Mr Andrew Constantinou Miss Olivia Toni Holloway 24 Barham Court 80A Station Road Cuffley Hertfordshire EN6 4HY

04 January 2017

Mrs J Pagdin

Your ref: 6/2016/1068/FULL

Sent by email only: j.pagdin@welhat.gov.uk

Dear Mrs Pagdin

Re: Barham Court, 80 Station Road, Cuffley, Potters Bar, EN6 4HY and the proposal of A3 use to the commercial unit

We write in response to the letter dated 22 November 2016 and we can confirm our absolute rejection of the above for the following reasons:

- 1) The number of car parking spaces available for the proposal do not meet the planning requirements and even if the near by car parks were to be utilised to counter this, they would only act as an overflow due to the commercial car parking spaces having the incentive of being nearest to site and currently free of charge to use. This will inevitably attract customers trying to park there first and cause additional congestion on the already busy Station Road. Also as a result of the limited parking spaces being so sought after, it will undoubtedly cause higher levels of vehicular movement and congestion on the site due to customers looking to park. This would be especially the case for those residents using a car, due to the resident's car park and commercial parking facilities sharing the same entry and exit points.
- 2) A unit with A3 use will definitely create more noise pollution and will be most apparent at night when customers are leaving the premises due to the late operating hours. The proposal would be located in a predominantly residential area and will thus infringe the rights of those residents who wish to reside in the vicinity in order to be free of the inadvertent issues that an establishment of this nature will undoubtedly bring, such as food/rubbish smells, excess rubbish, noise, attraction of rodent, fire risk, eye sore (particularly the extraction system) and movement of cars and people late at night.

Finally, we would like to add that the majority of people who recently purchased leaseholds at Barham Court done so on the premise that there was no A3 use granted. We therefore believe that the developer's integrity should be further scrutinised by the Council, as a strong sense of injustice is felt by many residents of Barham Court. This would also demonstrate that the Council will stand up against any potential injustice and will support their constituents when required to do so.

Yours sincerely

Mr Andrew Constantinou & Miss Olivia Toni Holloway