

REPORT OF GROUP DIRECTOR, NEIGHBOURHOO	DS AND HOUSING	3
LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE: 24/08/2021	Classification DECISION	Enclosure
Application for a Premises Licence Nest Morning Lane LTD Arches 392/393 Mentmore Terrace E8 3PH	Ward(s) affected London Fields	

### 1. SUMMARY

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Policies Applicable	LP1 (General Principles) and LP2 (Licensing Objectives)
List of Appendices	A – Application for a premises licence and supporting documents B – Representations from Responsible Authorities C– Representations from other persons D– Location map
Relevant Representations	<ul><li>Licensing Authority</li><li>Other Persons</li></ul>

#### 2. APPLICATION

- 2.1 Nest Morning Lane LTD have made an application for a premises licence under the Licensing Act 2003:
  - To authorise late night refreshment
  - To authorise supply alcohol for consumption on the premises
- 2.2 The application is attached as Appendix A. The application has been amended following the applicant's agreement to the removal of recorded music and Off-sales from the application. The proposed hours for supply of alcohol have been reduced to those described in para 1. The applicant has proposed measures that could be converted to conditions (see paragraph 8.1 below).

#### CURRENT STATUS / HISTORY

- 3.1 The premises are not currently licensed for any activity.
- 3.2 No TENs have been submitted in respect of the premises in the current calendar year

#### 4. REPRESENTATIONS: RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES

From	Details
Environmental Health Authority (Environmental Protection)	No representation received
Environmental Health Authority (Environmental Enforcement)	Representation withdrawn following agreements of conditions as set out in Para 9.1 below
Environmental Health Authority (Health & Safety)	No representation received
Weights and Measures (Trading Standards)	No representation received
Planning Authority	No representation received

Area Child Protection Officer	No representation received
Fire Authority	Have confirmed no representation on this application
Police Authority	Representation withdrawn following applicant's agreement to reduce the hours for supply of alcohol and amended conditions as set out in Para 9.1 below
Licensing Authority Appendix B	Representation received on the ground of the Prevention of Public Nuisance
Health Authority	Representation withdrawn following applicant's agreement to reduce the start time of supply of alcohol.

#### 5. REPRESENTATIONS: OTHER PERSONS

From	Details
18 Representations have been received from and on behalf of local residents. Appendices C1 to C18	Representation received on the grounds of The Prevention of Crime and Disorder, Public Safety and Prevention of Public Nuisance
	C14 has been withdrawn following agreement of condition "34 and 35 " See Para 9.1 below

#### 6. GUIDANCE CONSIDERATIONS

The Licensing Authority is required to have regard to any guidance issued by the Secretary of State under the Licensing Act 2003.

#### 7. POLICY CONSIDERATIONS

- 7.1 The Licensing Sub-Committee is required to have regard to the London Borough of Hackney's Statement of Licensing Policy ("the Policy") adopted by the Licensing Authority.
- 7.2 The Policy applies to applications where relevant representations have been made. With regard to this application, policies, LP1 (General Principles), LP2 (Licensing Objectives) and LP4 ('Off' Sales of Alcohol) are relevant.

#### 8. OFFICER OBSERVATIONS

8.1 If the Sub-Committee is minded to the application, the following conditions should be applied to the licence:

### Supply Of Alcohol (On/Both)

1. No supply of alcohol may be made under the premises licence:

- (a) At a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of the premises licence.
- (b) At a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or his personal licence is suspended.
- 2. Every supply of alcohol under the premises licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.
- 3. (1) The responsible person must ensure that staff on relevant premises do not carry out, arrange or participate in any irresponsible promotions in relation to the premises.
- (2) In this paragraph, an irresponsible promotion means any one or more of the following activities, or substantially similar activities, carried on for the purpose of encouraging the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises -
- (a) games or other activities which require or encourage, or are designed to require or encourage, individuals to;
- (i) drink a quantity of alcohol within a time limit (other than to drink alcohol sold or supplied on the premises before the cessation of the period in which the responsible person is authorised to sell or supply alcohol), or
- (ii) drink as much alcohol as possible (whether within a time limit or otherwise);
- (b) provision of unlimited or unspecified quantities of alcohol free or for a fixed or discounted fee to the public or to a group defined by a particular characteristic in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
- (c) provision of free or discounted alcohol or any other thing as a prize to encourage or reward the purchase and consumption of alcohol over a period of 24 hours or less in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
- (d) selling or supplying alcohol in association with promotional posters or flyers on, or in the vicinity of, the premises which can reasonably be considered to condone, encourage or glamorise anti-social behaviour or to refer to the effects of drunkenness in any favourable manner.
- (e) dispensing alcohol directly by one person into the mouth of another (other than where that other person is unable to drink without assistance by reason of a disability).
- 4. The responsible person must ensure that free potable water is provided on request to customers where it is reasonably available.
- 5. 5.1. The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sales or supply of alcohol.
- 5.2 The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licences must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.
- 5.3. The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years if age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either:-
- A. a holographic mark or

- B. an ultraviolet feature.
- 6. The responsible person shall ensure that:
- a) where any of the following alcoholic drinks is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises (other than alcoholic drinks sold or supplied having been made up in advance ready for sale or supply in a securely closed container) it is available to customers in the following measures:
- beer or cider: 1/2 pint;
- gin, rum, vodka or whisky: 25ml or 35ml; and
- still wine in a glass: 125ml; and
- a. these measures are displayed in a menu, price list or other printed material which is available to customers on the premises; and
- b. where a customer does not in relation to a sale of alcohol specify the quantity of alcohol to be sold, the customer is made aware that these measures are available.

#### **Minimum Drinks Pricing**

- 7.1 A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.
- 7.2 For the purposes of the condition set out in paragraph 7.1 above -
- (a) "duty" is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979:
- (i) "permitted price" is the price found by applying the formula P = D+(DxV) Where-P is the permitted price,
- (ii) D is the amount of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and
- (iii) V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol;
- (b) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence -
- (i) the holder of the premises licence,
- (ii) the designated premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or
- (iii) the personal licence holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence;
- (c) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and
- (d) "value added tax" means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994.
- 7.3 Where the permitted price given by Paragraph 8.2(b) above would (apart from this paragraph) not be a whole number of pennies, the price given by that sub-paragraph shall be taken to be the price actually given by that sub- paragraph rounded up to the nearest penny.
- 7.4 (1) Sub-paragraph 7.4(2) below applies where the permitted price given by Paragraph 7.2(b) above on a day ("the first day") would be different from the permitted price on the next day ("the second day") as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax.

(2) The permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.

### Conditions derived from operating schedule

- 8. The premises will have a comprehensive operational CCTV system for all public areas and the two entry and exit points will be covered enabling frontal identification of every person entering in any light condition. The CCTV system will continually record whilst the premises is open and all times when customers remain on the premises. All recordings shall be stored for a minimum period of 31 days with date and time stamping. Recordings shall be made available immediately upon the request of Police or other authorised officers.
- 9. There shall be a staff member who understands the operation of the CCTV system on the premises at all times, when the restaurant is open to the public. This staff member will be able to show a Police or authorised council officer recent data or footage when requested.
- 10. Signs reminding customers to leave quietly and respect local residents will be prominently displayed at all entrance and exit points.
- 11. A Challenge 25 proof of age scheme shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are recognised photographic identification cards, such as a driving licence or passport.
- 12. An incident log shall be kept at the restaurant, and made available on request to an authorised officer of the council or the police, which will record the following.
- a. Any crimes reported:
- b. Any ejections of patrons
- c. Any complaints received.
- d. Any incidents of disorder.
- e. Seizure of drugs or offensive weapons.
- f. Any faults in the CCTV system.
- g. Any refusal of the sale of alcohol.
- h. Any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.
- 13. We operate a zero tolerance policy to drugs and comply with Hackney Police Drugs and Weapons policy where appropriate.
- 14. All instances of crime and disorder will be reported by the Designated Premises Supervisor or responsible member of staff to an agreed police contact point.
- 15. All staff shall receive training on the legislation relating to the sales of alcohol to underage persons and drunken persons. There shall be written records of such training, which will be kept on the premises and produced to a police officer or other authorised officer upon request.
- 16. There shall be no glass or open containers taken outside of the premises at any time, except for those purchased as an off sale and packaged correctly
- 17. Staff shall ensure that any queues that may form outside of the premises are managed to ensure that there is no obstruction to the footway and do not cause any nuisance to the local residents.

