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Dear Sir

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005 APPLICATION FOR PROVISIONAL PREMISES LICENCE APPLICANT: ISLE OF BUTE GIN COMPANY LIMITED PREMISES: ISLE OF BUTE GIN DISTILLERY, 61-67 HIGH STREET, ROTHESAY

I refer to the above application and in terms of section 21(4)(a)(i) and (ii) of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005, I have to advise you that neither the applicant nor any connected person has been convicted of any relevant offence. I am unable to confirm the existence of any foreign offence in respect of the applicant or any connected person.

In terms of Section 22(1)(b) of the Act, the Chief Constable has the following representation to make.

The proposed premises is on derelict land, however, is surrounded by various domestic housing and other business units and the applicants are looking to licence an outside event area as part of the application. Your Honours may wish to consider an appropriate terminal hour for the external area in order to minimise disruption to local residents.

In addition, the applicants have detailed indoor and outdoor sports activities on the operating plan. The applicant's agent has given reassurances that these events will be family friendly, therefore unlikely to cause disruption within the premises or wider community.

Yours faithfully

John Paterson Divisional Commander