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2018/4047/L	Laurence Gavin	16/10/2018 19:23:36	OBJ	I strongly object to this proposal. I am particularly concerned that these plans will see the street steadily turning into an area exclusively used for offices and that existing enterprises will be forced out. I am a loyal customer at a cafe on the street and the owner was worried that these plans may lead to his livelihood being taken away. In addition, it is my view that the council should take advantage of Sicilian Avenue's beauty and should only consider applications that ensure existing businesses are not put in danger.
2018/4047/L	Dhanji Patel	12/10/2018 10:38:14	APP	We have been trading since 1980. We have been kept outside of the landlords and tenants Act for the past 12 years, by force of the landlords. Even if the landlords want the premises back, they should give us atleast 5-6 months notice, before they want the premises back, so that we can clear the stock and stop further buying. Another important point is that, when local businesses want to put chairs or A Boards outside, we all get letters in the post giving notice, however, with such a big project, the council have put only a small small yellow notice on the lampost, this is absurd. Please keep this information confidential.

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