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Dear Sirs

Review: T&S Afro Cosmetics and Food and Wine, 213A Rye Lane, Peckham, 848363

As Director of Public Health for Southwark (a responsible authority under the Licensing Act 2003) I wish to make representation in support of the review of T&S Afro Cosmetics and Food and Wine at 213A Rye Lane, Peckham.

The representation relates to the following licensing objective(s):

- The prevention of crime and disorder
- The protection of children from harm
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This representation is being made on the grounds that the shop is situated within the Peckham Cumulative Impact Zone and has been found to be in breach of the above licensing objectives and terms on their licence by a) Breach of section 341 of Licensing Act where bottled beers on sale with alcohol strength (ABV) exceeded that permitted. b) That the premises will not sell or offer for sale any single cans, bottles or multi packs of beers or ciders with an ABV of above 5.5% will not be offered for sale from any area to which the public have access. Breach of condition 488 (mandatory condition), 4AA(challenge 25), 4AB(Training age check), & 4A1(Refused sale register). Inadequate/no age verification policy in place

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The case for cumulative impact has been made in this area already, however; the data indicates a continuing significant impact from alcohol on crime and disorder, public safety and public nuisance:

- London Ambulance Service attended 21 alcohol related callouts to those aged under 26s within 500m of the premises and recorded 48 assaults within 500m of the premises in the year to March 2015.
- 25 Least serious injuries – which are often used as a proxy for alcohol related violence – were recorded within 500m of the premises in the year to March 2015.
- The British Transport police reported 18 incidents of violence within 500m of the premises in the year to March 2015.
- Transport for London reported 28 incidents of Anti-social behavior within 500m of the premises in the year to March 2015.
- In the last year The Lane ward ranked: (a rank of 1 suggests a higher number of incidents)
- 1/21 wards for violence, and alcohol related disturbances reported by TFL
- 2/21 wards weapon injuries, knife injuries, criminal damage, possession of a weapon and probation clients with alcohol misuse risk.
- 3/21 wards for theft from person and anti-social behavior.
- 4/21 wards for British transport police reported violence, night time violent disorder, personal robbery, possession of drugs, gun injuries and assaults.

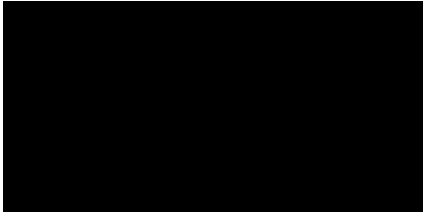
Based on the evidence summarized above and the policy basis for the saturation zone I believe that the premise under review are adding unduly to the impact of alcohol on crime and disorder and failing to adequately protect children from harm.

Based on the information provided above we would like to see the review

- Revoke the licence or, if the committee are not minded to revoke the licence
- Restrict hours for the sale of alcohol to 10am to 11pm
- Ensure the licence holder complies with all existing terms on their current licence.



Yours sincerely



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