From: Sent: To: Subject: Paul Barrington 05 March 2024 18:41 Licensing License Variation Sandy Cove

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I am emailing you with concern regarding the potential block or reduction to the Sandy Cove Hotel and Wedding Venue licensing due to nearby parties to the venue.

As a professional and full time Wedding DJ that offers our services at the Sandy Cove on a regular basis I find the concerns on its amendment surprising.

I always find the staff at Sandy Cove are attentive to the sound levels and the closing of any outside doors at the required time of the evening to absolutely minimise sound levels to the surrounding area.

And music is ALWAYS off by midnight. They have always been extremely strict about this.

I also grew up and spent many years living pretty much directly opposite the Sandy Cove and have never seen or heard an issue surrounding noise levels in the past.

The Sandy Cove has been a well respected and long standing Hotel and local employer in Berrynarbor for Decades. And it very much sounds like someone has decided to take offence moving here after being fully aware of the business when they decided to purchase.

In my opinion the Sandy Cove is a well run and attractive business for North Devon bringing in a wide range of customers to the area. With such a brilliant setting and local history business like this should be encouraged to make the most of the entertainment side.

So I support the license variation for the Sandy Cove and hope it can continue to provide well run weddings and continue to employ lots of local people.

The Sandy Cove Hotel and Venue Berrynarbor, Ilfracombe, Ex349SR

Yours sincerely

Paul Barrington