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ROKKA - Licence variation application

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Thank you for consulting Environmental Health on this application.

EH received noise complaints regarding the volume of music emanating from Rokka on 14th September 2020 at 02:58am from a resident in Harbour Parade and another on 22nd January 2020 from a user of a nearby business who complained about the level of music and ASB. In 2010 a noise assessment was undertaken indicating that the sound limiter should not exceed 90dB LAeq 5mins (not exceeding 90dB in 63Hz or 125 Hz); unless sound mitigation measures have been improved since it remains the limit as advised by EH. If sound insulation has been subsequently improved; EH are happy to reassess and give an updated limit.

Given that Rokka have had numerous TEN applications over the last 6 years EH will not object to the variation providing the follow conditions which have been included within the application are attached:

1. A sound limiter should be fitted and set by a fully qualified sound engineer, at a level agreed in consultation with the Council's Environmental Health Department. The limiter should be secured so that the levels are not altered. All sound amplification systems should be played through this limiting device.
2. Windows and doors should be kept closed, during regulated entertainment, other than for access or egress and all doors should be fitted with door closures.
3. Speakers should not be positioned near to openings such as doors or windows and ensure that anti-vibration mountings for speakers are used. The position of speakers to be agreed with Environmental Health Officers.
4. Signs to advise patrons and staff to be quiet when leaving the premises should be displayed.
5. Doors and windows should be kept closed, in any event, except for access and egress, after 2am until close.

Regards

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