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To: Grout, Martin

Subject: Southampton CC Large Casino Licence Process Gambling Act 2005

Importance: High

Dear Sir

We acknowledge receipt of your letters and enclosure. Our clients continue have a number of serious concerns.

To enable us to respond substantively can you please confirm what procedure the authority proposes to adopt in deciding whether or not to interrupt and delay the casino competition process, the Stage 2 part of which has now commenced.

Until such time as a decision to delay the process has been properly made by a competent body of the authority, please be advised that our clients will continue to proceed on the basis that the Stage 2 part of the competition process is underway in accordance with the previously announced timetable.

We look forward to hearing from you as a matter of urgency.

Yours faithfully,

Bond Dickinson