- 18. After 2100hrs there shall be a maximum of 4 smokers outside the demarcated premises line at any one time. These customers shall be monitored by staff to ensure that they do not cause public nuisance.
- 19. The licence holder shall maintain a dedicated telephone number of the DPS or Duty manager for use by any responsible authority or any person wishing to make a complaint.
- 20. The procedure for handling and preparing for disposal of general, recycling, food & other waste shall be in writing and displayed in a prominent place in the restaurant where it can be referred to at all times by staff. We ensure that any contract with the council for general and recyclable waste disposal shall be appropriate in size to the amount of waste we produce. We shall maintain an adequate supply of waste bins/receptacles i.e. refuse sacks & commercial waste bins in order to ensure all refuse is presented for collection for the waste carrier and shall not use unidentifiable refuse sacks.
- 21. We make regular checks of the area immediately outside the premises and remove any litter, bottles and glasses that create nuisance or look univiting & unprofessional to guests & the local community. A final check is always made at close of business.
- 22. We have a suitable receptacle for cigarette ends outside which does not cause obstruction.
- 23. The current trade waste agreement/duty of care waste transfer document shall be conspicuously displayed and maintained in the window of the premises where it can be conveniently seen and read by persons standing in the restaurant. This will remain unobstructed at all times and will clearly identify:-
- the name of the registered waste carrier
- the date of when we started the trade waste contract
- the date of expiry of trade waste contract
- the days and times of collection
- the type of waste including the European Waste Code
- 24. Food waste in general is kept as low as possible and our recycling operation includes food waste, alongside glass, cardboard & mixed recycling.
- 25. External Areas shall only be used between 08.00 -22.00 all week. Exception for 4 smokers outside the demarcated area, premises line at any one time.
- 26.Alcohol shall not be sold, supplied or consumed otherwise than to persons seated taking a substantial meal from the menu. The supply of alcohol shall be waiter/waitress service only.
- 27. The Licensee shall ensure that all staff are fully trained and made aware of the legal requirement of businesses to comply with their responsibility as regards the disposal of waste produced from the business premises. The procedure for handling and preparing for disposal of the waste shall be in writing and displayed in a prominent place where it can be referred to at all times by staff.
- 28. The Licensee shall ensure that any contract for general and recyclable waste disposal shall be appropriate in size to the amount of waste produced by the business. The Licensee shall maintain an adequate supply of waste receptacles provided by his registered waste

carrier (refuse sacks or commercial waste bins) in order to ensure all refuse emanating from the business is always presented for collection by his waste carrier and shall not use any plain black or unidentifiable refuse sacks or any other unidentifiable or unmarked waste receptacles.

- 29. In order to minimise the amount of time any waste remains on the public highway in readiness for collection, the Licensee will ensure the timeframe within which it may expect its waste carrier to be collected and adhered to.
- 30. The Licensee shall instruct members of staff to make regular checks of the area immediately outside the premises and remove any litter, bottles and glasses emanating from the premises. A final check should be made at close of business.
- 31. The Licensee shall provide a safe receptacle for cigarette ends to be placed outside for the use of customers, such receptacle being carefully placed so as not to cause an obstruction or trip.
- 32. The current trade waste agreement/duty of care waste transfer document shall be conspicuously displayed and maintained in the window of the premises where it can be conveniently seen and read by persons standing in Nest. This should remain unobstructed at all times and should clearly identify:-
  - the name of the registered waste carrier
  - the date of commencement of trade waste contract
  - the date of expiry of trade waste contract
  - the days and times of collection
  - the type of waste including the European Waste Code
- 33. After 10PM guests will leave the premises using the rear exit i.e. no customer access or exit on Mentmore Terrace past this time.
- 34. There will be no outside seating or service of any kind, at any time on Mentmore Terrace.
- 35. There will be no outside seating in the back courtyard past 1800hrs (6PM) except for those with disabilities/illness

#### 9. REASONS FOR OFFICER OBSERVATIONS

9.1 Conditions 8 to 25 above are derived from the applicant's operating schedule.

Condition 26 has been agreed with the Police Authority and conditions 27 to 32 have been agreed with Environmental Enforcement. C14 has been withdrawn following the agreement of removal of Off Sales and proposed conditions 34 and 35.

#### 10. LEGAL COMMENTS

- 10.1 The Council has a duty as a Licensing Authority under the Licensing Act 2003 to carry out its functions with a view to promoting the following 4 licensing objectives:
  - The Prevention of Crime and Disorder
  - Public Safety
  - Prevention of Public Nuisance
  - The Protection of Children from Harm
- 10.2 It should be noted that each of the licensing objectives have equal importance and are the only grounds upon which a relevant representation can be made and for which an application can be refused or terms and conditions attached to a licence.

#### 11. HUMAN RIGHTS ACT 1998 IMPLICATIONS

#### 11,1 There are implications to;

- Article 6 Right to a fair hearing
- Article 14 Not to discriminate
- Balancing: Article 1- Peaceful enjoyment of their possession (i.e. a licence
  is defined as being a possession) with Article 8 Right of Privacy (i.e. respect
  private & family life) to achieve a proportionate decision having regard to the
  protection of an individuals' rights against the interests of the community at
  large.

#### 12. MEMBERS DECISION MAKING

#### Option 1

That the application be refused

#### Option 2

That the application be approved, together with any conditions or restrictions which Members consider necessary for the promotion of the Licensing objectives.

#### 13. CONCLUSION

13.1 That Members decide on the application under the Licensing Act 2003.

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#### LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS RELATING TO THIS REPORT

The following document(s) has been relied upon in the preparation of the report.

Description of document	Location
Office File:	Licensing Service
Nest, 392/392 Mentmore Terrace, E8 3PH	1 Hillman Street
	London
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#### Printed matter

Licensing Act 2003 LBH Statement of Licensing Policy

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Please give a general description of the premises (please read guidance note 1)  We serve seasonal British produce in a low key, intimate & high-end food-led setting. Sustainability & fairness is at the heart of what we do; The food & drinks we serve have been farmed or produced using sustainable, organic and/or biodynamic methods, we work with suppliers as local to us as possible. We offer good pay & apprentice/work experience opportunities. We recycle and avoid waste as much as possible & have set up operating conditions in order to protect the licensing objectives. We are moving our restaurant, Nest, from a nearby location to this premises, we have been incredibly well received by the local community over the last 4 years & have had no issues in regards to the licensing objectives.
If 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend.

What licensable activities do you intend to carry on from the premises?

(Please see sections 1 and 14 and Schedules 1 and 2 to the Licensing Act 2003)

Prov	vision of regulated entertainment (please read guidance Please tick that apply	all				
a)	plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)					
b)	films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)					
c)	indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C)					
d)	boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)					
e)	live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)					
f)	recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)	<b>√</b>				
g)	performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)					
h)	anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H)					
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State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as designated premises supervisor (Please see declaration about the entitlement to work in the checklist at the end of the form):

Name Luke W	asserman	
Date of birth		
Address		
Postcode		
Personal licence	e number (if known)	

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Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 9).

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M Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:
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c) Public safety
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e) The protection of children from harm

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### Checklist:

# Please tick to indicate agreement

•	I have made or enclosed payment of the fee.	./
•	I have enclosed the plan of the premises.	./
•	I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable.	<b>√</b>
•	I have enclosed the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be designated premises supervisor, if applicable.	<b>√</b>
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IT IS AN OFFENCE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION. THOSE WHO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT MAY BE LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE OF ANY AMOUNT.

IT IS AN OFFENCE UNDER SECTION 24B OF THE IMMIGRATION ACT 1971 FOR A PERSON TO WORK WHEN THEY KNOW, OR HAVE REASONABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE, THAT THEY ARE DISQUALIFIED FROM DOING SO BY REASON OF THEIR IMMIGRATION STATUS. THOSE WHO EMPLOY AN ADULT WITHOUT LEAVE OR WHO IS SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS AS TO EMPLOYMENT WILL BE LIABLE TO A CIVIL PENALTY UNDER SECTION 15 OF THE IMMIGRATION, ASYLUM AND NATIONALITY ACT 2006 AND PURSUANT TO SECTION 21 OF THE SAME ACT, WILL BE COMMITTING AN OFFENCE WHERE THEY DO SO IN THE KNOWLEDGE, OR WITH REASONABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE, THAT THE EMPLOYEE IS DISQUALIFIED.

# Part 4 - Signatures (please read guidance note 11)

Signature of applicant or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (see guidance note 12). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

Declaration	<ul> <li>[Applicable to individual applicants only, including those in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership] I understand I am not entitled to be issued with a licence if I do not have the entitlement to live and work in the UK (or if I am subject to a condition preventing me from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity) and that my licence will become invalid if I cease to be entitled to live and work in the UK (please read guidance note 15).</li> </ul>
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Date	12/4/2021
Capacity	

For joint applications, signature of  $2^{nd}$  applicant or  $2^{nd}$  applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent (please read guidance note 13). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

Signature						
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Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 14)						
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If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail, your e-mail address (optional)						

Hi all.

We wanted to make contact with you directly and clarify a few things regarding our recent application for a Premises License at 392/3 Mentmore Terrace.

Firstly, we want to make it crystal clear about what the site will be used for and definitely what it will not be used for. We feel there are a lot of grey areas due to the nature of the application process specifically surrounding the service of alcohol and the use of recorded music.

We are a very small business made up of three very long term friends who are based in Hackney. We have managed to survive the last year and we are looking to open a Tasting Menu seasonal British restaurant. We will be working with the very best regenerative, organic/biodynamic and sustainably driven farmers and producers.

This is a very low key, intimate Tasting Menu experience consisting of 8 to 15 courses. It will take up to 3.5 hours, which will result in dramatically lower amounts of guests during service compared to the usual 1.5/2 hour booking which is generally the norm.

Being local to the area we are all too aware of the rise in antisocial behaviour and nuisance around London Fields. The nature of this restaurant means we are very low risk in this regard, nevertheless we take our responsibility, as any business in the area should, very seriously and have a number of conditions which we operate to. Please find our conditions attached for your reference.

We want to stress from the outset that this is in no way an alcohol led restaurant. If people in the area would like that sort of experience there are, in our opinion, more than enough options on Broadway Market, Mare Street etc. Alcohol is only ever served to accompany the long tasting menu meal, to enhance this intimate & personal experience.

Almost 100% of bookings will be pre-booked and made online, this space will not have a 'drop-in'/walk-in culture like many restaurants, pubs etc in the area. And of course there will never be queues as per some operators. This restaurant is built on an understated high end food experience, we see it as a 'hidden' destination that suits the low key nature of the location. With regards to travel, being the site of the old ticket office and therefore so close to the station we would expect and advise customers to use that mode of transport to get to the restaurant, avoiding the potential for traffic on Mentmore Terrace. Due to the nature of the food format that we will operate to (set menu, low volume) there will be much less people leaving the premises late at night.

