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BYRON SHIRE COUNCIL

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Re: DA No. 10.2016.625.5

Dear Sirs,

My name is [REDACTED], and I am a longterm resident and rate payer of Byron Shire.



The above DA at 35-37 Burringbar St. is situated [REDACTED] to my property, known as [REDACTED] as well as my [REDACTED] property, known as the [REDACTED].

I was not able to submit my comments online due to technical issues with the site re: the DA No. 10.2016.625.5, nor make a submission at www.byron.nsw.gov.au/dasubmission, hence my written submission below.

I do not reside permanently at [REDACTED] but am in Mullumbimby on a regular basis, either on my own or in the company of my family around the school holiday periods. My property [REDACTED] resides at my apartment, and since the property in question (business name "Banya" have opened their doors around the Christmas/ New Year period, 2023, I have been affected adversely by;

1. Since opening their doors early this year, music blaring continually from Banya, from 8:00 AM till 10:00 PM every single day, making it impossible to maintain one's concentration on even the simplest of tasks. The music was at a volume that either drowned out or imposed itself on every single daily activity resulting in my attention being polarised by the monotony of a continual loop of mediocre commercial music, day in, day out.
2. I need to stress this is noise pollution of the worst kind, as one cannot find a moment's respite, leading to a consistent despoiling of every single activity on a daily basis.

Having understood that the owner of Banya is now pressing for an extension of the time that music is finally shutdown from 10 pm to 12 midnight, I can only express my categoric disagreement that such a right be granted. No doubt, the owner of the business resides far from the Banya premises, and can enjoy his evening hours peacefully away from the din of all-night revellers, and therefore is requesting further concessions from BS Council for purely economic gain ie; furthering his business interests, but we who reside in the near vicinity - should the DA be approved - will be consigned to a kind of hell of noise pollution, condemned to an inescapable round of soul-destroying, polarising "music" on a daily basis. I therefore ask BSC to consider our rights as rate payers and residents and deny the request to fulfil the request as outlined in DA No. 10.2016.625.5

3. ~~Smoke billowing into my property throughout every day,~~
causing runny noses, red eyes etc

4. The smell of chlorine, also resulting in various symptoms,
such as nausea on one occasion.

Kind Regards,

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