## MR. & MRS. J. SECKINGTON



Licencing London Borough of Merton 1<sup>st</sup> floor Access Civic Centre London Road Morden SM4 5DX

12 Feb. 2018

Dear Sirs,

## <u>Premier Inn, 153/161 The Broadway, SW19 1NE New Premises Licence – Application Reference: WK/201710801</u>

We shall be grateful if you will please note our following objections to this application.

The original Planning Application (16/P1149) referred to a restaurant for use by "... guests ... as well as ... for public use."

In our 20 May 2016 letter of objection to the Planning Application May we requested the Council to '... ensure that sufficient constraints are put on the operator to ensure this is not subsequently turned into a "cash-cow" bar, open to all, with late hours. Our recollection of the previous use of the ground floor is that it was primarily a rough and rowdy bar, with police vehicles in attendance regularly, usually late at night. A repetition of this needs to be avoided when and if consent is granted'.

We are therefore concerned to see that this licence application ids for the sale of Alcohol on and off the Premises between 10.00 - 23.00, Mon to Thurs., 06.00 - 00.00 Fri. to Sun. This is very different to the original application terms and we therefore wish to reiterate all of our concerns which we raised in our 20 May 2016 letter and we believe the application will compromise:

The prevention of crime and disorder; Public safety;

The prevention of public nuisance.

Yours faithfully.