

APPENDIX C

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To whom it may concern,

RE: MELTON BOROUGH COUNCIL, STATEMENT OF LICENSING POLICY

I am writing to you regarding Melton Borough Council's current Statement of Licensing Policy which was adopted by Full Council on 16 December 2015 following statutory consultation.

During this process consultation comments were submitted relating to the Cumulative Impact Zone which was subsequently extended; these comments were received from Leicestershire Police (local level) and Public Health (by Louise Lester on behalf of Mike Sandys at Leicestershire County Council).

Since the approval of the Statement of Licensing Policy, Melton Town Centre has attained the prestigious "Purple Flag" status and, following the assessment, a recommendation was made to remove the Cumulative Impact Zone as detailed below:

PURPLE FLAG ASSESSOR SPOT CHECK REPORT	
Location of Entry:	Melton Mowbray
Date of Assessment:	19th August 2016
Name of Assessors:	Keith Rundle Mark Dempsey
Accreditation Panel Review Date:	08/09/2016
Decision:	PF Accreditation Awarded
Panel Comments:	<u>The panel feel it would be an achievement to work towards now removing the cumulative impact zone area now that PF has been awarded.</u> Guildford have achieved this and it would be worth talking to them about how things were managed. Progress report at Interim renewal 2017.

In light of the recommendation by the Purple Flag Assessors the intention is to completely remove the Cumulative Impact Zone from the current Statement of Licensing Policy; further information on the Purple Flag scheme and their criteria can be found at:
https://www.atcm.org/programmes/purple_flag/WelcometoPurpleFlag

Clearly any changes to the Statement of Licensing Policy would go through the full consultation process which would consist of the draft document being taken to Licensing & Regulatory Committee on 12 June 2017, then to Full Council for permission to commence consultation on 19 July 2017 and finally, following a 12 week consultation period, back to Full Council for further consideration or approval on 13 December 2017.

The purpose of this letter is to request your initial thoughts on this matter and invite you to contact me for further discussion if required.

Enclosed for your information is the committee report, with appendices 1 & 3.

Yours Faithfully,

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Please note my working days are Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 18.5 hours/week