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Appendix B

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Licensing Officer
Chorley Borough Council
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PR7 1DP
11th October 2010

Dear Sir

RE: PREMISES LICENCE REPLY:- LICENSING ACT 2003 - REF New Licence Application

Premises - ID Bar, Market Street, Chorley.

With regards the above application for a premises licence to be granted to Lee Pemberton for the I.D Bar, Market Street, Chorley, the police would make the following representation;

The Police do not feel the applicant Lee Pemberton is a suitable person to hold a premises licence and feel that granting this application would undermine the public safety licensing objective.

The applicant is well known to Responsible Authorities within Chorley, Preston and South Ribble, most notably the Fire Service and Local Authority Health and Safety officers. The applicant has a number of businesses as well as the owner of a large number of properties in the area, some of which have found to be deficient in the lawful requirement to ensure the safety for the tenants.

There has ben issues a serious fire in one of his properties in Preston where he was prosecuted by the Fire Service and found guilty at court. He has also been prosecuted for offences under the housing act in Chorley and is currently being investigated for further offences in Chorley and Preston.

The applicants poor previous record of ensuring the properties he owns comply with Health and Safety regulations and his failure to ensure the safety of his tenants is of great concern to the Police.

The Police do not feel satisfied that he will take the necessary steps to ensure members of the public who use these premises will be adequately protected from harm and do not think any property owned by the applicant is suitable to be granted a licence.

Yours faithfully

Police Sergeant 1506