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F.A.O. Stephen Matthews

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Dear Stephen,

Pre-planning consultation - The Footage, Grosvenor Street, Manchester, M1 7DZ

The proposed seating area at this location is generally acceptable and will be well defined with barriers which will reduce the potential for customers to be targeted by thieves. The busy nature of Grosvenor Street, particularly close to the junction of Oxford Road, could leave patrons vulnerable and therefore it is essential that the following recommendations are implemented.

1. The dimensions of the proposed seating area should be marked on the pavement to prevent the seating area encroaching further in to the pavement area than allowed.
2. The seating area should be well managed and checked regularly to prevent misuse.
3. Drinks that are to be consumed outdoors must be in plastic glasses/containers.
4. All barriers/tables/chairs should be removed and securely stored inside after 11pm.
5. Tables must be of a design that are suitable for attaching 'property clips' to secure handbags/laptop bags and, if necessary, can be stacked for storage without damaging the clips. Customers should be shown how to use the clips. As an alternative tables with shelves or net bags under the tabletop can be used.
6. Lighting and CCTV coverage should be provided to the seating area.

Yours faithfully,

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