Any recorded music will be very much background, ambient & quiet to match the intimate experience. It is not a bustling energetic restaurant, pub or club, we now understand we do not need a license for this quiet background music. Sorry for any confusion about that.

In terms of operating hours, in the application process there is not the option to differentiate hours for on-site and off-site sales of alcohol. We would like to clarify that any alcohol served

onsite will only be served with the Tasting Menu meal. The majority of the time this will start no earlier than 1800hrs. For days where we envisage serving lunch (to start will likely be Friday, Saturday, Sunday) this would start no earlier than midday. The only reason to be able to serve any food or drink from 11pm to midnight, is for the small amount of people that will be on the last courses or cheese course, should they like a drink to accompany it. It is in no way late night alcohol service, we imagine on average the number of guests in the building at this time will be 10-15 guests who are finishing the meal.

Any off-site sales are only included in the application as a small insurance should another situation like this last year happen again or if another strain of the virus were to spread. In the event of more restrictions/lockdowns we would need some option in order to survive. It could be used on the off chance that a guest would like to take a bottle of wine, that they have particularly enjoyed, home with them. To clarify we see this as a very small part of the business, and is more of an extra in very individual circumstances. For those of you in the local area who enjoy your wine, we'd be more than happy to provide on an individual basis, as we work with some fantastic small scale wineries that are not possible to get hold of on the mainstream market.

We do not see us using the outside spaces for seating guests either at the front of the building or out of the back, again to minimise the risk of noise or nuisance. We do not intend to put seating, speakers, awnings etc outside. This will be used for storage space for the restaurant. While it's not something we want to allow, if there is someone who smokes, as mentioned in our conditions, we will ensure no more than 4 guests can be outside after 9pm, and no more than 6 smokers at any time.

To confirm, the proposed hours of the restaurant are;

Mon-Weds: (we do not envisage being open on Mondays or Sunday evening)

- No online/available bookings past 2100hrs
- No alcohol sales past 2330hrs, close at Midnight

Thurs, Fri, Sat:

- No online/available bookings past 2100hrs
- No alcohol sales past midnight, close at 00.30hrs

If there is anything that you feel has not been clarified we are more than happy to discuss anything with you on an individual basis. You can email <a href="mailto:hello@nestfood.co.uk">hello@nestfood.co.uk</a> and we if you'd like we can organise a time to chat.

We're looking forward to meeting you in the coming months and we thank you for your support especially after the incredibly challenging year we have all faced.

Many thanks, Luke, Johnnie & Toby

PS for those of you who would like we will also be inviting you to a local residents and business discount during the opening period.



#### **Nest Restaurant License Conditions**

We take our license responsibility seriously and have put the below conditions in place, which are continuously managed. These points relate to ensuring the safety of our staff, local community & local environment & to ensure the licensing objectives are adhered to.

#### Safety

- 1) The premises will have a comprehensive operational CCTV system for all public areas and the two entry and exit points will be covered enabling frontal identification of every person entering in any light condition. The CCTV system will continually record whilst the premises is open and all times when customers remain on the premises. All recordings shall be stored for a minimum period of 31 days with date and time stamping. Recordings shall be made available immediately upon the request of Police or other authorised officers. There shall be a staff member who understands the operation of the CCTV system on the premises at all times, when the restaurant is open to the public. This staff member will be able to show a Police or authorised council officer recent data or footage when requested.
- 2) Signs reminding customers to leave quietly and respect local residents will be prominently displayed at all entrance and exit points.
- 3) A Challenge 25 proof of age scheme shall be operated at the premises where the only acceptable forms of identification are recognised photographic identification cards, such as driving licence or passport.
- 4) An incident log shall be kept at the restaurant, and made available on request to an authorised officer of the council or the police, which will record the following.
  - a. Any crimes reported:
  - b. Any ejections of patrons
  - c. Any complaints received.
  - d. Any incidents of disorder.
  - e. Seizure of drugs or offensive weapons.
  - f. Any faults in the CCTV system.
  - g. Any refusal of the sale of alcohol.
  - h. Any visit by a relevant authority or emergency service.
- 5) We operate a zero tolerance policy to drugs and comply with Hackney Police Drugs and Weapons policy where appropriate.

- 6) All instances of crime and disorder will be reported by the Designated Premises Supervisor or responsible member of staff to an agreed police contact point.
- 7) All staff shall receive training on the legislation relating to the sales of alcohol to
- 8) underage persons and drunken persons. There shall be written records of such training, which will be kept on the premises and produced to a police officer or other authorised officer upon request.
- 9) We do not allow open glass containers taken outside of the premises at any time.
- 10) Staff shall ensure that any queues that may form outside of the premises are managed to ensure that there is no obstruction to the footway and do not cause any nuisance to the local residents.
- 11) After 2100hrs there shall be a maximum of 4 smokers outside the demarcated premises line at any one time. These customers shall be monitored by staff to ensure that they do not cause public nuisance.
- 12) The licence holder shall maintain a dedicated telephone number of the DPS or Duty manager for use by any responsible authority or any person wishing to make a complaint.

#### **Waste & Environmental Safety**

- The procedure for handling and preparing for disposal of general, recycling, food & other waste shall be in writing and displayed in a prominent place in the restaurant where it can be referred to at all times by staff. We ensure that any contract with the council for general and recyclable waste disposal shall be appropriate in size to the amount of waste we produce. We shall maintain an adequate supply of waste bins/receptacles i.e. refuse sacks & commercial waste bins in order to ensure all refuse is presented for collection for the waste carrier and shall not use unidentifiable refuse sacks.
- 2) We make regular checks of the area immediately outside the premises and remove any litter, bottles and glasses that create nuisance or look univiting & unprofessional to guests & the local community. A final check is always made at close of business.
- 3) We have a suitable receptacle for cigarette ends outside which does not cause obstruction.
- 4) The current trade waste agreement/duty of care waste transfer document shall be conspicuously displayed and maintained in the window of the premises where it can be conveniently seen and read by persons standing in the restaurant. This will remain unobstructed at all times and will clearly identify:-
- the name of the registered waste carrier
- the date of when we started the trade waste contract
- the date of expiry of trade waste contract
- the days and times of collection
- the type of waste including the European Waste Code

#### Sustainability & Fairness

- 1) Avoiding waste. We uniquely only use one meat in the restaurant at a time, where we use absolutely everything. This helps us manage meat consumption more sustainably. Food waste in general is kept as low as possible and our recycling operation includes food waste, alongside glass, cardboard & mixed recycling.
- 2) Reused/sustainable materials. The vast majority of furniture & fittings have been made using recycled, reclaimed or naturally fallen materials.
- 3) Supplier checks. We thoroughly vet every supplier we work with to make sure they farm/produce ethically & with respect to the natural environment & their community and also avoid single use materials as much as possible. For example we use small scale regenerative farms for meat & vegetables, we use sustainable British seafood suppliers & all wine is organic or biodynamic in production.
- 4) We have apprentice schemes in place for young or disadvantaged members of the local community to get work experience or start their professional career.

From: Andy Newman <andynewman1@icloud.com>

**Date:** 18 June 2021 at 14:40:40 BST

To: Sanaria Hussain < sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk >

Subject: Nest Mentmore Terrace offer to London Fields Park Users Group.

Hi Sanaria

Would you please be so kind as to forward the below to Chair of the Park Users Group

The below will only be on the basis that he withdraws his Representation on behalf of his Members as following a discussion with Luke his fears appeared to be allayed.

There shall be no off sales of alcohol.

There will be no outside seating or service of any kind, at any time on Mentmore Terrace. There will be no outside seating in the back courtyard past 1800hrs (6PM) except for those with disabilities/illness.

Kind regards

Andy

Andy Newman Consultancy Ltd

Agent for Nest Food

Nb We have come down hugely on our hours of operation & we feel the conditions attached the below up to date hours are more than reasonable;

Monday - Thursday: 1200 (midday) - 2300 Friday & Saturday: 1200 (midday) - 2330

Sunday: 1200 (midday) - 2230 Closing time 30 minutes after.



#### Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

### Hearing Supporting Evidence. Nest Restaurant

2 messages

Andy Newman < and ynewman 1@icloud.com>

17 June 2021 at 21:11

To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

Cc: David Tuitt < David.Tuitt@hackney.gov.uk>, Nest Food < hello@nestfood.co.uk>,



Hi Sanaria

Would you be kind enough to add this support from a respected nearby business in Mentmore Terrace as supporting evidence for the Hearing please.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From:

Date: 17 June 2021 at 14:46:54 BST

To: Andy Newman <andynewman1@icloud.com>

**Subject: Nest Restaurant** 

Hi Andy

I understand that you are working with the team at Nest Restaurants and just wanted to drop you a line to offer our support. We developed and operate the work space at The Fisheries which is a thriving local work space with over 300 members now.

We have been constantly dogged by the scourge of dark kitchens along Mentmore Terrace, which bring nothing but dirt and noise to the area. So upon hearing about the new Nest restaurant I wanted to write and say how delighted we are to see a business coming to the aera that will actually add to it both culturally whilst delivering real value to the local economy.

What a great spot for a restaurant, right next to the station, there is nothing on Mentmore Terrace that offers quality eat in dining, so I have no doubt that this will make a great addition to the neighbourhood particularly when run by a quality operator like the team at Nest.

Please let it be known to whoever it is appropriate that we wholeheartedly support this application.

From:

Date: 20 June 2021 at 22:20:39 BST

To: Andy Newman <andynewman1@icloud.com>

Subject: Reference Application // Nest

Hi There.

