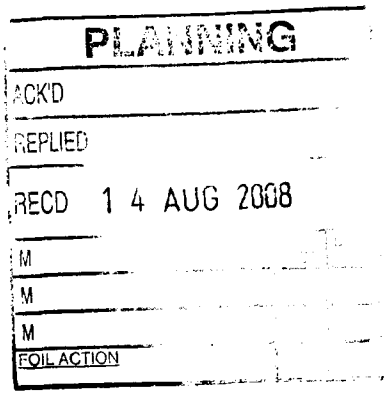
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5 August 2008



Mr. Adam Shilton
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Dear Adam

Re: Grado External Seating

Further to your email dated 30 July 2008, please find below answers to the points raised in relation to the external seating at Grado Restaurant, Manchester.

1. **Information on storage of proposed seating, barriers etc:** The tables, chairs & barriers are to be stored securely in the restaurant at the end of the evening. The chairs chosen are lightweight and stackable and the table tops fold flat against the table base.

2. **How would the external area be managed to control noise increase, disturbance & litter:** This area will be fully serviced with waiting staff at all times. The tables will be cleared after each course and cleaned down again when the customer has left. Ashtrays will be provided for all customers and will be emptied after each customer has dined. Drinks will be served in toughened plastic glasses or sugar glass after 8.30pm as stipulated in our premises licence. Last drinks outside will be 10.30pm, which will give the restaurant ½ hour to clear down

3. **Confirmation that no amplified sound or any music will be played in the proposed external area:** No external music will be played to customers dining outside

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4. **Barriers:** We are going to have barriers and after speaking to Paul, we are happy to go with Toby's proposal of logos just on the end returns. We have now approached Andy Thornton and have given them the sizes required as detailed on your plans. The barriers are cloth and stainless steel and are being manufactured in the same colour scheme as the restaurant. The barriers will not encroach any further then the dimensions shown on the plans and a clear pavement width will be maintained

I hope that the above is sufficient in answering your questions, but should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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