

Sarah Mardon

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 02 April 2026 12:20
To: Licensing (HDC)
Subject: Re: Representation Objecting to Late-Night Opening

Dear Sarah,

Thank you for your update regarding the mediation.

I acknowledge the conditions agreed by the applicant. While I appreciate the efforts made, I still have ongoing concerns regarding the overall impact on the local area, particularly in relation to late-night operations and associated disturbances.

In addition, I remain concerned about delivery drivers operating without appropriate insurance, including vehicles not being insured for food delivery/business use. This raises serious safety and compliance issues. I also have concerns about the increased pollution and noise that may be generated during the proposed operating hours.

Furthermore, I would like to highlight that this particular business has previously been warned by the police, and there have been at least two instances where drivers were caught operating without insurance. Despite this, the activity appears to be continuing, which raises serious concerns regarding compliance and enforcement.

While I understand that some of these matters fall under separate legislation, they still contribute to the wider impact on the community and the licensing objectives.

At this stage, I would prefer for the matter to proceed to a Licensing Sub-Committee Hearing so that I can present my concerns in full to the panel.

Thank you for your assistance, and I look forward to further details regarding the hearing.

Kind regards,
[REDACTED]

On Thu, Apr 2, 2026 at 10:51 AM Licensing (HDC) <Licensing@huntingdonshire.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear [REDACTED]

I wanted to update you on the progress of the mediation.

The applicant has agreed to adhere to the following conditions.

1. The premises will operate a delivery service only from 23:00 to 02:00. Customers will not be permitted to collect orders directly from the premises during this time.

2. All staff to complete training and refresher training on Welfare and Vulnerability every 12 months. The training will be documented and made available to an authorised officer of a responsible authority upon request.

3. Prominent, clear and legible notices to be displayed at all exits requesting the public to respect the needs of local residents and to leave the premises and the area quietly.

4. All incidents which impact on any of the four licensing objectives shall be recorded in an Incident Log kept at the premises, and will be made available for inspection by police or authorised officer of a responsible authority.

5. The Licence holder shall ensure that adequate measures are in place to remove litter or waste arising from the immediate vicinity of their premises.

In addition, I need to advise you the concerns you have regarding the delivery drivers conduct of driving and insurances, is not something that can be dealt with through this licensing regime. There are already laws in place to govern these activities under the Road Traffic Act, for which the Police have suitable authorisation to deal with.

Given the above information, please could you let me know if the above conditions satisfy your concerns regarding this application. If so, please could you withdraw your representation.

If your concerns are not satisfied, the application will be referred to a licensing Sub-Committee Hearing to which you will be invited to allow you the opportunity to voice your concerns directly to the panel, before they determine the application.

I would be grateful if you could let me know how you wish to proceed within the next 24hrs.

Kind regards

Sarah