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MESSRS MARTINS NEWAGENT, 327 BOXLEY ROAD, PENENDEN HEATH, MAIDSTONE, ME 14 2HN

I am submitting this my appeal against the granting of a licence to the above for the sale/storage of alcohol at or from the above named premises.

REASONS.

As a retired medical practitioner I must object to any factor that will increase the known potential to increase the incidence of alcohol related physical disease and its burden on the NHS.

There is at present no lack of availability of alcohol for the local residents.

The above premises have been burgled recently on two occasions with an incentive of cigarettes and tobacco. Any alcohol will encourage this incentive

Socially as a local resident the availability from 0700-1900 hrs 6 days a week with 0700-1300 on Sundays 365 days a years can create anti-social behaviour in the more than generous frontal car park

Women and children use this shop for simple purchases

I am aware of an existing off—licence that only retails alcohol products in the same parade of shops under well controlled and generous hours of availability. I have no interest of any description with this shop

R.J. WORDEN MB, BS, MRCS Dobst RCOG.