

From: Ormskirk Residents
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To: Licensing Enquiries <Licensing.Enquiries@westlancs.gov.uk>
Subject: licensing application 23 Church Street Ormskirk

Dear Sir,

I am writing of behalf of New Ormskirk Residents group (NORG), following discussion at our monthly meeting on 13/11/17. NORG wishes to object to a license application for the former retail unit Branfresh 23, Church Street Ormskirk, which is seeking to be turned into a restaurant.

The applicant, on behalf of the very recently formed company Vici Leisure group Limited, is seeking to serve food and alcohol until 2am and play recorded music also until 2am. We consider that this is unacceptable under objective *d) prevention of a public nuisance*, as the upper floor of these premises (not shown on the plans) and others in the immediate vicinity, are residential. Also in this category the applicant states that they will attempt to reduce noise from extraction and ventilation units, but has not indicated how this would be achieved nor is there any detail on how the noise generated by the movement of bins and rubbish after **11pm** will be mitigated. There appear, on the accompanying plans, to be outside tables, again potentially generating noise nuisance and as their location would be on a public pavement, presenting a considerable hazard for anyone partially sighted or using mobility aids (*objective c. public safety*).

NORG notes that the private basement dining room is discriminatory as it has no disabled access and the single unisex basement toilet is not shown as having disability features. This private basement dining room is unacceptable under objective c.

NORG asks that if the license is granted then the alcohol license to accompany the serving of food both in the ground floor dining area and in the “private dining” basement is restricted to a finish time of 11.30pm.

L.Hill NORG secretary

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