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APPENDIX 9

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Subject: Representation 053653 Down End Beach Cafe

Following the notice of application 053653 located at Down End Beach Cafe, Croyde by Henry Hare, we would like to object on the following reasons.

After the many pop up catering vans in Croyde for the last two years, we don't think it is necessary for an alcohol licence to be given to a former ice cream/ shop which has been converted into a take away to now serve alcohol. The Carpark is becoming a hub for range of activities.

The location within a carpark next to a surf school is irresponsible to promote alcohol sales to complement the take away. If this premises were a larger scale restaurant or public house, there would be no objection. We feel the owner/staff would not be able to take responsibility of suppling alcohol in the conducted way a public house has responsibility in their sight to ensure all people are safe. Also how would this comply with underage drinking if there is encouragement to drink in cars/carpark.

Where are the owners promoting customers to drink the alcohol given there are no covered areas or buildings? Consumption of alcohol in cars, the banks of the carpark or encouraging to drink on the beach (which had many complaints about alcohol being consumed) seems to be an issue with this application.

This application would be unfair competition to the local public houses which follow the rules governed by regulations, and unhealthy competition to contribute to the pop up culture killing the local village amenities, and every land/carpark owner could apply for a licence in the future.

Kind Regards
Trudi & Paul Dymond

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