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Mr John Horton QC
The Independent Liquor & Gaming Authority
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Dear Mr Horton

SUBMISSION TO THE NEWCASTLE CBD LIQUOR LICENCE CONDITIONS REVIEW

This is a submission to the Newcastle CBD Liquor License Conditions Review. I have lived in Newcastle East since 2001 and I live within 150m of two licenced bars. Since the introduction of the "Newcastle Conditions" the city is a much more pleasant and safe place to reside. My son turns 18 this year and is most likely to frequent licenced venues with his friends and because we live in the city he will also most likely travel by foot, consequently I am truly fearful for his safety if the city returns to the pre-2008 levels of violence in licenced premises and on the streets. Since 2008 alcohol related violence in the CBD of Newcastle has fallen 72% which is the equivalent of 6000 fewer admissions to hospital emergency departments. I would like the Newcastle Conditions to remain in place unadulterated and to be extended to the wider suburbs especially Beaumont St. , Hamilton.

Yours faithfully

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