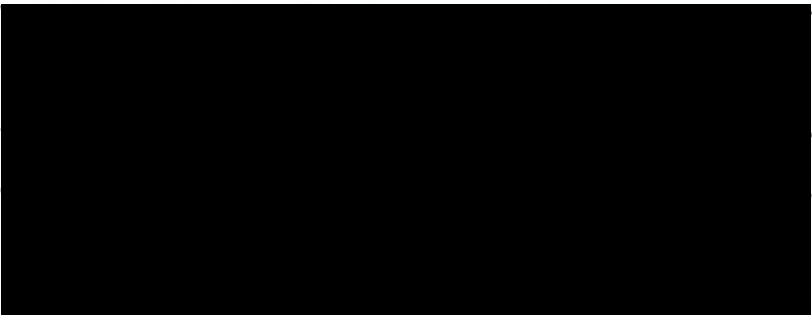


**Licensing Act 2003  
REPRESENTATION FORM**

The boxes marked \* are mandatory. Representations missing this information will be automatically refused

**Other Persons**

*Name/ Name of business/organisation you represent	DR ALAN SMRANK
*Postal address	
Telephone number	
Email address This is the most reliable way for us to communicate with you, please provide an email address if you have one	

*Name & address of premises for which the representation is being made
ROWLEY'S HOUSE COURTYARD BARKER STREET SHREWSBURY post code: 57763

\*Your representation must relate to one or more of the following four licensing objectives. Please detail the evidence supporting your representation or the reason for your representation. Please use separate sheets if necessary.

**THE PREVENTION OF CRIME AND DISORDER**

Crime and disorder are always more likely in venues where there is a crowd of people drinking and eating at night especially where there is inadequate lighting.

**PUBLIC SAFETY**

The modus operandi is not described. The lack of water, electricity, drainage and toilet facilities on the Rowley's House Courtyard means the site would be used for seating with the supply of food and drink and access to toilet facilities provided by licensed premises on the other side of Barker Street and so similar to pavement use outside built licensed premises.

The movement of food and drink on trays across the busy two-way traffic will put staff, traffic, and customers at risk of hazard and accident on this very busy thoroughfare. Also supervision of the Courtyard area from premises in Barker Street to prevent drunkenness is likely to be inadequate.

Hence Public Safety will be at serious risk.

#### THE PREVENTION OF PUBLIC NUISANCE

The noise of a crowd of people drinking and eating in the open at night especially into the early hours of the morning is bound to cause considerable nuisance and prove distressing and disturbing and preventing the sleep of the many residents living within 50 metres of the venue. This includes those living close by in Hills Lane, The Tannery, Claremont Hill, Claremont Street with the Market Hall building and the proposed adjacent hotel.

**THE** Currently many of these residents are 'vulnerable' people for whom such stress would be intolerable. Unacceptable noise at 3 am and 5 am is just an appalling prospect for anyone.

The lack of toilets on site could lead to fouling of neighbouring properties and streets.

**Suggested conditions that could be added to the licence to remedy your representation or other suggestions you would like the Licensing Sub Committee to take into account. Please use separate sheets where necessary.**

At best no licence for the sale and consumption of alcoholic drinks or the sale of take-away food in the Rowley's House Courtyard should be granted in the interest of Public Safety. At least no licence should be granted to provide food or drink after 2300 hours in order to avoid the creation of a Public Nuisance.

- Generally, if there is to be a hearing to determine the premises licence application, the Licensing Sub Committee will only be able to consider matters that have been previously disclosed. No new evidence can be introduced at the hearing. It is therefore imperative that you detail all matters that you wish to be considered on this initial representation. Please attach additional sheet if necessary.
- If you make a representation, you will be expected to attend the Licensing Sub Committee hearing and any subsequent appeal process. **All representations in their entirety, including your name, address and contact details will be disclosed to the applicant for the premises licence and their agent.**
- If limited or withheld personal details are redacted from representations, where notice of a hearing is given to an applicant, the licensing authority is required under the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005 to provide the applicant with copies of the relevant representations that have been made.

**I/We fully understand that this representation will be made available to the applicant and included in the Sub Committee's Hearing papers which are publicly accessible documents, and any subsequent appeal court proceedings.**

Signed:

Date:

If this form is sent as an email attachment, its transmission will confirm that you have agreed the above conditions