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To whom it may concern,

Apologies for this being one day after the comments deadline, I hope this will still be considered. We objected to the previous application for a marquee which I believe was rejected by the council (i.e. the application) and we have now had notification of a second application for effectively the same thing but a slight smaller marquee. For the same reasons, we would like to object again, as the smaller dimensions of the marquee in this instance will still cause the same problems as before.

Please see below my previous objection, which I stand by for this application:

We would like to echo the thoughts made in other comments with regard to excessive noise during recent events where the marquee was in use. In addition, disruption from parking in Park Lane and around the war memorial during said events, which is as a result of both the loss of car parking space from the placement of the marquee, and on occasion the shutting of the car park completely.

During these periods, the entire car park and garden became an outdoor bar, with several hundred people in attendance. There was an increase in antisocial behaviour in neighbouring streets to the pub during this time.

Having said this, as a rare occurrence, for example a large sporting event such as the Euro competition, we don't completely object to this happening for short period over a few weeks. What concerns us with this application is that the marquee has been up for several months already (since June) so what is defined as temporary? For all we know, once granted, it could then be used on a very regular basis for similar purposes.

Another objection we specifically have is that the marquee is quite unsightly; having a slightly lower wall than other neighbouring gardens, we can see the long expanse of the white roof at all times from our garden. As an aside, we can also see the tops of motor homes which frequent the pub regularly.

We feel that apart from on very rare occasions, the pub could use its function room for many of the purposes you would use the marquee for, which provides better sound proofing for the neighbouring area, amongst other benefits.

Best regards,

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