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For attention of Principle Licensing Officer

Dear Ms Ashenden

Re Wabi Shebele Restaurant, 189-191 New Kent Rd, London SE1 4AG

This letter is a formal notice that the occupants of New Kent Road intend to attend the consideration (ie rehearing) of Mustafa Arif's appeal against the Licensing Sub-Committee's decision made at the Licence Review last year which is taking place 10.00am 21st March 2011.

We intend to present our concerns in relation to Public Nuisance in so far as they are relevant to any submissions that may be made by the Licensee.

We may include, if relevant, acknowledgement of some welcome improvement in the sound levels that are apparent since the restaurant has been under the hands-on management of the Licensee himself.

It will also include concern about the possibility of a reversion to past problems that occurred during the extensive periods when Mustafa Arif was effectively a Licensee *in absentia*. In the light of these persistent past problems what would be the useful purpose of any assurances that these problems are not going to return?

Concerns about

Prevention of crime and disorder,

Ensuring public safety & Protection of children from harm

have been expressed in earlier submissions by one or other of the signatories and hopefully do not need further discussion.

Yours sincerely