

**WITNESS STATEMENT****Criminal Procedure Rules, r 16.2; Criminal Justice Act 1967, s. 9**

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Statement of: Matthew Fitzpatrick

Age if under 18: over 18 (if over 18 insert 'over 18')

Occupation: Police officer

This statement (consisting of \_\_\_\_\_ page(s) each signed by me) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that, if it is tendered in evidence, I shall be liable to prosecution if I have wilfully stated in it anything which I know to be false, or do not believe to be true.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ (witness)

Date: 11/09/2020

I am the above named person I am employed by the Metropolitan Police and have been a Police Constable for 16 years. I am currently in the role of Police Licensing Officer for Haringey and Enfield.

This statement refers to my concerns regarding Public Safety of the location of a proposed New Licenced Premises establishment called Rubys at 7C Advent Way, London N18 3AH in Elys industrial estate in Enfield. I am sending this as a addendum representation under the Public Safety Licensing Objective

My concerns are of this venue with an agreed capacity of 350 people is on a busy industrial estate with limited parking facilities and with heavy machinery using the road during the day

This statement is a description of the Road of the prosed venue which is a dead end Street. the surrounding premises on this industrial estate are a mixture of car repairs, and venues requiring deliveries using lorries and fork lift truck to load and unload vehicles. This makes the road very difficult to drive down with limited parking. Photographs were taken on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> August 2020 at 1740 hours when most businesses were closed and these are enclosed with this MG11 and exhibites as MGF1 to 7

There is further photograph of the venue showing parking congestion outside the venue which at a meeting with the applicant was where client parking would be allowed which would make it difficult for emergency vehicles to attend.

The applicant has a similar licensed venue in Luton which was subject to a Licence review under the Licensing Act 2003 earlier this year. The review documen exhibit MGF/8 and resolution MGF/9 are available to view on Luton Council website and given to the applicant at the time but as these are refered to in Police representations and subsequent discussions with the Licensing applicant I will submit them to the applicant and the councils licensing officer.

Signature:

Signature witnessed by: