

Report of: **Service Director, Public Protection**

Meeting of	Date	Agenda Item	Ward(s)
Licensing Sub-Committee	2 February 2012	34	Caledonian

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**Subject: PREMISES LICENCE VARIATION APPLICATION
RE: CALEDONIAN GENERAL STORE, 363 CALEDONIAN ROAD, LONDON N7 9DQ**

1. Synopsis

- 1.1 This is an application for the variation of a premise licence under the Licensing Act 2003
- 1.2 The variation is to:
 - i) Permit the sale of alcohol, for consumption off the premises, from 08:00 until 01:00 Sunday to Thursday and from 08:00 to 02:30 Friday and Saturday.
- 1.3 The premises is currently licensed for:
 - i) The sale of alcohol, for consumption off the premises, from 08:00 until 23:00 Monday to Saturday and from 10:00 to 22:30 Sunday

2. Recommendations

- 2.1 To determine the application for a variation of the premises licence under Section 34 of the Licensing Act 2003.
- 2.2 If the Committee grants the application it should be subject to:
 - i. conditions of the current premises licence;
 - ii. conditions prepared by the Licensing Officer which are consistent with the Operating Schedule (See appendix 3);
 - iii. conditions recommended by responsible Authorities (see appendix 3);

- iv. any conditions deemed necessary by the Committee to promote the four licensing objectives.

3. Background

3.1 Papers are attached as follows:-

- Appendix 1: application form;
- Appendix 2: premises licence;
- Appendix 3: police representation;
- Appendix 4: suggested conditions and map of premise location.

3.2 The Licensing Authority has received 1 letter of representation from the police

3.3 Licensing History of the premises:

- i) On 1 July 2005 an application was made to convert the alcohol licence to a Premises Licence.
- ii) On 10 February 2011 an application to transfer the licence to Mr Ercan Buyukkahraman was granted.

4. Conclusion and reasons for recommendations

4.1 The Council is required to consider this application in the light of all relevant information, and if approval is given, it may attach such conditions necessary to promote the licensing objectives.

Background papers:

The Council's Statement of Licensing Policy
Licensing Act 2003
Secretary of States Guidance

Final Report Clearance

Signed by


Service Director – Public Protection

24.1.12
Date

Received by

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Date

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Appendix: 1

Application to vary a premises licence under the Licensing Act 2003

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary. You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

I/We ERCAN BUYUKKAHRAMAN

(Insert name(s) of applicant)

being the premises licence holder, apply to vary a premises licence under section 34 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below

Premises licence number LN/3123-100211
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Part 1 – Premises Details

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description			
CALEDONIAN GENERAL STORE			
GROUND FLOOR AND BASEMENT			
363 CALEDONIAN ROAD			
Post town	LONDON	Post code	N7 9DQ

Telephone number at premises (if any)	
Non-domestic rateable value of premises	£8500

Part 2 – Applicant details

Daytime contact telephone number	
E-mail address (optional)	
Current postal address if different from premises address	
Post Town	
Postcode	

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Part 3 - Variation

Please tick yes

Do you want the proposed variation to have effect as soon as possible?

If not do you want the variation to take effect from

Day			Month			Year	
┆	┆	┆	┆	┆	┆	┆	┆

Please describe briefly the nature of the proposed variation (Please see guidance note 1)
EXTENSION OF HOURS TO SUPPLY ALCOHOL OFF THE PREMISES.

If your proposed variation would mean that 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend

Part 4 Operating Schedule

Please complete those parts of the Operating Schedule below which would be subject to change if this application to vary is successful.

Provision of regulated entertainment

- Please tick yes**
- a) plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)
 - b) films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)
 - c) indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C)
 - d) boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)
 - e) live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)
 - f) recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)
 - g) performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)
 - h) anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H)

Provision of entertainment facilities:

- i) making music (if ticking yes, fill in box I)
- j) dancing (if ticking yes, fill in box J)
- k) entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (i) or (j) (if ticking yes, fill in box K)

Provision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box L)

Sale by retail of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box M)

In all cases complete boxes N, O and P

A

Plays Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the performance of a play take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors <input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors <input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish		Both <input type="checkbox"/>
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)	
Tue				
Wed			State any seasonal variations for performing plays (please read guidance note 4)	
Thur				
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of plays at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)	
Sat				
Sun				

B

Films Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Will the exhibition of films take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)		
Mon					
Tue			<u>State any seasonal variations for the exhibition of films</u> (please read guidance note 4)		
Wed					
Thur			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the exhibition of films at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Fri					
Sat					
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C

Indoor sporting events Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Please give further details</u> (please read guidance note 3)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon			<u>State any seasonal variations for indoor sporting events</u> (please read guidance note 4)
Tue			
Wed			
Thur			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for indoor sporting events at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)
Fri			
Sat			
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D

Boxing or wrestling entertainments Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the boxing or wrestling entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors <input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors <input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)	Both <input type="checkbox"/>
Mon				
Tue			State any seasonal variations for boxing or wrestling entertainment (please read guidance note 4)	
Wed				
Thur			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for boxing or wrestling entertainment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)	
Fri				
Sat				
Sun				

E

Live music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Will the performance of live music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)		
Mon					
Tue			<u>State any seasonal variations for the performance of live music</u> (please read guidance note 4)		
Wed					
Thur			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of live music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Fri					
Sat					
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F

Recorded music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	
			Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)	
Mon				
Tue				
Wed			State any seasonal variations for the playing of recorded music (please read guidance note 4)	
Thur				
Fri				
Sat			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the playing of recorded music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)	
Sun				

G

Performances of dance Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the performance of dance take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish			
Mon			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)		
Tue					
Wed			State any seasonal variations for the performance of dance (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur					
Fri			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of dance at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat					
Sun					

H

<p>Anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)</p>			<p><u>Please give a description of the type of entertainment you will be providing</u></p>		
Day	Start	Finish	<p><u>Will this entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 2)</p>	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue			<p><u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)</p>	Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wed					
Thur					
Fri			<p><u>State any seasonal variations for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g)</u> (please read guidance note 4)</p>		
Sat			<p><u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)</p>		
Sun					

I

Provision of facilities for making music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Please give a description of the facilities for making music you will be providing</u>		
			<u>Will the facilities for making music be indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 2)		Indoors <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoors <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3) <u>State any seasonal variations for the provision of facilities for making music</u> (please read guidance note 4) <u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for provision of facilities for making music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Mon					
Tue					
Wed					
Thur					
Fri					
Sat					
Sun					

J

Provision of facilities for dancing Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Will the facilities for dancing be indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (see guidance note 2)		Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
					<u>Please give a description of the facilities for dancing you will be providing</u>	
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)			
Mon						
Tue						
Wed			<u>State any seasonal variations for providing dancing facilities</u> (please read guidance note 4)			
Thur						
Fri						
Sat			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of facilities for dancing at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)			
Sun						

K

Provision of facilities for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within i or j Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			<u>Please give a description of the type of entertainment facility you will be providing</u>		
Day	Start	Finish	<u>Will the entertainment facility be indoors or outdoors or both – please tick</u> (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mon				Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tue			<u>Please give further details here</u> (please read guidance note 3)		
Wed					
Thur			<u>State any seasonal variations for the provision of facilities for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within i or j</u> (please read guidance note 4)		
Fri					
Sat			<u>Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of facilities for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within i or j at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list</u> (please read guidance note 5)		
Sun					

L

Late night refreshment Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Indoors <input type="checkbox"/>	Outdoors <input type="checkbox"/>	Both <input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish			
Mon			Will the provision of late night refreshment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2)		
Tue					
Wed			Please give further details here (please read guidance note 3)		
Thur					
Fri			State any seasonal variations for the provision of late night refreshment (please read guidance note 4)		
Sat					
Sun			Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of late night refreshment at different times, to those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)		

M

Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption (Please tick box) (please read guidance note 7)	On the premises	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Off the premises	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
				Both	<input type="checkbox"/>
Day	Start	Finish	State any seasonal variations for the supply of alcohol (please read guidance note 4)		
Mon	08:00	01:00			
Tue	08:00	01:00			
Wed	08:00	01:00			
Thur	08:00	01:00			
Fri	08:00	02:30			
Sat	08:00	02:30			
Sun	08:00	01:00			

N

Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 8)

O

Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 4)
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon	00:00	00:00	
Tue	00:00	00:00	
Wed	00:00	00:00	
Thur	00:00	00:00	
Fri	00:00	00:00	
Sat	00:00	00:00	
Sun	00:00	00:00	
Non standard timings. Where you intend the premises to be open to the public at different times from those listed in the column on the left, please list (please read guidance note 5)			

Please identify those conditions currently imposed on the licence which you believe could be removed as a consequence of the proposed variation you are seeking

Please tick yes

- I have enclosed the premises licence
- I have enclosed the relevant part of the premises licence

If you have not ticked one of these boxes please fill in reasons for not including the licence, or part of it, below

Reasons why I have failed to enclose the premises licence or relevant part of premises licence

P Describe any additional steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives as a result of the proposed variation:

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e) (please read guidance note 9)

The standard practices listed below will be maintained at all times. All reasonable steps will be taken to ensure that the premises will have a positive impact upon the local environment and its residents at all times.

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

Any incidents of a criminal nature that may occur on the premises will be reported to the Police. Toilets shall be checked an average of two hourly while the premises are open to the public to deter the use of drugs. Details of checks shall be documented and made available to Police on request.

c) Public safety

Appropriate fire safety procedures are in place including fire extinguishers (foam, H2O and CO2), fire blanket, internally illuminated fire exit signs, numerous smoke detectors and emergency lighting (see enclosed plan for details of locations). All appliances are inspected annually.

All emergency exits shall be kept free from obstruction at all times.

d) The prevention of public nuisance

All customers will be asked to leave quietly.

Clear and legible notices will be prominently displayed to remind customers to leave quietly and have regard to our neighbours.

No deliveries will take place on Sundays or Bank holiday and between the hours of 10 pm and 7 am other days of the week.

No rubbish including bottles will be moved, removed or placed in outside area on Sunday or Bank Holiday and between the hours of 10 pm and 7 am other days of the week.

e) The protection of children from harm

The licensee and staff will ask persons who appear to be under the age of 21 for photographic ID such as proof of age cards, the Connexions Card and Citizen Card, photographic driving licence or passport, an official identity card issued by HM Forces or by an EU country, bearing the photograph and date of birth of bearer.

A register of refused sales shall be kept and maintained on the premises.

Please tick yes

- I have made or enclosed payment of the fee
- I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable
- I understand that I must now advertise my application
- I have enclosed the premises licence or relevant part of it or explanation
- I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected

IT IS AN OFFENCE, LIABLE ON CONVICTION TO A FINE UP TO LEVEL 5 ON THE STANDARD SCALE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003 TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION

Part 5 – Signatures (please read guidance note 10)

Signature of applicant (the current premises licence holder) or applicant’s solicitor or other duly authorised agent (please read guidance note 11). **If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.**

Signature	<i>J. J.</i>
Date	20/12/2012
Capacity	Agent for the Applicant

Where the premises licence is jointly held signature of 2nd applicant (the current premises licence holder) or 2nd applicant’s solicitor or other authorised agent (please read guidance note 12). **If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.**

Signature	
Date	
Capacity	

Contact name (where not previously given) and address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 13)

Jun Simon
ADA GROUP
167 Stoke Newington Road

Post town	London	Post code	N16 8BP
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Telephone number (if any)	0845 200 8424
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If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail your e-mail address (optional)

**PREMISES LICENCE
LICENSING ACT 2003**

Premises licence number	LN/3123-100211		
Postal address of premises, or if none, ordnance survey map reference or description			
CALEDONIAN GENERAL STORE GROUND FLOOR AND BASEMENT 363 CALEDONIAN ROAD			
Post town	London	Post code	N7 9DQ
Telephone number	020 7700 8640		

Where the licence is time limited the dates
Not Applicable

Licensable activities authorised by the licence
The sale by retail of alcohol

The times the licence authorises the carrying out of licensable activities

- The sale by retail of alcohol:

Monday	08:00	to	23:00
Tuesday	08:00	to	23:00
Wednesday	08:00	to	23:00
Thursday	08:00	to	23:00
Friday	08:00	to	23:00
Saturday	08:00	to	23:00
Sunday	10:00	to	22:30

Except on:
Good Friday: 08:00 to 22:30
Christmas Day: 12:00 to 15:00 and 19:00 to 22:30

The opening hours of the premises:
Not specified

Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol whether these are on and/or off supplies
Off supplies



Name, (registered) address, telephone number and e-mail (where relevant) of holder of premises licence

Ercan Buyukkahraman
207 Albany Park Avenue
Enfield
Middx
EN3 5NZ
0207 697 8640

Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

N/A

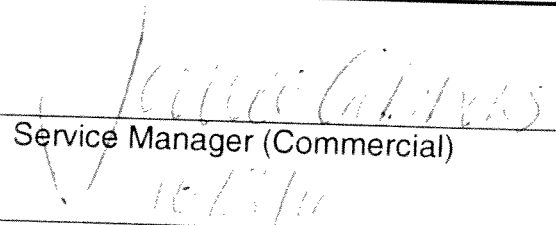
Name, address and telephone number of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises the supply of alcohol

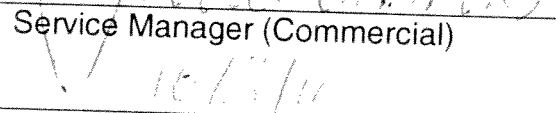
Cengiz Bakirhan
64 Kiln Place
Camden
London
NW5 4AJ

Personal licence number and issuing authority of personal licence held by designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises the supply of alcohol

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Islington Council
Public Protection Division
222 Upper Street
London
N1 1XR
Tel: 020 7527 3031/3803
Email: licensing@islington.gov.uk


Service Manager (Commercial)


Date of Issue

Annex 1 - Mandatory conditions

1. No supply of alcohol may be made under the premises licence-
 - a) at a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of the premises licence, or
 - b) at a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or his personal licence is suspended.
2. Every supply of alcohol under the premises licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.

Annex 2 - Conditions consistent with the Operating Schedule

- 1) The restrictions on hours during which the sale of alcohol is authorised does not prohibit:
 - a) during the first 20 minutes after the above hours, the taking of the alcohol from the premises, unless the alcohol is supplied or taken in an open vessel;
 - b) the ordering of alcohol to be consumed off the premises, or the despatch by the vendor of alcohol so ordered;
 - c) the sale of alcohol to a trader or club for the purposes of the trade or club;
 - d) the sale of supply of alcohol to any canteen or mess, being a canteen in which the sale or supply of alcohol is carried out under the authority of the Secretary of State or an authorised mess of members of Her Majesty's naval military.
- 2) Alcohol shall not be sold in an open container or be consumed in the licensed premises

Annex 3 - Conditions attached after a hearing by the licensing authority

Nil

Annex 4 – Plans 25-23



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TERRITORIAL POLICING

Appendix: 3

Ada Group
167 Stoke Newington Road
N16 8BP

NI - Islington Borough
NI - Islington Police Station
G17
Islington Police Station
2 Tolpuddle Street
Islington
N1 0YY
Telephone: 020 7421 0248
Facsimile: 020 7421 0138
Email: ni_licensing@met.police.uk
Your ref:
Our ref: Licensing/NI.
11 January 2012

Dear Sir / Madam

RE:- Caledonian General Store, 363 Caledonian Road, N7 9DQ

With reference to the above application, I am writing to inform you that the Islington Police, as a Responsible Authority, will be objecting to this application as it is our belief that if granted the application would undermine the Licensing Objectives.

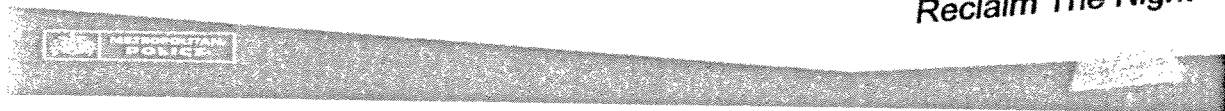
The venue is situated in the 'Caledonian ward', a locality where there is traditionally high crime and disorder and there are concerns that this application will cause further policing problems in an already demanding area.

The premise currently benefits from a premise licence to sell to alcohol and Islington Police will object to any extension of the current hours.

Should you wish to discuss the matter further please contact the Licensing Office on **0207 421 0194/0248** or via email, ni_licensing@met.police.uk

Metropolitan Police Islington
Licensing Office

c.c. Islington Council Licensing Team.



Caledonian Ward - Alcohol Related Crime:
December 2010-November 2011

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I formally oppose the granting of this licence application on behalf of Islington Police. This statement provides the rationale for my decision.

Over recent years Islington has experienced rapid growth in its night time economy. The cumulative effect of this is a heavy footfall of persons who are not resident in Islington Borough but who are present between the hours of 8pm and 6am to take advantage of the extremely vibrant night-time economy.

Unfortunately there has not been commensurate increase in public services. Each new license or extension of an existing license will create additional demand on a range of public services. There is a direct link between the number of persons in public places who have consumed alcohol and the number of violent assaults that take place in that public place. This 'new' business for the police will involve reporting and investigating more instances of theft, anti social behaviour, drunkenness and serious assaults. No additional police resource will be available to cope with this extra demand. More people will be the victims of crime and more people will be injured.

