

WYTHALL RESIDENTS **ASSOCIATION**



Hon Secretary:

14th June 2012

Dear Sir or Madam,

Licensing Act 2003 - Application for Grant of Premises Licence

One Stop Stores Limited, 262, Station Road, Wythall, B47 6EY

Wythall Residents Association represents the interests and concerns of many hundreds of residents in Wythall. Accordingly, we wish to formally object to the application for a Licence to Supply Alcohol for consumption off the premises which has been submitted by One Stop Stores

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Yours faithfully,



Michael Cheal Chairman – WRA

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Appending 2

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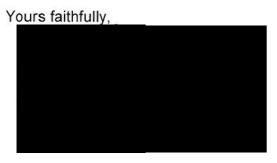
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I would like the opportunity to address the Committee on this issue.



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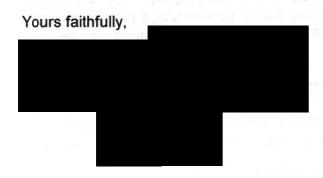
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26 June 2012

Dear Sirs,

Application for 262 Station Road, Wythall

In my capacity as the Ward Councillor for the area in question, the local Residents' Action Group (Wythall South Residents' Action Group) have asked me to submit their views with regards to the licence application at 262 Station Road, Wythall.

The Residents' Group feel that granting such an extensive licence in terms of operative times (6am-11pm) for this premises will not promote the licensing objectives, particularly the prevention of public nuisance:

- The premises is immediately neighboured by two residential properties. The
 general operational noise and light between early in the morning (6am) and late into the
 evening (11pm) would impact on the residents who live just a few metres from the
 premises.
- The area surrounding the premises is a residential one. The Residents' Group are concerned
 that the sale of alcohol for consumption off the premises will lead to litter and waste in the
 immediate vicinity.

Yours sincerely,

Jonathan Boulter Councillor for Wythall South Ward, Bromsgrove District Council

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