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Dear Sirs,

**RE: SCUNTHORPE MINI MARKET, 103 FRODINGHAM ROAD, SCUNTHORPE,
DN15 7JU**

We are writing to formally object to the application for the granting of a premises license made by Scunthorpe Mini Market, 103 Frodingham Road, Scunthorpe, DN15 7JU.

This area of the Town Ward has particularly high levels of deprivation which makes residents vulnerable to the attraction of cheap alcohol. This can lead to crime and disorder and the associated public safety issues this can bring to local residents.

We have seen apparently underage young people, with cheap drinks, congregating outside the Mosque on Percival Street which is only a few meters from this shop.

The premises more or less back on to the Parkinson Street Mosque. We believe the license would encourage street drinking around the Mosque which would be very disconcerting for children and adults attending the Mosque for prayers 5 times a day. Between 4.45am and 7pm 200 children attend the mosque, Monday to Friday.

There is already an issue with street drinkers across the road at the back of Lidl at the Parkinson Avenue entrance.

This is both a public safety issue and potentially a child protection issue.


There have also been complaints received from local residents regarding the amount of litter and dumped waste left by customers of the shops in the area.

Both of us as elected members have witnessed huge amounts of litter including bottles and cans in the near vicinity of the shop. We receive numerous contacts each week about fly tipping and excessive litter in this area.

The area appears to be at saturation in terms of licensed premises. With increased competition, there may be a temptation for existing sellers to reduce prices by sourcing products from inappropriate /illegally operating suppliers.

Therefore, we wish to submit our objections to this application.

Yours sincerely,



**CLLR LORRAINE YEADON & CLLR MASHOOK ALI
TOWN WARD**