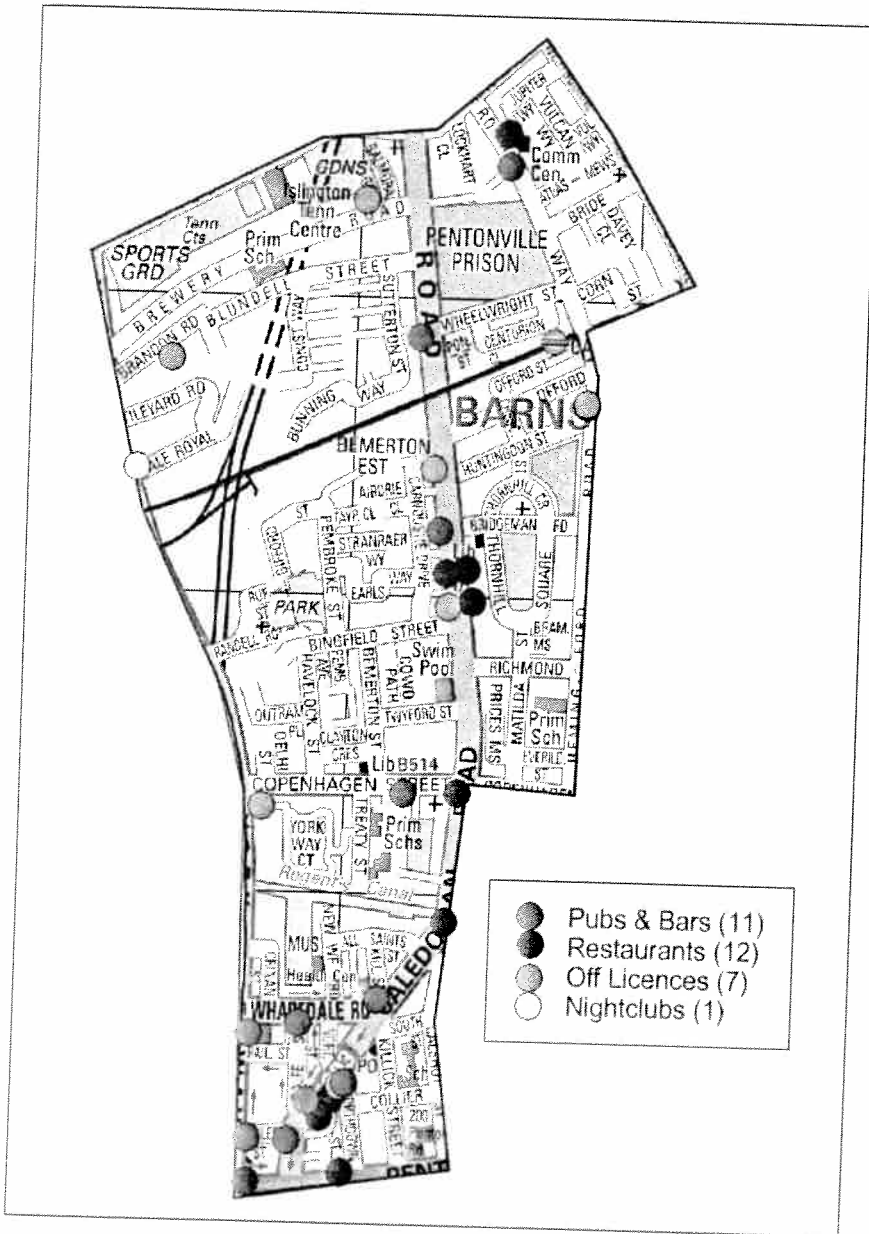
The number of Police personnel available both in terms of uniform deterrence and investigative capacity is at its lowest between the hours of 11pm and 8am. At a time when both Police resources are being severely squeezed long with the resources available to NHS I would strongly resist increasing the number of persons who have consumed alcohol onto the streets of Islington. I have dwindling resources to deal with the consequences. The average investigation into an allegation of Grievous Bodily Harm costs Islington Police £2000 to investigate. Last year Islington investigated over 350 such crimes. This takes no account of the costs to the NHS. It also takes no account of the thousands of alcohol-related Actual Bodily Harm and Common Assault investigations that are taken on by Islington Police every year.

In an area that is already saturated with Licensed Premises it is just not sustainable to keep increasing the number of people on those streets after midnight. No matter how well any establishment is run internally their very business case is based on growing the number of people who end up on the streets of Islington having been drinking. As local public services are already stretched then the inevitable consequence of granting more post-midnight licences is an increase in the number of victims of serious violence. I would ask that the licence application be rejected.

Detective Superintendent Steven Wallace
Islington Police

Licensed Premises in Caledonian

The map below shows locations of licensed premises in Caledonian Ward:

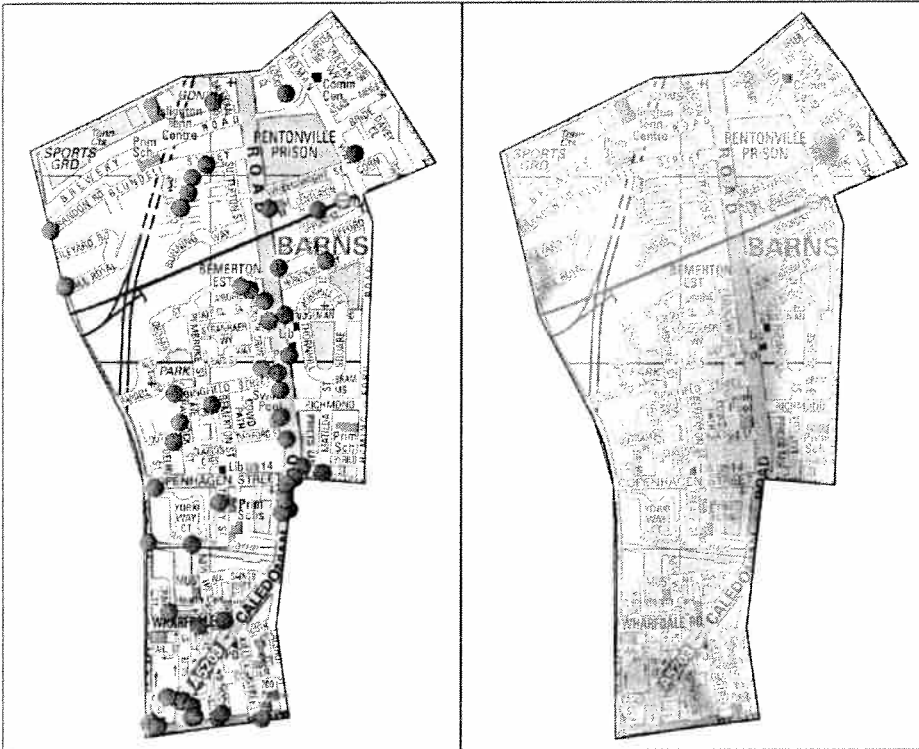


The majority of venues reside around the southern end of Caledonian Road. There is also a small cluster near the Bemerton Estate, on Caledonian Road.



