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Informal Consultation Information Letters Sent

<u>Name of organisation</u>	<u>Date sent</u>	<u>Response returned</u>
Responsible Authorities	28/02/2013	9
Hackney Drivers	28/02/2013	155
Private Hire operators	28/02/2013	50
University	28/02/2013	1
BID	28/02/2013	1
Pubwatch	28/02/2013	1
Churches	28/02/2013	52
Mosques	04/03/2013	4
Street Pastors	05/03/2013	1
CRI	04/03/2013	1
Hope	05/03/2013	1
Voluntary Organisations	04/03/2013	15
Residents Associations	04/03/2013	10
Parish Councils	28/02/2013	7
Larger Hotels	04/03/2013	7
Licencees	04/03/2013	650
Solicitors	01/03/2013	47
GPs	28/02/2013	25

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Views on principle of EMRO	Organisation Type	Comments
For	Person	Times
For	Church	
For	Person	
Against	Casino	Unfair to licensed premises who operate safe, secure and well managed premises; threat to late night economy; detrimental to business and could lead to loss of employment and revenue to treasury
For	Licensee	Times; better use of police resources; "bars and clubs will be on level playing field"
Against	Licensee	incidents at house parties; rekindle rave parties; displacement "it is likely that drinkers would start drinking in other towns"; loss of business rates revenue; should adopt zero tolerance approach; financial impact on licensees
Against	Person	damage town economy; businesses will close; need tougher sentencing
For	Residents Assoc.	
For	Parish Council	
Against	Solicitors	loss of jobs; premises will close; discourage university students; loss of revenue in the town; displacement of drinkers to elsewhere; loss of jobs will impact on welfare of children
Neutral	Licensee	
For	Person	Times
For	Person	"Positives far outweigh negatives"; Better use of police resources
For	Person	
For	Person	"will be in the interest of public safety and the crime and disorder problems this town is being tarnished with"
For	Person	will protect young people from harm
Against	Licensee	
For	Store	reduce public nuisance on abington street

Against	Casino	A blunt instrument; "A balance must be sought to ensure that only those implicated in contributing to the problem are the recipients of restrictions in the trade"
For	Private Hire	
Against	hotel	Times unable to compete; loss of business
For	Residents Assoc.	
Against	Solicitors	
? Arguments	Licensee	Times
Against	Licensee	"severe impact on local nighttime economy"
Against	Owners	discourage students; discourage investment in town; increase anti-social behaviour; create flashpoints; difficult to attract new tenants; to business units
Against	Person	Cause more crime as "nothing for people my age to do"; destroy families as no income
For	Person	improve safety and crime and disorder in the town centre
Against	Licensee	displacement to Milton Keynes; will kill nightlife trade
Neutral	Licensee	
For	Residents Assoc.	
For	Licensee	promote 4 licensing objectives
For	Church	ruining businesses in town; encourage people to drink on streets; job losses; need better patrols in town centre
Against	Person	help prevent crime and disorder; improve public safety; prevention public nuisance; protection of children from harm
For	Doctors	Have Best Bar None; committed to security; no problems in their bar; EMRO
Against	Students' Union	indiscriminate punishment for responsible organisation; suggest responsible drink campaign
Against	Solicitors	Times; staggered closing; drinking up time; bottle neck; shorter drinking time for same amount of alcohol; problem shifting to another area; enforcement. "Serious implications for many licenced businesses, including those which are well run...Unclear that EMROs will ameliorate problems.."
Against	Licensee	loss of jobs; create empty town centre premises; displacement to neighbouring town

Against	Taxi Driver	People generally well behaved. Congestion and Building work in Bridge Street is a worse issue.
Against	Person	People who can only get out late wont be able to enjoy themselves
For	Person	But only in Bridge Street area
For	Person	Protect young people from short and long term harm
For	Person	Too much police resources being wasted under present system