Ref - Nest Restaurant, Arch 392/393, Mentmore Terrace.

I would like to provide a reference for Nest's food application for a Restaurant at the above address. As a resident just behind the Arch at Martello St, (also working on Mentmore terrace with a desk at The Fisheries), I think it will be great addition to the area.

To my knowledge, this particular arch has been empty for some time (at least 3 years), and in the 5 years I've lived in London Fields, Mentmore Terrace has changed significantly, and I would continue to welcome notable operators such as Nest to take on the empty spaces. The arches provide great variety of F&B offering in Hackney and specifically London Fields, making use of fantastic trade space that was previously occupied by light industrial businesses, now sadly priced out by the Landlord, Network Rail, with continuous rent uplifts.

As someone who works in hospitality, it's fantastic to see operators take on and make use of the space. Nest are known as a progressive operator committed to the advancement of industry ethics, contributing to the industry with a notable tasting menu at their Morning Lane restaurant, with a very credible focus on sustainably farmed produce using suppliers with regenerative farming methods.







### Nest Letter from Director Luke Wassman to residents

Hi all,

Thanks for your time and understanding yesterday. Irrelevant of the circumstances, it was great meeting you. I hope I made it clear about how the space will be run and what the restaurant will be. We feel if we can make it work here we can be a positive influence for all residents and businesses in the area, for the long term.

Please find attached updated conditions as discussed which we will have in writing and printed in the restaurant. Also, attached is the updated plan we went through yesterday. If you have any questions at all please let me know. Please note we also will share our Dispersal Policy with you as soon as possible, i.e. the processes we put in place to responsibly disperse any patrons after the meal.

Withdrawing/conceding the many aspects of this license has had a huge impact on the potential viability of the restaurant, however we hope you appreciate we have taken your concerns incredibly seriously and have acted upon them. Profit margins in this industry are extremely tight at the best of times, especially for an experience-driven restaurant like this and especially after the last 18 months we have had. We appreciate your understanding that any limitation to what we can do with the space has a direct link to us being able to stay afloat and not.

However, for us it is more important to build a good relationship with everyone involved in the restaurant, especially the local residents and businesses, than to focus solely on profits. We are not those kind of people and we hope you have seen and appreciate that. We have already conceded a huge amount on the license we wanted to help make the business work, each of these decisions have not been taken lightly. Ultimately these concessions have been made in order to protect the well being of local residents instead of the well being of our business and staff.

We totally appreciate your point that the license we agree will stay attached to the premises and will therefore be inherited by someone potentially less responsible and community focussed than ourselves. To further protect the community we have agreed to more license concessions;

- no off sales of alcohol whatsoever on the license

- no outside seating/service at all on Mentmore Terrace.

We hope you appreciate these are big steps in helping to ensure the long term safety of the area.

Being the old Ticket Office, and right next door, we will promote the use of London Fields Overground Station as the significantly most suitable mode of transport to and from the restaurant. With this in mind our hours of operation should of course be inline with/below these train hours.

We have come down hugely on our proposed hours of operation & we feel alongside the conditions attached, the below up to date hours are more than reasonable to make this a sustainable operation for everyone;

Monday - Thursday: 1200 (midday) - 2300 Friday & Saturday: 1200 (midday) - 2330

Sunday: 1200 (midday) - 2230 Closing time 30 minutes after.

Please read all the conditions but for ease of reference please note the below points we have added;

- There shall be no off sales of alcohol.
- There will be no outside seating or service of any kind, at any time on Mentmore Terrace. There will be no outside seating in the back courtyard past 1800hrs (6PM), except for those with disabilities/illness
- Any disposal of glass including empty glass bottles can only be disposed during the hours of 0900hrs & 2000hrs (9AM-8PM)
- We will promote the use of London Fields Overground Station as the significantly most suitable mode of transport to and from the restaurant. Any guests departing using a taxi service will be encouraged to be picked up on Lamb Lane to help with the flow of traffic down Mentmore Terrace.

We hope you appreciate the restaurant we are trying to create and the huge impact these decisions have on our business and staff. We have a lot of support from local residents and businesses but we would like everyone's support to make this viable.

Thanks and please let me know if you have any questions at all.

# Nest Mentmore Terrace Dispersal Policy

### **DISPERSAL POLICY**

This Dispersal Policy has been implemented to assist in the promotion of the four licensing objectives, in particular crime and disorder, public nuisance and public safety. This document is a live document where there can be updates reflecting best working practices via discussions with interested parties, professionals and in particular our neighbours.

Management are aware of the concerns of some residents at the time that customers leave at closing time. Management have agreed to implement a written dispersal policy to move customers from the premises and the immediate vicinity in such a way so as to cause minimal disturbance or nuisance to neighbours. Every effort will be made to minimise any potential nuisance and it will be the responsibility of all members of staff to support this policy.

### Procedure for Mentmore Terrace.

Due to the nature of the restaurant being a set, no-choice experience, it means every stage of the journey, from the point of booking to the point they leave the area, is controlled by the restaurant.

Once guests have finished their meal and their bill is paid they are taken to the waiting/entrance room, (the front area where they started their meal). A dedicated member of staff will be responsible for returning any coats, bags or personal belongings and the process of guests leaving restaurant.

Due to the proximity of London Fields Station, a significant proportion of guests will be travelling by train. The dedicated

member of staff will have access to up to date train times to ensure guests move from the waiting room inside the restaurant to their necessary platform upstairs at the correct time and in a timely manner.

For those taking a taxi/car the Taxi Pick-Up Point on Lamb Lane is confirmed, verbally and with a printed card given to the guest, and they wait in the comfort of the waiting room until their car is near.

This policy is to ensure that the guests experience of leaving the restaurant is just as controlled and comfortable as the rest of their experience before it. More importantly, it means anytime spent outside on Mentmore Terrace is kept to an absolute minimum.

Staff will be trained to be aware of

- 1. where the nearest modes of public transport are.
- 2. details of taxis and a number is available to customers.
- general local knowledge so that if customers decide to move on the staff can help them with directions. Where possible Patrons will be directed away from concerned residents or to transport Hubs that will cause minimum disruption to neighbours.
- 4. Staff, will, where practicable, actively monitor Patrons with a view to minimising any noise.
- 5. There will be a regular team meeting to discuss any ways that the premises may improve the dispersal of patrons and any actions points are implemented.
- 6. Notices shall be displayed at customer exit requesting that patrons respect the needs of local residents and leave the premises and area quietly.

7. All employees are given appropriate instructions and training to encourage customers to leave the premises and the area quietly.

# **Incident Reports**

- 8.All incidents of crime or disorder or nuisance are to be reported by the designated premises supervisor or responsible member of staff.
- 9. The licence holder shall ensure that the details of all complaints are recorded in an occurrence book.

### Taxi Service

- 10.We will ask local taxi firms and arrange with Uber drivers that car doors are not slammed and that there is no unnecessary use of the horn
- 11.Arrangements are made with a local taxi firms for taxis to stop at a safe stopping place when collecting patrons. A recommended list of local taxi companies is available to customers. Any taxi companies that regularly visit our premises will be notified in writing that the use of car horns outside the premises is only allowed in accordance of Rule 1121 of The Highway Code. Staff will take note of drivers that do not comply with this rule and management will notify the relevant taxi companies. Repeat offenders will result in that taxi firm being excluded from the recommended list of taxi providers for the premises.
- 12. Nest staff are trained to be aware of the location of taxi ranks, bus stops and hire car offices. Clearly being in the old train station waiting room with our close proximity to the Station will help enormously in balancing use of taxis with trains.
- 13. Taxi drivers will be asked to not play radios at a volume likely to disturb the neighbourhood.

Nest, will attach the utmost importance to the careful investigation and prompt resolution of any complaint made in respect of the running of the premises. Particular emphasis will be placed on building and maintaining close links with local residents including hosting meetings where necessary to allow our neighbours to raise any issues and for those issues to be quickly resolved. The telephone number of the premises will be provided to all our immediate residential neighbours.

Nest will constantly review our Dispersal Policy and respond quickly to the needs of our neighbours.



392/3 MENTMORE TERRACE | Max Capacity: 90 + 12 outside

# RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY REPRESENTATION: APPLICATION UNDER THE LICENSING ACT 2003

## RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY DETAILS

NAME OF AUTHORITY	Licensing Authority
ADDRESS OF AUTHORITY	Licensing Service Hackney Service Centre 1 Hillman Street London E8 1DY
CONTACT NAME	David Tuitt
TELEPHONE NUMBER	020 8356 4942
E-MAIL ADDRESS	david.tuitt@hackney.gov.uk

## **APPLICATION PREMISES**

Premises	Arches 392-393 Mentmore Terrace London E8 3PH
Applicant	Nest Morning Lane Ltd

## **COMMENTS**

I make the following relevant representations in relation to the above application for a premises licence at the above address.

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- 1) the prevention of crime and disorder
- 2) public safety
- 3) the prevention of public nuisance
- 4) the protection of children from harm

Representations (which include comments and/or objections) in relation to:

I am writing to make a representation in respect of this application. The proposed hours of activity could have a negative impact on the promotion of the licensing objectives, in particular, the prevention of public nuisance given the nature of the surrounding area. The premises is directly opposite a residential terrace which may suffer as a result of customers vacating the premises at the proposed terminal hour.

According to planning records, the site appears to have been granted planning permission (ref 2018/3008) for change of use to restaurant. The planning decision notice is not available online, however the 'Design and Access Statement' (DAS) submitted as part of the application suggests that the proposed hours of activity were 08:00 until 23:00 daily. The applicant should therefore have regard to the following extract from the Council's Licensing Policy:

#### LP5 Planning Status

Licence applications should normally be from premises where:

- (a) The activity to be authorised by the licence is a lawful planning use or is a deemed permitted development pursuant to the General Permitted Development Order (1995) as amended.
- (b) The hours sought do not exceed those authorised by any planning permission.