Alcohol Related Violence

The maps and tables below show locations and hotspot areas for alcohol related violent crime offences, and a breakdown of crime types and peak days/times:



The largest hotspot areas can be seen along Caledonian Road and the southern edge of the ward.

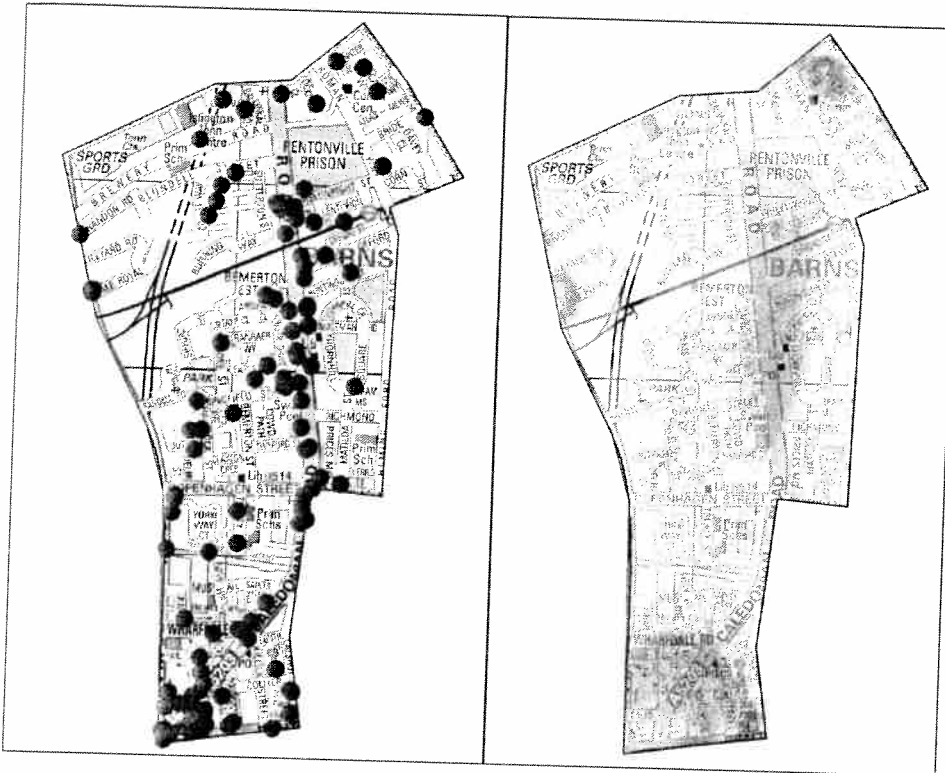
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0800-1159		1						1
1200-1559	1			1	2	1	3	8
1600-1959	1		1	1	2		3	8
2000-2359	2	1			3	4		10
0000-0359	3	3	3	4	1	7	13	34
0400-0759	1					2	4	7
Total	8	5	4	6	8	14	23	68

Offence	Total
ABH & M/Wound	32
Common Assault	15
Crime Related Incident	5
Pub Order S 4	4
GBH/Wound	3
Race Comm Ass	2
Race Dis	2
Race Har	2
Spec Investing	2
Harassment	1
Grand Total	68

Saturday-Sunday are the peak days overall, with peak times being between 0000-0400 hours. ABH and common assault are the most frequent types of alcohol violence. Alcohol related violence in Caledonian made up 9.7% of the borough total.

Alcohol Related Crime

The maps and tables below show locations and hotspot areas for all alcohol related crime offences, and a breakdown of crime types and peak days/times:



The largest hotspot areas can be seen along Caledonian Road and the southern edge of the ward.

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Total
0800-1159		1		1	1	1	1	5
1200-1559	2	1	2	2	5	1	3	16
1600-1959	1	1	1	2	3	1	5	14
2000-2359	3	3	3	2	7	7		25
0000-0359	5	4	6	10	4	12	20	61
0400-0759	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	19
Total	12	11	13	18	21	27	38	140

Offence	Total
ABH & M/Wound	32
Spec Investing	16
Common Assault	15
Crime Related Incident	14
Crim Dam <£500	7
Other theft	5
GBH/Wound	4
Poss Cannabis	4
Pub Order S 4	4
Rob pers	4
Affray	3
Other offence	32
Grand Total	140

Saturday-Sunday are the busiest days overall, with peak times being between 2000-0400 hours. ABH is the most frequent offence. Alcohol related crime in this area made up 7.7% of the borough total.

999 Calls - Alcohol Qualifiers

The tables below show areas of high 999 call activity within Caledonian that include an alcohol qualifier in the report, along with main call types and peak days/times:

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Grand Total
0800-1159						3	8	11
1200-1559	1	2		2	1		1	7
1600-1959	1	2		4	2	1	1	11
2000-2359	1	4	4	1	7	6	2	25
0000-0359	4			1	5	4	8	22
0400-0759	1		2	1	1	2	3	10
Grand Total	8	8	6	9	16	16	23	86

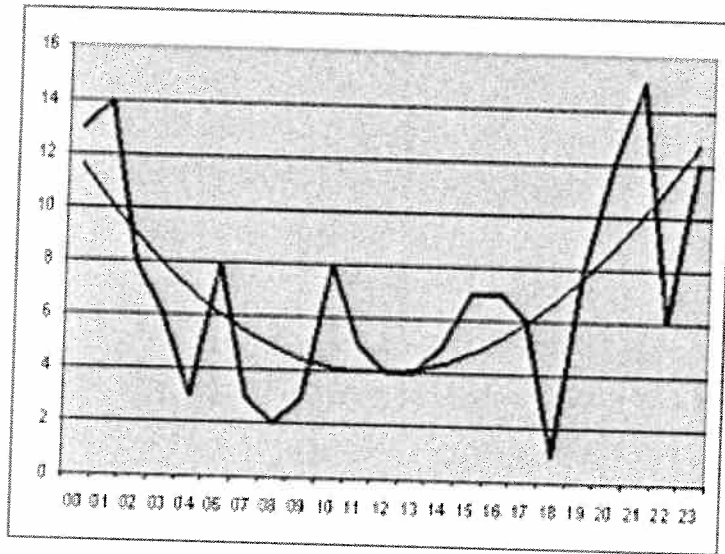
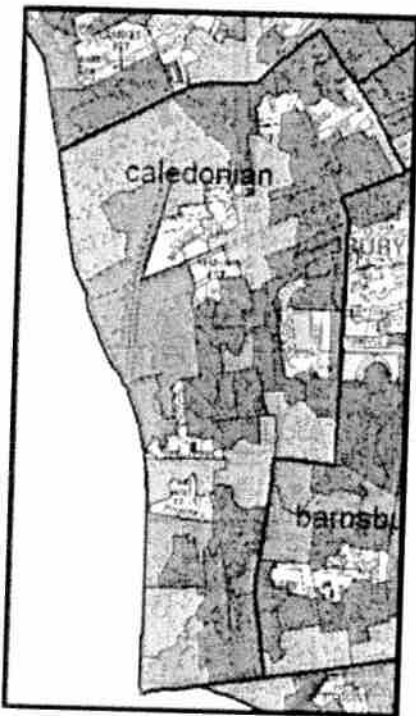
CAD Call Type	Total
Rowdy behaviour	29
Police activity	12
Violent offence	9
Illness/injury	8
Suspicious circumstances	6
Road related offence	5
Assistance required	4
Concern for safety	3
Begging	2
Contact record	2
Sexual offence	1
Burglary	1
Other theft	1
Criminal damage	1
RTC - injury	1
Rowdy neighbours	1
Grand Total	86

Most frequent call type is for rowdy behaviour. Friday-Sunday are the peak days, with peak times between 2000-0400 hours. Alcohol related calls in this area made up 6.9% of the borough total overall.

Caledonian Alcohol Issues

The most recent data available from LBI is presented below:

London Ambulance data indicates that between June 2010 and May 2011, ambulances were called to 160 incidents in Caledonian Ward where alcohol was noted as a feature. Data mapped according to Super Output Area highlights the vicinity towards the bottom of Caledonian Road and Pentonville Road as a prominent location for alcohol related attendances.



Temporal data indicates fluctuations from month to month. This may largely be seasonal with peaks identifiable during the summer months, May and June. In terms of days and time, more attendances were made by LAS on Sundays and between the hours of 20:00 – 01:00.

Outreach

Between June 2010 and May 2011 outreach teams recorded a total of 6 contacts with street drinkers in Caledonian Ward. Frequently identified locations included outside All Saints Church and along the Caledonian Road.

Caledonian Key Issues

The figures for below highlight some of the key issues linked to alcohol and the night time economy in Caledonian. Offences lists have occurred during the hours of 8pm to 6am between December 2010 and November 2011

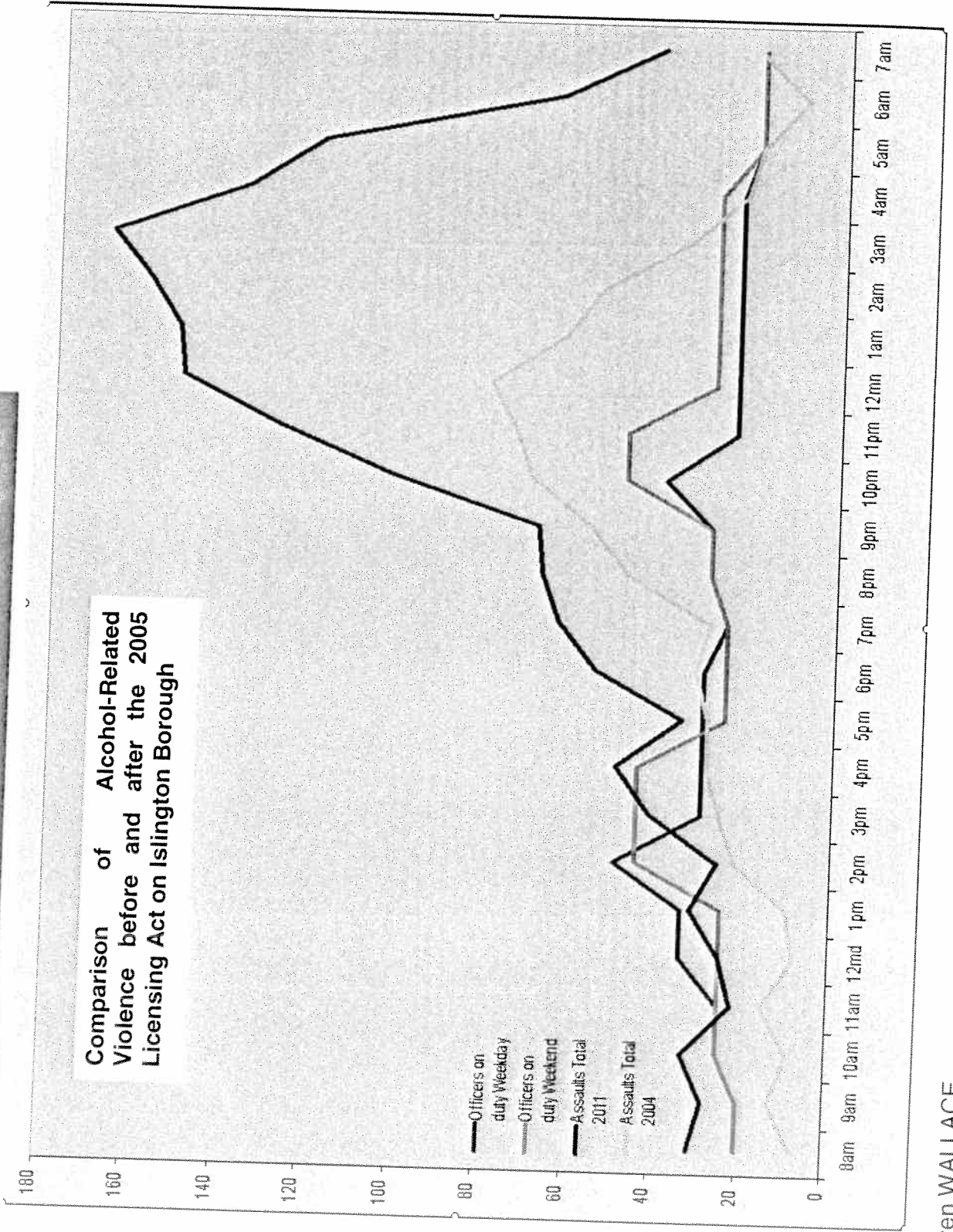
- There are 31 licensed premises already operating in the Ward.
- There were 149 violent offences, including:
 - 6 GBH
 - 2 Wounding
 - 2 Threats to Kill
- There were 452 property crimes, including 25 personal robberies

