The Licensing Department Reigate & Banstead Borough Council Town Hall Reigate Surrey RH2 0SH

1st October 2004

Dear Sir/Madam



3 Lower Road Meadvale Redhill

RE: THE SHIP INN, COPSE ROAD, ENTERTAINMENT LICENSING APPLICATION.

I am writing to lodge my objection to the above application for an entertainment licence.

Already I have had to endure music into the night through Karaoke and unnecessary loud microphones. It is rare that sitting in the garden is a peaceful event. Each Bank Holiday a bouncy castle motor has been placed at the bottom of my garden from 9am in the morning until 11pm at night, with no consideration for the constant humming and screaming, people living close by have to put up with. I chose only to complain when it was left on all night, not wishing to spoil the fun. However, I have to think where to go on a Bank Holiday because I can't sit in the garden and have to close all doors and windows.

In this last year I have had children climbing my back fence, people fighting at night from having a little too much to drink. I believe the constant noise from the cellar generators is manageable, but for an entertainment licence to be granted it would be unbearable, in such a heavy residential area.

I am surprised only to have heard of this application via a neighbour who happened to be walking past the pub. No method of communication has been made from the pub to local residents concerning this application and I would hope that the council takes into account this lack of common courtesy.

Please do not grant this licence for the sake of my sanity and many others!

Thank you.

Yours truly

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