

APPENDIX B.

Principal Licensing Officer  
Licensing Department  
Northampton Borough Cou  
The Guildhall  
St Giles Square  
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Dear Madam or Sir

I am writing to **OBJECT** to the application to renew the Sexual Entertainment Venue Licence for the Urban Tiger Lap Dancing Club, Wellingborough Road, Northampton, NN1 4AA.

My objections are on the grounds of Inappropriate Location.

The Urban Tiger is situated on one of the main shopping streets heading into the town centre. There are children's shops and women's hairdressers in the locality, there are places of worship nearby and directly behind the club is a residential area.

It is therefore clear that this locality is entirely unsuitable for a premises with a sex entertainment licence given the use to which the other premises in the vicinity are put and the character of the locality, and therefore according to Schedule 3 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 the council must reject this licence application.

I believe that the existence of sexual entertainment venues on our high street has a huge negative impact on women's equality and women's safety in the wider community.

Lap dancing clubs fuel a sexist culture, create no-go areas for women and increase demand for nearby prostitution services.

It is time Northampton Borough Council removed the sex industry from our town centre.

Yours faithfully