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Submission: Objection

Comments: I object to the application on the grounds of undermining the profitability of independent businesses in town, both those amply meeting the needs of takeaway customers, and those reliant on the passing trade from visitors to the town centre; increased littering; the potential of poor diet to undermine people's health, especially for those on low incomes; traffic congestion, with attendant disruption, noise and reduction in air quality. I feel strongly that this application is for the benefit of an external franchise holder and property developer, and not the people of the town, and it sets a dangerous precedent.

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