Borough Comparison Figures

The figures below show borough wide statistics for alcohol violence, alcohol related offences, and 999 calls with an **alcohol qualifier**. The time period in question is December 2010 to November 2011 unless stated:

- There were 704 violent offences involving alcohol
- The borough suffered 1820 crimes with alcohol as a contributing factor
- Police were called to 1248 emergency calls involving alcohol
- There were 1994 violence offences between the hours on 2000-0600
- There were 7382 property crime offences between the hours of 2000-0600
- The London Ambulance Service attended 2280 incidents in Islington between September 2010 and August 2011 where alcohol was recorded as a feature.
- Islington has a known cohort of street drinkers. These individuals often congregate in favoured places such as particular parks or areas of street pavement. Between July 2010 and June 2011 outreach teams recorded a total of 138 contacts with street drinkers across the borough.

Reclaim The Night



D/Supt Steven WALLACE

December 2011

Williams, John

From: Don.Stewart@met.pnn.police.uk
Sent: 19 January 2012 11:09
To: Williams, John; Tomashevski, Katie
Cc: info@adagroup.org.uk; Robin.Clark@met.police.uk
Subject: Caledonian General Store, 363 Caledonian Rd, N7

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Please find attached a statement from the Caledonian Safer Neighbourhood Team supporting the police objection to your variation application.

You have our numbers should you wish to discuss this matter further.

Regards

Don Stewart Pc115NI
Licensing Officer
Islington Police

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WITNESS STATEMENT

CJ Act 1967, s.9; MC Act 1980, ss.5A(3)(a) and 5B; Criminal Procedure Rules 2005, Rule 27.1

Statement of **Rowena Dark**..... URN:

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Age if under 18 **Over 18** (if over 18 insert 'over 18') Occupation: **Police Constable**

This statement (consisting of: ... **2** pages 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 anything in it which I know to be false, or do not believe to be true.

Signature: Date: 18th January 2012

Tick if witness evidence is visually recorded (supply witness details on rear)

I am a Police Officer working on Caledonian Ward Safer Neighbourhoods on Islington Borough. I have been asked to write a statement reference to the alcohol problems on my ward involving Anti Social Behaviour.

I have worked on this ward for almost two years and have had many dealings with the problems caused with underage drinking and the alcoholics/street drinkers which seem to plague this area.

One of my main concerns is with the kids around this area drinking along Caledonian Road. The kids who are not old enough to go into the pubs will get alcohol from the local shops either by buying it themselves, or asking passers by to get it for them. The latter being the biggest problem. The local kids in this area are well known and manipulate people into buying it. Some people often get threatened by these kids. These kids will intimidate people with their large numbers, up to 20 at any given time, and threaten those who refuse. People who have refused in the past have even been attacked when trying to leave the area. They have been too scared to make an official report to police. I have, many times witnessed these youths on bikes, with bottles of beer in their hands cycling dangerously on pavements keeping their hoods up so I can't see who they are.

The kids having purchased alcohol will then hang around in large numbers outside some of the pubs where it is pedestrianised shouting abuse at passers by which is a daily occurrence during the summer months. Most of which have bottles of beer in hand. Its local knowledge that they buy it from the local stores and one did inform me he had bought it from a store, but refused to tell me which one. I was told it's easy to get it hold of.

My concerns with which how easy it is for them to get alcohol at present will only get worsen if given opportunities to buy it late into the night. Their manipulative ways of purchasing alcohol will continue.

Recently there has been a spate of windows being smashed on the estates. This has been happening in the early hours of the morning. We have no evidence to prove who committed these offences but I'm told it's drunken youths. A few beer bottles where found nearby where we suspect the youths had been loitering around getting drunk. Local residents are terrified of these drunken youths who have no respect whatsoever for their surroundings.

Signature: Signature witnessed by:

Continuation of Statement of **Rowena Dark**.....

Another problem is the local street drinkers in this area. These drinkers will congregate in areas where they can purchase alcohol. Anywhere between 5-10 people at any given time. They have been moved from Kings Cross Railway and now loiter along Caledonian Road near the shops where they can purchase alcohol. Again the street drinkers are rude and aggressive to passers by. Stumbling around on the pavement and falling into people walking past. They show no respect for their surroundings.

