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Dear Sirs,

Ref: Licensing Application ref 21/00653/LaPRE2.

The Crooked Billet, Symonds Green Lane, Stevenage SG1 2HP

We would refer to the Licensing Application for alterations to the Licensing to the Crooked Billet Public House - ref 21/00653/LaPRE2.


We note that the owners of the Crooked Billet Public House in Symonds Green are looking to alter and extend the licensing arrangements. The reason for the application to change the licensing hours is unclear. We would like to record that we object to the proposal to extend the hours and consider it to be inappropriate.

The Crooked Billet Pub is within a residential area and the only means of access, vehicle and pedestrian, is through the residential area via Eastbourne Avenue and Symonds Green Lane. Both roads are closely edged by residential housing. This area is currently very quiet with very little traffic during the day and evening. If the application is approved cars and pedestrians would leave via these roads and paths disturbing residents through the late evening to early hours of the morning. The alteration to the hours will affect the residents in the Symonds Green area and cause a nuisance late at night.

The Crooked Billet Pub is also within a Conservation Area and the extension to the hours will affect the character of the area. The pub has always been family orientated and we do not consider that a late-night extension is warranted.

To conclude, we object to the proposal to extend the opening hours of the Crooked  
Billet Public House as the proposal are not appropriate for a residential area and will  
affect the character of the Conservation area.

Yours faithfully



Mr and Mrs A.C. Goldstone