

Comments for Planning Application 126431/FO/2020

Application Summary

Application Number: 126431/FO/2020

Address: Site South Of Sportcity Way, East Of Joe Mercer Way, West Of Alan Turing Way And North Of The Ashton Canal At The Etihad Campus Manchester

Proposal: Erection of a multi-use arena (Use Class D2) (61082 sqm) with a partially illuminated external facade together with ancillary retail/commercial uses (Classes A1, A3 and A4), with highways, access, servicing, landscaping, public realm and other associated works.

Case Officer: Jennifer Atkinson

Customer Details

Name: Not Available

Address: Not Available

Comment Details

Commenter Type: Member of the Public

Stance: Customer objects to the Planning Application

Comment Reasons:

Comment: Manchester does not need a further huge arena for entertainment. We already have the Manchester Arena, Old Trafford football ground, the Etihad stadium and the Cricket ground not to mention numerous other music venues. I have attended music events at the Etihad and it has been a nightmare trying to get home after an event so add another huge arena potentially having events 5 to 7 nights a week, it would be an awful experience with traffic and trying to get there and back. Public transport isn't particularly great in this area and at least the Manchester Arena is in town so has numerous options for travel. I also think that any new arena would take business away from the city centre and away from Manchester Arena which is a special place in so many Manchester residents hearts. I object to this development wholeheartedly which in my opinion is ill advised and unwanted!