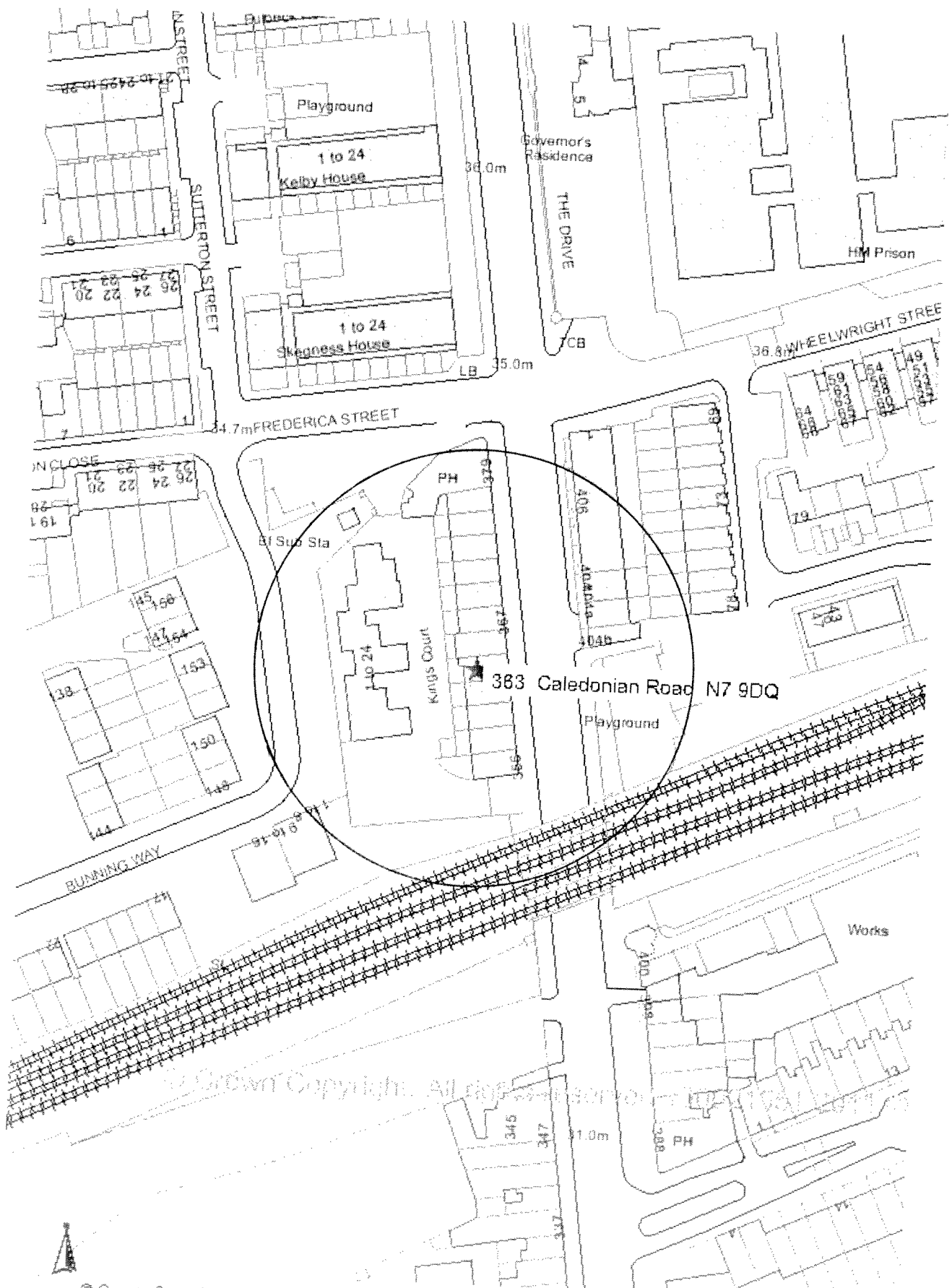
Given an opportunity to buy alcohol late into the night/early hours mean they will simply be hanging around longer making local residents feel intimidated and threatened by the way they behave.

People walking home late at night feel quite threatened by all of the behaviour mentioned in this statement. Most say they are too scared to be alone late at night for fear of the street drinkers and the drunken youths. Their drunken behaviour is unpredictable and frightening for all concerned including myself.

Signature: Signature witnessed by:

Suggested conditions of approval consistent with the operating schedule

1. Any incidents of a criminal that occur at the premises shall be reported to the police.
2. Toilets shall be checked every two hours when the premises is open to the public to deter the use of drugs. A record of these checks shall be documented and made available to the police upon request.
3. The licensee shall ensure that appropriate fire safety procedures are in place including fire extinguishers, fire blanket, internally illuminated fire signs, smoke detectors and emergency lighting. All fire safety equipment shall be tested by qualified personnel annually.
4. All emergency exits shall be kept free of obstructions at all times.
5. All customers shall be asked to leave quietly.
6. Prominent, clear and legible notices must be displayed at all exits requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to leave the premises and the area quietly.
7. No deliveries will take place on Sunday or Bank Holidays and between the hours of 22:00 and 07:00 other days of the week.
8. No rubbish including bottles will be moved, removed or placed in outside areas on Sundays or Bank Holidays and between the hours of 22:00 and 07:00 other days of the week.
9. The licensee shall adopt the Challenge 21 proof of age scheme.
10. The licensee shall ensure that staff are trained about age restricted products and ensure that they sign to confirm that they have understood the training. The licensee shall keep records of training and instruction given to staff.
11. The licensee shall put arrangements in place to ensure that before serving alcohol to young persons, staff ask to see accredited proof of age cards e.g. Citizencard, a Passport, or UK Driving Licence bearing the photograph and date of birth of the bearer.
12. The licensee shall require staff to note any refusals to sell to young people in a refusals log. The refusals log shall be checked and signed monthly by the designated premises supervisor. The refusals log shall be made available for inspection by the licensing team, police or trading standards.



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