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The Licensing Officer
Test Valley Borough Council
Beech Hurst
Weyhill Road
Andover
Hants

Mrs & Mrs J Cullen
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15th October 2007

Dear Sir

Re: Planning Application for Tesco Express - Weyhill Road

We have seen a notice displayed in the window of the ex-Scats building stating that Tesco's are applying for permission to sell alcohol in the new shop from **6AM to 11PM every day of the week INCLUDING SUNDAY**. (Incidentally, this notice has not been on show anywhere on the building or environs for the last few days now, so we don't know how people are to be alerted to this application).

We are expressing our strongest objections to this application due to the disturbance and noise it will cause to us and other nearby neighbours in this residential area.

What on earth is the case for wishing to sell alcohol from 6am onwards and again, why up until the late hour of 11pm. Why should our human rights of being entitled to a peaceful night's restful sleep be compromised by the noise of people arriving at the store at these totally unsociable hours to buy their alcohol. Surely, there is sufficient time during reasonable shopping hours to make their purchases. It would seem that it is just encouraging people who are desperate for a drink at any time to continue in this habit.

Our family bedrooms are just yards away from this store - we accept there was a store when we moved here but this change of use has completely altered the nature and ambience of our surrounding area and it totally unacceptable to have to contemplate customers turning up at such unearthly hours 7 days a week to buy alcohol - and especially with the late night purchases - probably even hanging about outside our property while they consume it.

Yours faithfully

James Cullen

Margaret Cullen

