

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: I've never responded to a planning application before, but I feel so strongly about this situation that I felt I needed to express my absolute objection to a second arena in Manchester.

Manchester Arena is a world class venue in a world class city. I have had the pleasure of visiting the venue on many occasions and made memories with my loved ones.

A second arena would significantly impact upon Manchester Arena's ability to trade. It just doesn't make sense to have two.

Two paraphrase Oscar Wilde, two have one arena is fortunate, to have two is business carelessness.

I do hope the committee see sense and disallow proposals for a second arena.