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Dear Mr. Tulloch,

I hope that I am writing to the correct person.

I'm dismayed to hear of the possible disruption to the work of AIR Studios because someone wants to build a basement.

I am a record producer and engineer and have brought many hundreds of thousands of pounds work to the studios so yes, I am appalled that the studio could be unable to work and thus possibly close, due to a folly of a neighbour.

AIR Studios is a vital, absolutely vital part of the London recording landscape housing world class facilities that attract the worlds greatest recording talents. It's loss would be an outrageous, avoidable disaster.

There is only one other studio in London able to offer a similar level of service, Abbey Road Studios. The possible disruption to AIR's facilities would also have a hugely damaging effect on Abbey Road too.

London, without AIR would cease to be an internationally acclaimed place to record large orchestras and clients, including large scale Hollywood productions, would go elsewhere in the world. The damage to musicians' livelihoods, local London businesses, engineers, technicians and all associated industries, would also be very severe.

Please could you register my very strong objection to the proposed planning?

Many thanks for your attention.

Best wishes,

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Sent from my iPhone