To Whom It May Concern,

I understand that Samuel Smith (Southern) is currently applying to vary the Royal George pub opening hours on Friday and Saturday until 0.30am.

We are concerned with this proposal as we believe this will cause increased noise disturbance late into the night which in turn will impact on our sleep, health and wellbeing. For context our bedroom is located directly opposite the pub, across the road. When customers stay up late talking outside the pub, we can hear them like they are in the room with us.

Even now, by good weather we are experiencing noise disturbance from the pub customers until 11.30pm or midnight. Unfortunately, the pub does not always manage to either bring their customers in after certain hours or disperse them after closing hours.

The main area of concern are the benches outside the pub on Tannershill and people congregating and having loud conversations in front/next and opposite the pub.

We would appreciate it if the pub can enforce a strict policy like other pubs in residential areas do, bringing customers inside after 10pm.

Kind regards,