user (or agent making application), the local Environmental Health Department and the relevant licensing authority.

On receipt of this notice the licensing authority will issue a 'Counter Notice' and provide further information on related procedures.

Yours faithfully,

Kelsey Dott
Essex Police Licensing Officer