

SOUTH DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL
Licensing Act 2003

REPRESENTATION FORM FROM RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES
TEMPORARY EVENT NOTICE

Responsible Authority (please delete as applicable):
 Environmental Protection

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| Name of the premises you are making a representation about | White Hart, Aston On Trent. |
| Address of the premises you are making a representation about | 21 Derby Road, Aston On Trent |

| Which of the four licensing objectives does your representation relate to? | Yes Or No | Please detail the evidence supporting your representation. Or the reason for your representation. Please use separate sheets if necessary |
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| To prevent crime and disorder | No | |
| Public safety | No | |
| To prevent public nuisance | Yes | This representation is in regards two separate events for which TEN's have been submitted. See accompanying letter |
| To protect children from harm | No | |

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| Please detail any modifications that could be made to the temporary event notice to allow the licensable activities to take place. | Amplified music should only be held externally for 1 night per calendar year, with a cut-off of 11pm. |
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Signed:

John Mills

Date: 02/06/23

Please return this form along with any additional sheets to the Licensing Section, South Derbyshire District Council, Council Offices, Civic Way, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 0AH or email to licensing@south-derbys.gov.uk This form must be returned within the statutory period. For more details please check with the Licensing Office on 01283 595 716/890/724



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Dear Sirs,

REPRESENTATION - TEMPORARY EVENT NOTICES
WHITE HART, ASTON ON TRENT.
23rd June 2023 FS-Case-520045348
1st – 2nd July 2023 FS-Case-520054215

I wish to make representations in regards the various TEN's applied for by the above venue on the dates listed on grounds of public nuisance.

The venue is requesting three nights external amplified music. The music will be played on a trailer externally in the car park of the premises.

Aston On Trent is a small village, and the public house is situated predominantly in a residential area, with houses bordering the car park and dwellings less than 20 metres from the car park. I have reviewed the types of music that are being played at the event. The typical music noise levels from such events are likely to exceed 90 dB(A), a level at which will mean that adjoining properties will be unable to hold normal conversations in their gardens, or open windows for ventilation throughout the event, it is also unlikely that they will be able to sleep even with windows closed in bedrooms with a line of sight to the car park. The noise levels will exceed widely recognised guideline values of 65 dB(A) up to 11pm and inaudible beyond this time.

The wider impacts of the music will be felt far further afield than this. I estimate the noise impacts will be significant well over 100 metres from the property (this is based upon both universally accepted sound propagation principles, and my professional experience)

For this reason, we have in previous years agreed with the premises to host one day of external music until 11pm for the Well Dressing event, with any additional music either not amplified, or restricted to internal areas of the premises. We accept that whilst one night will have a considerable impact on residents, the guidance recognises that higher limits are deemed acceptable for an event taking place only one day per year.

It is unfortunate that once again the license holder has not discussed this event with the Local Authority prior to submitting the TEN. They have offered no supporting information in regards how they intend to uphold the licensing objectives and prevent public nuisance, therefore I have no alternative other than to submit a representation.



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I can confirm I am willing to withdraw my representation on the basis that the event is limited to one day/year, with an 11pm cut-off.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John Mills". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'J'.

John Mills
Principal Environmental Health Officer