The Licensing Authority may take into account the lack of planning permission or an established lawful use in deciding whether there is likely to be any harm to the licensing objectives.

The hours in the DAS would also align with the hours set out in the LP3 (Core Hours) contained within the Licensing Policy.

It is noted that the premises is described as a restaurant so the applicant should consider a condition requiring alcohol sales to be ancillary to a person taking a table meal from the menu.

It is also noted that the application seeks to authorise the playing of recorded music. However, the application then states that this is to be low level background music. Music played at this level would not require authorisation therefore the applicant may with to remove this from the application.

The above representations are supported by the following evidence and information.

The Licensing Act 2003, s182 Guidance issued by the Home Office, Statement of Licensing Policy

Are there any actions or measures that could be taken to allay concerns or objections? If so, please explain.

- Condition requiring alcohol sales to be ancillary to a table meal
- Clarification on the hours attached to the planning permission
- Removal of the request to authorise recorded music

Name: David Tuitt (Business Regulation Team Leader) - Licensing and Technical Support

13 May 2021

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Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

#### Fwd: License application Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

1 message

Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

13 May 2021 at 15:59

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431

Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

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Date: Thu, 13 May 2021 at 15:59

Subject: License application Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

To: clicensing@hackney.gov.uk>

To whom it may concern

I would like to make it clear that as a resident of Mentmore Terrace, I thoroughly object to the above alcohol licence application.

The granting of a licence to serve alcohol would undoubtedly result in significant increase in disturbance to residents late at night.

We already experience noise from people leaving drinking venues on this and surrounding streets.

We often get woken by rowdy behaviour, including people knocking on our doors, shouting and singing late in the evening and in the early hours of the morning. We also witness people public nuisance including people urinating, vomiting and littering the street.

We would also experience late disturbance from deliveries and night time staff clearing and closing up.

We fear this increase in this activity will lead to an increase in crime and makes our street less safe for families and children, particularly the inevitable broken glass and pools of urine that have already become a feature due to previous licensing decisions.

Thanks for your time

Mentmore Terrace



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#### Fwd: License Application: Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

1 message

Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

13 May 2021 at 16:08

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431

Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

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Date: Mon, 10 May 2021 at 18:43

Subject: License Application: Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8 To: Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

Dear Licensing

I object to the issue of a license for Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8. The granting of a licence to serve alcohol would undoubtedly result in significant increase in disturbance to residents late at night.

We already experience noise from people leaving drinking venues on this and surrounding streets.

We often get woken by rowdy behaviour, including people knocking on our doors, shouting and singing late in the evening and in the early hours of the morning.

We also witness people public nuisance including people urinating, vomiting and littering the street.

We would also experience late disturbance from deliveries and night time staff clearing and closing up.

We fear this increase in this activity will lead to an increase in crime and makes our street less safe for families and children.

Many thanks.



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# **APPENDIX C2 - ADDITIONAL**



Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

# Licensing Act 2003: Application for a New Premises Licence Re: 392/393 Mentmore Terrace, E8 3PH

21 May 2021 at 09:50

To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

Dear Sanaria

Thank you for your email below and for providing the first attempt by Nest to address the concerns of local residents. Despite the articulation of good intentions by Nest, the proposal still omits any firm conditions on the licence that would address the serious concerns of local residents and their families.

Specifically the following;

With regard to the request for a late licence, and proposed opening and closing times

Sun-Thurs: last alcohol sales by 10.30pm and building closed to public at 11.00pm Fri and Sat: last alcohol sales by 11.30pm and building closed to the public by 00:00

We would also ask that the license be restricted to on-premises sales only if granted.

d) At point 11 in their "safety" proposals Nest say that " after 21.00hrs a maximum of 4 smokers outside the demarcated premises line at any one time."

It is not stated what numbers are allowed outside earlier than this. It is assumed that this "outside the demarcated premises line" means "gathering on Mentmore Terrace. This would cause noise and disruption.

The applicants have already sought permission for 12 covers outside and also wants an unspecified number of smokers to be allowed to gather before 9pm outside and 4 after 9pm.

We restate our objection to the 12 covers outside in the light of the fact that proposals are not explicit as to what time these outside tables can be used. Presumably up until midnight as no restriction is specified in the application. We think this would be intolerable from a nuisance point of view. Twelve diners at this point eating and drinking will inevitably make noise and cause nuisance to the houses opposite.

We also object to the encroachment on to the pavement space as it makes the pavement at this point intolerably narrow, a safety concern. The pavement at this point is under 2.5m wide and the road space is occupied by bike parking structures. Combine with fixed obstacles including street furniture this would make the street impassible with double buggies or mobility scooters.

Assuming the site plan supplied is accurate and to scale at the northern end the licensed area extends 1.4m from the corner of the building taking up more than half of the pavement space.

The tables, though not clearly shown in the diagram appear to be at least 80cm deep taking up 30% of the pavement space.

We therefore do not think it is acceptable to have this street provision in place at this location due to the spacerelated safety concerns and the noise related issues they will generate.

With regard to people outside/ smokers etc. we would ask that the number of people gathering outside is restricted to 6 before 8pm and 2 after 8pm.

This is important from a protection of children issue as while 8pm is early by adult standards, young children who may have bedrooms facing the street will be going to bed weekdays at this time and therefore don't need to be disturbed by people with unmanaged nicotine addictions.

- e) The Plan submitted by the applicants does not address the following:
- is there any intention to add awnings, covers, heaters or loudspeakers to the wall outside the premises. Having already stated our objection to the outdoor seating we would further object to light or noise pollution caused by speakers or additional lighting outside.

- f) The application states that recorded music may be played. We would ask that volume limiters be fitted and that volume levels are at such a level that they are inaudible from adjacent properties.
- g) The front entrance opens on to a 25-cover dining area which itself will generate significant noise. We therefore request that the license requires the door to the street to remain closed after 7pm to reduce noise on the street.

We feel that there are already an excessive number of licensed premises on and around London Fields and are disappointed to see another license being sought in this area.

In conclusion, the response by Nest does little to allay our concerns and we believe that the license should be declined or at the very least modified in line with the measures proposed above to mitigate the nuisance and disruption to local residents

We would welcome a hearing to enable local residence to express their concerns and protect their well being and family life

#### Regards







Hackney Council
Planning and Regulatory Services
2 Hillman Street
London E8 1FB

www.hackney.gov.uk

Mentmore Terrace London E83PN

12 October 2018

Dear Sir/Madam

# Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015

Application Number: 2018/3004

Site Address: Railway Arches 392 - 393 Mentmore Terrace London E8

3PH

**Development Description:** Change of use from retail and commercial premises

(use classes A1/B1) to restaurant/café (use class A3).

I write with reference to the above mentioned planning application. I wish to advise you that the Council, having had regard to the nature of the application, the relevant planning policies and all of the comments received from interested parties, has decided to grant planning permission with the following conditions:

#### CONDITIONS TABLE

1The development hereby permitted must be begun not later than the expiration of three years beginning with the date of this permission.

REASON: In order to comply with the provisions of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 as amended.SCB1N Commencement Within Three Years 2The Development hereby permitted shall only be carried out and completed strictly in accordance with the plans hereby approved.

REASON: To ensure that the development hereby permitted is carried out in full accordance with the plans hereby approved.

NSC

3The use hereby permitted may only be carried out between 08.00 - 23.00 daily.

REASON: To ensure that the use is operated in a satisfactory manner and does not unduly disturb adjoining occupiers or prejudice local amenity generally.NSC If you wish to view all documentation (including full decision notice) for this application and the case officers' report please visit our website <a href="https://www.hackney.gov.uk/planning">www.hackney.gov.uk/planning</a>, search using the application number referenced

above. Alternatively you may view the documents online at Ground Floor Reception Area, Hackney Service Centre, 1 Hillman Street, London, E8 1DY, Monday to Friday between 9am - 5pm.

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Yours faithfully

Ian Rae

Head of Planning Planning Service

**Neighbourhoods and Housing** 





Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

# Premise License Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

1 message

11 May 2021 at 17:49

To: licensing@hackney.gov.uk

Dear sir/madam

The granting of a licence to serve alcohol would undoubtedly result in significant increase in disturbance to residents late at night and throughout the day, 7 days a week.

We already experience noise from people leaving properly licensed drinking venues on this and surrounding streets. We often get woken by rowdy behaviour, including people knocking on doors, shouting and singing late in the evening and in the early hours of the morning.

We also witness people public nuisance including people urinating, vomiting and littering the street.

We would also experience late disturbance from deliveries and night time staff clearing and closing up.

The licence would also result in more people frequenting London Fields Park and surrounding streets late at night which may lead to increase in antisocial behaviour.

We fear this increase in this activity will lead to an increase in crime and make our streets less safe for families and children.

The playing of recorded or live music is not in keeping with the residential area and with the permitted use for the property.

I object the above application and recommend you refuse the granting of a premise licence. I also urge the Council to review the planning regulations relating to Mentmore Terrace and surrounding areas to ensure that there is no night time economy developed in the area.



# **APPENDIX C3 - ADDITIONAL**



Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

# Remote Hearing Re: Application for a New Premises Licence Re: Arches 392/393 Mentmore Terrace, E8 3PH

25 May 2021 at 15:10

To: Sanaria Hussain <Sanaria.Hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

Many thanks Sanaria,

I will decline the invitation to attend the hearing but still object to the application.

Despite the applicants intentions and recent correspondence there are no significant concessions or conditions which would ensure minimised disruption to adjoining residents. The application as it is currently would set a dangerous precedent for future premise applications in the area and may also provide the opportunity for existing premise licence holders to apply to amend their licences accordingly. The residents have fought hard to ensure no 'nighttime economy' is developed along Mentmore Terrace and to minimise disruption to our daily lives and have made considerable concessions already in the licences that have been granted. You can refer to the previous premise applications for details of our objections. It is disappointing that the applicants have not taken this into consideration and have applied for conditions outside of those already agreed by the local residents.

The current premise licences in the immediate vicinity also started with best intentions however the reality has been the following: live and recorded music being played at volume at all hours, building of structures without planning approval and holding of events in breach of licence conditions, filling/emptying of industrial bins at night, late night deliveries and 'staff parties/lockins'. There are also well documented cases of anti social behaviour due to off-licence sales from premise licence holders in the area during lockdown and previously, requiring the hiring of additional security to patrol and protect the park but not surrounding streets.

I again reiterate my objection to the application, specifically the 'extended' hours of alcohol sales and business operating hours, 'all day' off licence alcohol sales and the playing of recorded music outdoors. The licence application as it is currently should be declined or at the very least modified with the following measures to mitigate the nuisance and disruption such a business will have to adjoining residents.

- alcohol sales 12.00 to 22.00 and only with serving of hot food (there is no justification for sales from 0730 as the business only opens at 12.00)
- no live or recorded music outdoors or with fitted volume limiters so as to be inaudible from surrounding residences
- no off licence sales (business intention is restaurant not off licence or takeaway)
- 22.30 closing time to ensure reasonable time for patrons to leave the premises and for staff to 'cleanup' to ensure no late night disturbance from waste management activities, deliveries etc (the applicants waste management plan suggests leaving waste on street, whereas there are industrial bins to the rear of the premises which they have not addressed the potential disturbance arising form their use)
- business days of operation and opening hours to be in line with other premise licenses along Mentmore Terrace

Kind Regards

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#### Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

# Feedback on application Re: 392 Mentmore Terrace

1 message

Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk> 7 June 2021 at 11:50

#### **OP 3**

Hi Sanaria,

Many thanks for this. It is frustrating that the Applicants continue to ignore the residents main concerns, namely opening hours and off-licence sales and have not addressed this in their latest amendment.

Again my objections / concessions to the application are as follows

- 1. No Recorded/Live music outdoors this must be a condition of the premise licence not an omission or just an intention.
- 2. Opening Hours should be in line with other Restaurant and food/drink businesses in the immediate vicinity ie along Mentmore Tce. Note that the only other restaurant business has opening hours of Sun-Thu 12-10.30pm and fri-sat 12-11pm. There is no justification for 8am premise licence - the application states that the business is only open for lunch and dinner service. The Hackney Policy Core Hours is only relevant in areas where there is an established nighttime economy. This is a residential area and other business have respected this and their opening hours and other operations reflect this.
- 3. No Off licence sales. The main purpose of the business is a restaurant so no off-licence sales should be needed or justified.
- 4. The waste management still ignores that the majority of this activity will be undertaken at the rear of the premises which adjoins residential properties. Given the proposed opening hours, cleaning and waste management activities will be late at night/early morning and will be a disturbance which can not be minimised.

The premise has in recent times been a cafe and this application calls for a significant change in the hours of operations and the introduction of alcohol sales both off licence and in premise. As I have stated previously the residents have already made concessions to other similar businesses and these should be applied to this application so as not to set a precedence for future premise applications.

Kind Regards Sanaria Hussain Senior Licensing Officer Hackney Service Centre 1 Hillman Street London E8 1DY Direct Line: 020 8356 4972 Duty Line:020 8356 2431 www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing



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Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

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#### Fwd: New License Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

1 message

Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

13 May 2021 at 13:25

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431

Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

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From: Date: Mon, 10 May 2021 at 20:26

Subject: New License Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8 To: Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

Dear Sir/Madam,

The above application is yet another threat to our neighbourhood.

We keep fighting these applications to do with alcohol one after another. Why doesn't your Department look back to previous applications and their objection? It's a waste of public and private time and money.

With the imposition of low traffic neighbourhoods, Mentmore Terrace now finds itself polluted with noise and exhaust from hundreds of delivery scooters. And now there's this promise of more pollution and nuisance.

The granting of a licence to serve alcohol would undoubtedly result in significant increase in disturbance to residents late at night.

We already experience noise from people leaving drinking venues on this and surrounding streets.

We often get woken by rowdy behaviour, including people knocking on our doors, shouting and singing late in the evening and in the early hours of the morning. We also witness public nuisance including people urinating, vomiting and littering the street.

We would also experience late disturbance from deliveries and night time staff clearing and closing up.

We fear this increase in this activity will lead to an increase in crime and makes our street less safe for families and children.

In summary I strongly object to this license application.

Yous etc

Mentmore Terrace Resident



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Fwd: Arch 399

1 message

Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

13 May 2021 at 13:25

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431

Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

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From: Date: Mon, 10 May 2021 at 22:00 Subject: Arch 399

To: clicensing@hackney.gov.uk>

Dear Sir or Madam Hackney Council

Arch 399, Mentmore Terrace.

Please note my objection to the application for granting a licence for sale of alcohol from Arch 399which will result in significant increase in disturbance to residents late at night

We already experience noise from people leaving drinking venues on this and surrounding streets

We often get woken by rowdy behaviour, including people knocking on our doors, shouting and singing late in the evening and in the early hours of the morning.

And particularly we also witness people public nuisance including people urinating, vomiting and littering the street, against our buildings, in doorways and in the gates around the properties in the area.

We would also experience late disturbance from deliveries and night time staff clearing and closing up.

We fear this increase in this activity will lead to an increase in crime and makes our street less safe for families and children.

Thank you,

London Lane, E8



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#### Fwd: New License Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8. Deadline 13-05-2021

1 message

Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

13 May 2021 at 13:24

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431

Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

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From:

Date: Tue, 11 May 2021 at 09:15

Subject: New License Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8. Deadline 13-05-2021

To: clicensing@hackney.gov.uk>

To whom it may concern,

As a resident of the area that backs onto Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace, I want to voice my objection to this application.

We already ensure a growing list of problems from the licenses you have already issued so that current premises in the archways cause noise pollution, waste pollution, smell pollution to name but three. Passing this license will further exasperate the problem. These are not alarmist comments but merely facts and behaviours we have witnessed countless times over the years.

To this end we make our objections for the following reasons:

- · Prevention of crime and disorder
- · Public safety
- Prevention of public nuisance
- · Protection of children from harm

Please do right by the local residents and stop this application so it takes residents view into account.

Best wishes





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Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

#### Fwd: licensing application, Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

1 message

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13 May 2021 at 13:24

Kind Regards,

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From:

Date: Tue, 11 May 2021 at 09:51

Subject: Re: licensing application, Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8 To: Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

Dear Sir/ Madam.

Re: licensing application, Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

As a local resident on Mentmore Terrace I object to the granting of this licence.

The granting of a licence to serve alcohol would undoubtedly result in significant increase in disturbance to us as residents, late at night. We already experience noise from people leaving drinking venues on this and surrounding streets. We often get woken by antisocial behaviour, including people knocking on our doors, shouting and singing late in the evening and in the early hours of the morning.

We also witness people causing a public nuisance including people urinating, vomiting and littering the street. We would also experience late disturbance from deliveries and night time staff clearing and closing up. We fear this increase in this activity will lead to an increase in crime and makes our street less safe for families and children.

Yours faithfully,

Mentmore Terrace



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#### **Fwd: License for Mentmore Terrace - Comment from Resident**

1 message

Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

13 May 2021 at 13:24

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431

Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

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From: Date: Tue, 11 May 2021 at 11:53

Subject: License for Mentmore Terrace - Comment from Resident To: licensing@hackney.gov.uk <licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

Hi,

I have just been made aware of an application for an license to serve alcohol and to play music from Arch 392/393 on Mentmore Terrace.

I strongly object and this should not be granted without a proper hearing and review from residents. As a resident directly behind the arches I am extremely concerned that there will be loud noise throughout the evening - hugely impacting my sleep and therefore wel being.

The arches back onto residential properties on Martello Street. Anyone even talking during the day in this area can be heard clearly due to the echo between to the structures - noise pollution for any sort of social venue will be unbearable for residents.

This is a usually quiet residential area but there are disturbances from the nearby Pub on The Park. This currently only just tolerable - shouting and screaming, fighting, urinating on the property.

This residential area should not become any sort of destination and must remain for the residents.

Please contact me if you want any more information or opinion. As a resident directly behind the location is am seriously concerned about this

Many thanks



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Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

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## Fwd: Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

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13 May 2021 at 13:24

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431

Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

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From:

Date: Wed, 12 May 2021 at 09:28

Subject: Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

To: Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

I wish to register an objection for the planning application for the above address.

There has already been a large increase over lock down in the amount of anti-social alcohol based behaviour on this residential street, principally urinating, shouting in the early hours and even late night fights.

Already, against residents' objections, the Three Sod's Brewery has been granted strictly limited opening hours and adding further licensed premises would make our residential street into a destination drinking venue.

Our house is my wife's childminding setting and turning our street into a drinking venue would not make it appropriate.

Despite repeated requests the business that have moved into the arches in the last couple of years continue to have deliveries throughout the night that wake me and my kids. A further licenced premises would add to this disturbance.

Mentmore Terrace, London E8



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Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

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## Fwd: Licence Application 108780 Arch 399, Mentmore Terrace, Hackney

1 message

Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

13 May 2021 at 13:24

Kind Regards,

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From:

Date: Wed, 12 May 2021 at 09:29

Subject: Licence Application 108780 Arch 399, Mentmore Terrace, Hackney

To: licensing@hackney.gov.uk < licensing@hackney.gov.uk >

Dear Madam, Sir

I am a local resident on London lane, London E8

The granting of a licence to serve alcohol would undoubtedly result in significant increase in disturbance to residents late at night. I already experience noise from people leaving drinking venues on this and surrounding streets.

I often get woken by rowdy behaviour, including people knocking on our doors, shouting and singing late in the evening and in the early hours of the

I also witness people public musance including people urinating, vomiting and littering the street. I would also experience late disturbance from deliveries and night time staff clearing and closing up. I fear this increase in this activity will lead to an increase in crime and makes our street less safe for families and children.

I have attached a doc that also states our objections to the granting of a licence.

I ask you to please take these comments into consideration.

Thank you

London lane London E8



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### Fwd: License Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

1 message

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13 May 2021 at 13:23

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431

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From:

Date: Wed, 12 May 2021 at 11:44

Subject: License Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

To: clicensing@hackney.gov.uk>

I am writing to express concern regarding License Application Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8 I am a resident living opposite this large arch

Over the last few years we have seen a huge increase in night time activity along the street and neighbouring streets which impacts residents through disturbance and anti social behaviour My children are woken at night with people exiting local venues

I object to this application for the following reasons:

The cumulative impact - too many alcohol based premises in the area.

Public nuisance that results - especially in this area, which is generally quiet and residential.

The granting of a licence to serve alcohol would undoubtedly result in significant increase in disturbance to residents late at night.

We already experience noise from people leaving drinking venues on this and surrounding streets.

We often get woken by rowdy behaviour, including people knocking on our doors, shouting and singing late in the evening and in the early hours of the morning.

We also witness people public nuisance including people urinating, vomiting and littering the street. We would also experience late disturbance from deliveries and night time staff clearing and closing up.

We fear this increase in this activity will lead to an increase in crime and makes our street less safe for families and children.

Yours sincerely





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Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

## Fwd: New Licensing Application @ Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace, E8

1 message

Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

13 May 2021 at 13:23

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431

Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

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From: Date: Wed, 12 May 2021 at 13:02

Subject: New Licensing Application @ Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace, E8

To: licensing@hackney.gov.uk <licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

I am the owner of Gransden Avenue, E8

I wish to object to the new licensing application for Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace for the following reasons:

A new venue serving alcohol would add further disturbance for neighbouring residents at night. A lot of these residents have children at school.

This is already happening due to other venues in the neighbourhood.

This could lead to more rowdy behaviour with knocking on front doors (easily access ble from the street), more singing and shouting in the street.

Also unacceptable behaviour such as urinating in the street, vomiting and more litter.

There could be more disturbance from deliveries and cleaning up after the venue is closed and before the venue opens.

This could lead to an increase in crime which is unacceptable especially as there are families in the street with school children.

Thank you



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APPENDIX C13

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## Fwd: Application by Nest Morning Lane Ltd for a Premises License at: Arches 392/3 Mentmore Terrace, London, E8 3PH

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From:

Date: Wed, 12 May 2021 at 13:47

Subject: Application by Nest Morning Lane Ltd for a Premises License at: Arches 392/3 Mentmore Terrace, London, E8 3PH

To: licensing@hackney.gov.uk <licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

Dear LB Hackney Licensing,

I am writing further to previous emailed objection to the above application

It has come to my attention that Nest have made no attempt to contact local residence in the immediate vicinity of the proposed venue for which they are applying for a licence Their licence application is partially obscured on the door of 392 Mentmore Terrace (please see attached image), and on discussion with neighbours we are certain that this posted no earlier than Monday 3rd May, which has not afforded local residence sufficient time to respond with a detailed objection this licence Which, if the licence is grated by yourselves it its current form, will have a serious and negative impact on the lives and wellbeing of hundreds of local residents

I respectfully request that either this licence application is rejected in its totality OR at the very least, we are given a reasonable amount of time to collect and shape a detailed response to this application, so we may have a fair chance at protecting where we live

Kind regards,

Mentmore Terrace





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# APPENDIX C13 - ADDITIONAL

Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

#### Licensing Act 2003: Application for a New Premises Licence Re: 392/393 Mentmore Terrace, E8 3PH

20 May 2021 at 12:26

To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

Cc

Dear Sanaria,

Thank you for your email below and for providing the first attempt by Nest to address the concerns of local residents. Despite the articulation of good intentions by Nest, the proposal still omits any firm conditions on the licence that would address the serious concerns of local residence and their families.

Specifically the following:

With regard to the request for a late licence, and proposed opening and closing times

Sun-Thurs: last alcohol sales by 10.30pm and building closed to public at 11.00pm Fri and Sat: last alcohol sales by 11.30pm and building closed to the public by 00:00

We would also ask that the license be restricted to on-premises sales only if granted

d) At point 11 in their "safety" proposals Nest say that "after 21.00hrs a maximum of 4 smokers outside the demarcated premises line at any one time."

It is not stated what numbers are allowed outside earlier than this. It is assumed that this "outside the demarcated premises line" means "gathering on Mentmore Terrace. This would cause noise and disruption.

The applicants have already sought permission for 12 covers outside and also wants an unspecified number of smokers to be allowed to gather before 9pm outside and 4 after 9pm.

We restate our objection to the 12 covers outside in the light of the fact that proposals are not explicit as to what time these outside tables can be used. Presumably up until midnight as no restriction is specified in the application. We think this would be intolerable from a nuisance point of view. Twelve diners at this point eating and drinking will inevitably make noise and cause nuisance to the houses opposite.

We also object to the encroachment on to the pavement space as it makes the pavement at this point intolerably narrow, a safety concern. The pavement at this point is under 2.5m wide and the road space is occupied by bike parking structures. Combine with fixed obstacles including street furniture this would make the street impassible with double buggies or mobility scooters.

Assuming the site plan supplied is accurate and to scale at the northern end the licensed area extends 1.4m from the corner of the building taking up more than half of the pavement space.

The tables, though not clearly shown in the diagram appear to be at least 80cm deep taking up 30% of the pavement space.

We therefore do not think it is acceptable to have this street provision in place at this location due to the space-related safety concerns and the noise related issues they will generate

With regard to people outside/ smokers etc. we would ask that the number of people gathering outside is restricted to 6 before 8pm and 2 after 8pm.

This is important from a protection of children issue as while 8pm is early by adult standards, young children who may have bedrooms facing the street will be going to bed weekdays at this time and therefore don't need to be disturbed by people with unmanaged nicotine addictions.

- e) The Plan submitted by the applicants does not address the following:
- is there any intention to add awnings, covers, heaters or loudspeakers to the wall outside the premises. Having already stated our objection to the outdoor seating we would further object to light or noise pollution caused by speakers or additional lighting outside.
- f) The application states that recorded music may be played. We would ask that volume limiters be fitted and that volume levels are at such a level that they are inaudible from adjacent properties.
- g) The front entrance opens on to a 25-cover dining area which itself will generate significant noise. We therefore request that the license requires the door to the street to remain closed after 7pm to reduce noise on the street.

We feel that there are already an excessive number of licensed premises on and around London Fields and are disappointed to see another license being sought in this area

In conclusion, the response by Nest does little to allay our concerns and we believe that the license should be declined or at the very least modified in line with the measures proposed above to mitigate the nuisance and disruption to local residents

We would welcome a hearing to enable local residence to express their concerns and protect their well being and family life

Kind regards,



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On 19 May 2021, at 17:09, Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear Sir/Madam,

I refer to your representation in respect of the above premises.

Please find attached correspondence from the applicant in response to your representation.

I should be grateful if you confirm whether this would allay your concern.

Senior Licensing Officer Hackney Service Centre 1 Hillman Street London E8 1DY Direct Line:020 8356 4972 Duty Line:020 8356 2431 www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing



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#### Fwd: license for 392/3 Mentmore Terrace

1 message

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10 May 2021 at 11:37

Kind Regards,

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Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

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From:

Date: Mon, 10 May 2021 at 05:37

Subject: license for 392/3 Mentmore Terrace

To: licensing@hackney.gov.uk licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

Hello,

Im writing to you to express my opposition to licence application at 392/3 Mentmore Terrace from Nest Moming Lane, E8 3PH.

The license includes the following;

Play recorded music Late night refreshment Sale of alcohol

This is a large unit and many residents on the street and surrounding area are very worried about this in regard to noise and disturbance, and associated late night activity and anti social behaviour outside residential properties.

The granting of a licence to serve alcohol would undoubtedly result in significant increase in disturbance to residents late at night.

We already experience noise from people leaving drinking venues on this and surrounding streets.

We often get woken by rowdy behaviour, including people knocking on our doors, shouting and singing late in the evening and in the early hours of the moming. We also witness people public nuisance including people urinating, vomiting and littering the street.

We would also experience late disturbance from deliveries and night time staff clearing and closing up.

We fear this increase in this activity will lead to an increase in crime and makes our street less safe for families and children.

Kind regards





Objection to Application by Nest Morning Lane Ltd for a Premises License at: Arches 392/3 Mentmore Terrace, London, E8 3PH

Dear LB Hackney Licensing,

I am writing to object to the above application.

I am a local resident living near London Fields, but also act on behalf of the London Fields User Group which represents the views and interests of Park Users and those living in the surrounding streets.

Overall it is the view of the London Fields User Group that there is already an excessively high number of licensed premises in the area. Due to take-away alcohol sales the Park is primarily used as a drinking venue on hot weekends and this makes the environment feel unwelcoming to children, young people and older people seeking quiet relaxation.

