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**Sent:** 17 November 2016 18:06  
**To:** Planning  
**Subject:** Planning Application 2016/5627/P

Att of Matthias Gentet

Dear Matthias, I strongly oppose permission being granted for decking in front of 46 Birchington Road NW6 4LJ.

It's there already, built without permission

When residents complained, we were told as a temporary measure, decking would not be used after 6 PM, The neon sign would be removed & a device fitted to the main door which would automatically cut the music if the front door opened.

Every night of the week there was diners on the decking until 8/9 pm, smokers consuming alcohol until 12noon/ 1AM.

People leaving the establishment hanging around the decking chatting  
Just the noise of people enjoying themselves without being over boisterous is more than enough to disturb the neighbours, many of whom have bedrooms at the front of the buildings

Neon sign still flashing every few seconds 5 different colours appearing in my front room.  
Appears to be no device to cut off music as the door opens, when they hold a function I can hear music as the door opens

To sum up sitting in my lounge I am disturbed by the general chatter of customers on the decking & music with the door either open or constantly opening & closing. Five different colours flashing into my lounge. Many of my neighbours are closer than me to this establishment, I am sure you will be hearing from them.

The proprietors have shown contempt for the planning system by building without planning permission & by totally ignoring restrictions placed upon them.

The decking & neon sign should be removed

This is a residential street, the building was previously a retail outlet which closed at 6 pm

Permission for change of use was sneaked through without the knowledge of 95% of residents

Please keep me informed of all development in this case.

Regards

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