



**West Mercia Police Objection
New Premises Licence Application
(25/03604/PREMLI – 76 IPSLEY STREET, REDDITCH, B98 7AE) .**

I, PC 3103 GIBBS, an appointed Licensing Officer with West Mercia Police, having delegated authority from the Chief Officer to exercise powers under the Licensing Act 2003, hereby give notice of objection to a new premises licence application received by West Mercia Police on the 27th August 2015 made by Caribbean Flavour restaurant and Bar LTD. The consultation end date being 19/09/25.

The application seeks to gain a licence for the supply of alcohol and playing of music between the hours of 10am and 1am Sunday to Wednesday and 10am until 2am Thursday to Saturday at the address of 76 Ipsley Street, Redditch.

The police objection is made on the grounds of the prevention of crime and disorder.

The company director of Caribbean Flavour restaurant and Bar LTD as shown on companies house is Mr Dan NELLIGAN; NELLIGAN is the sole listed person with the only address showing as the premise itself.

There is a long history of serious violence associated with this premise when owned by the previous owner Mr Clinton BRYAN, with the premise previously known as The Warwick Nightclub/Warwick Arms. Due to the criminal links associated with it, it was subject to a closure order and the licence duly revoked.

Information that has come to light and held by Police indicates that Mr Dan NELLIGAN is linked to the previous owner of 76 Ipsley Street, Mr BRYAN. Police are therefore concerned in relation to this association and the history of criminal activity, believing that this premise will continue to be linked to such serious criminality.

Police have further worries in regards to the appropriateness of Mr NELLIGAN as the director of the company and it is believed that the licensing objective of preventing crime and disorder would not be met.

Police therefore strongly object to the granting of this licence. Further evidence to support the objection can be duly supplied.

Regards
PC 3103 GIBBS
Alcohol Licensing Officer
West Mercia Police.