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Dear Sirs

Application to vary a premises licence – Sainsbury's, 147-148 Western Road, Brighton, BN1 2DA

I write further to our letter of 17 September 2009 making representations in respect of the above application to vary the premises licence.

I can confirm that we have now reached an agreement with the solicitors acting for the applicant and have agreed on the basis of the following condition being placed on the licence to withdraw our representations:-

A Challenge 21 Scheme (or equivalent) shall be adopted so that all cashiers are trained to ask any customer attempting to purchase alcohol, who appears to be under the age of 21 years (or older if the licence holder so elects) for evidence of age. This evidence shall be photographic, such as passport or photographic driving licence until other effective identification technology (for example, thumb print or pupil recognition) is introduced. All cashiers will be instructed, through training, that a sale shall not be made unless this evidence is produced.

I understand that the solicitors acting have written to you in similar terms.

I would be grateful if you could make the Licensing Panel aware of this agreement and that we are now withdrawing our representations.

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