The large numbers contribute to street drinking and as Park toilets close in the evening, public toileting. The large numbers migrating out of the area in the evening contribute significantly to noise and antisocial behaviour.

As such many residents feel the area should be viewed as Cumulative Impact Area and licensing restrictions applied accordingly. Unfortunately, despite representations to this effect from local residents this is yet to be actioned.

As such, it is probably inevitable that this application will be granted, which means that this will be the third premises to be granted a license on this stretch of road since the start of the year.

Mentmore Terrace is a quiet residential street with railway arches on one side. The railway arches have been used for a number of years for light industry, storage, retail and fitness but recently many have been converted to eateries including Dark Kitchens and licensed premises. In turn each of these brings with them additional traffic for deliveries in and out, late night vehicles with taxis arriving and departing, noise from people leaving premises.

While the impact of each premises on its own may be limited the cumulative impact of several premises allowing people outside to smoke, several premises discharging customers at the same time and selling takeaway alcohol is not insignificant.

As such we think that the noise from late night customers arriving and departing, noise and nuisance from people gathering on the pavement contribute to public nuisance an the cumulative effect of this should mean no further premises licenses should be granted to properties on Mentmore Terrace.

The above notwithstanding, should a licence be granted we would make specific objections as follows:

- 1) In terms of Prevention of Public Nuisance we note:
- a) The site states a maximum capacity of 90 people and "12 outside."

It is unclear if the Maximum capacity of 102 is total diners, or diners plus staff. This should be made explicit.

The proposals are not explicit as to what time these outside tables can be used. Presumably up until midnight as no restriction is specified in the application. We think this would be intolerable from a nuisance point of view. Twelve diners at this point eating and drinking will inevitably make noise and cause nuisance to the houses opposite.

We object to the encroachment on to the pavement space as it makes the pavement at this point intolerably narrow, a safety concern. The pavement at this point is under 2.5m wide and the road space is occupied by bike parking structures. Combine with fixed obstacles including street furniture this would make the street impassible with double buggies or mobility scooters.

Assuming the Site plan supplied is accurate and to scale at the northern end the licensed area extends 1.4m from the corner of the building taking up more than half of the pavement space.

The tables, though not clearly shown in the diagram appear to be at least 80cm deep taking up 30% of the pavement space.

We therefore do not think it is acceptable to have this street provision in place at this location due to the space-related safety concerns and the noise related issues they will generate.



b) the applicants are seeking a licence to serve alcohol both on and off the premises. We don't see how off-sales feature in their offering in a high end restaurant setting and verbal assurances given that they will only be selling alcohol with food. The rationale for such an off-sales approach would be that at some point they intend to do food and drink deliveries which will increase traffic and noise nuisance further in this residential street.

We therefore ask that the license be restricted to on-premises sales only if granted.

c) the applicants seek an alcohol license from 07:00 to 00:00 seven days per week. There is a further 30 minutes after this as the license allow for public on premises to 00:30.

We see no rationale for a license starting so early for a restaurant's alcohol sales so we ask that the start times be significantly reduced to the times when the restaurant is open for a food service and no earlier than 12noon.

The late license means service will continue past last trains from London Fields station increasing reliance on and number of taxis arriving and departing at night and associated noise, nuisance and pollution.

We can see that to maximise profits Nest will want to do at least two sittings of the tasting menu but such table turning should not be to the detriment of local residents.

The late hours proposed would mean in the region of an extra 30-40 taxis each evening – some 200 a week and this is detrimental to the quiet enjoyment of local residents.

We would ask therefore that the hours are restricted as follows:

Sun-Thurs: last alcohol sales by 11pm and building closed to public at 11.30pm Fri and Sat: last alcohol sales by 11.30pm and building closed to the public by 00:00

d) At point 11 in their "safety" proposals Nest say that "after 21.00hrs a maximum of 4 smokers outside the demarcated premises line at any one time."

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This is important from a protection of children issue as while 8pm is early by adult standards, young children who may have bedrooms facing the street will be going to bed weekdays at this time and therefore don't need to be disturbed by people with unmanaged nicotine addictions.

- e) The Plan submitted by the applicants does not address the following:
- is there any intention to add awnings, covers, heaters or loudspeakers to the wall outside the premises. Having already stated our objection to the outdoor seating we would further object to light or noise pollution caused by speakers or additional lighting outside.
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g) The front entrance opens on to a 25-cover dining area which itself will generate significant noise. We therefore request that the license requires the door to the street to remain closed after 7pm to reduce noise on the street.

In conclusion we feel that there are already an excessive number of licensed premises on and around London Fields and are disappointed to see another license being sought in this area. While we regret this will likely be granted we hope that the nuisance and disruption to local residents can be mitigated through the measures proposed.



London Fields User Group



Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

## Fwd: Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8.

1 message

Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk> To: Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

10 May 2021 at 11:37

Kind Regards,

Licensing Service London Borough of Hackney Tel: 020 8356 2431

Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

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From:

Date: Sun, 9 May 2021 at 16:08

Subject: Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8. To: licensing@hackney.gov.uk <licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

#### Dear licensing

I am objecting to an application for a licence at 392 Mentmore Terrace. I am a resident and have lived on Mentmore Terrace for over 18 years and strongly object to this application on the following grounds. This establishment will lead to an increase in anti social behaviour, late night activity on a residential street. Application for music again will cause an increase of late night noise pollution. Mentmore Terrace is a residential street with only day time activity occurring from E5 bakehouse. We as residents do not want any late night activity. We strongly urge you to reject this application.

Many thanks

Mentmore Terrace





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# APPENDIX C16

Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

## Fwd: New License Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

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10 May 2021 at 11:37

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From:

Date: Sun, 9 May 2021 at 16:56

Subject: New License Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8 To: Licensing (Shared Mailbox) < licensing@hackney.gov.uk>

#### Hello.

Mentmore terrace is a residential street containing many families with young children.

The granting of a licence to serve alcohol would undoubtedly result in significant increase in disturbance to residents late at night.

We already experience noise from people leaving drinking venues on this and surrounding streets.

We often get woken by rowdy behaviour, including people knocking on our doors, shouting and singing late in the evening and in the early hours of the morning.

We also witness people public nuisance including people urinating, vomiting and littering the street.

We would also experience late disturbance from deliveries and night time staff clearing and closing up.

We fear this increase in this activity will lead to an increase in crime and makes our street less safe for families and children.

Thank you.







Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

#### Fwd: reference Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace

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From:

Date: Sun, 9 May 2021 at 20:42

Subject: reference Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace

To: censing@hackney.gov.uk>

Dear Sir / Madam,

 $I\ object\ to\ another\ bar\ restaurant\ that\ is\ selling\ alcohol\ in\ this\ area,\ bottles\ being\ served,\ smashed\ glasses\ and\ noise\ rowdiness\ that\ is\ constant\ .$ 

The language is unrepeatable and my young family being kept awake from all above. We have enough in the vicinity we really do not need another.

Please stop this from happening

Yours faithfully



Sent from my iPad





# APPENDIX C17 - ADDITIONAL



Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

## **392 Mentmore Terrace**

Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

7 June 2021 at 11:50

Response/ additional information from from OP 17

Dear Sanaria,

Kindly, why are you not listening to the owners who live and reside around this area that we do not want anymore bars restaurants or public spaces that have outside noise finishing at 10.30 pm on a Sunday Midnight on weekends and 11.00pm weekdays.

I'm totally against having noise pollution and aggravated noise to my children who need sleep for school and also for parents who have work and need down time of quietness and peace and quiet

We moved here for the tranquility and quiet and slow pace of life near the London Fields park.

The Arches were never designed for pubs, clubs, bars, restaurants and such with noise pollution constant from these venues and glass that has punctured more tires than I dare to remember and litter and debris that is disrespectful for all residents.

I will be voting again for **NO** opening of a late license and opening of venues.

Either give us all triple glazing, No outside tables, No drinking outside triple glazing of all premises. £1000 fine for any litter glass and noise pollution.

Policeman / women on the beat full time around the streets 24 hours a day 365 days a year.

Tree lined roads both sides. Every unit has a full time doorman and woman making sure that NO noise or disturbance is caused for any residents along Mentmore Terrace, Grandsden road, London Lane etc.

Yours sincerely

# APPENDIX C

Sanaria Hussain <sanaria.hussain@hackney.gov.uk>

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## Fwd: New License Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

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10 May 2021 at 11:36

Kind Regards,

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Email: licensing@hackney.gov.uk www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

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From:

Date: Mon, 10 May 2021 at 10:37

Subject: New License Application. Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8

To: clicensing@hackney.gov.uk>

To whom it my concern

I wish to object to the Nest Morning Lane Ltd application for a new license at Arch 392/3 Mentmore Terrace E8 3PH.

I object to the limited time in which the notice has been placed at the property, the date in which to object seems wholly unreasonable, too short.

I object to the poor, informal manner in which it has been displayed, (see attached) and no residents have been made aware of the proposal, I live directly opposite the application address.

The granting of a licence to serve alcohol would undoubtedly result in significant increase in disturbance to residents late at night.

I don't feel Hackney Council are being pro active, taking responsible measures to protect the environmental impact of behaviour within the London Fields area.

I already experience noise from people leaving drinking venues on this and surrounding streets.

I often get woken by rowdy behaviour, including people knocking on my door, shouting and singing late in the evening and in the early hours of the moming.

I also witness people public nuisance including people urinating, vomiting and littering the street.

I already experience late disturbance from deliveries and night time staff clearing and closing up.

I fear this increase in this activity will lead to an increase in crime and makes our street less safe for families and children.

Regards







