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To Whom it may concern,

I feel very motivated in my support for the renewal of the licence for the Grand Casino .

There is no other such venue in Dunedin that offers a comparable safe entertainment environment. The multinational and multicultural community that is included in its patrons membership is looked after in a variety of ways that is a credit to the management and staff.

Of primary importance to me is the security of all individuals, maintained in an elegant and fun manner. The staff are mindful of people's needs, interests and security. Gambling habits are carefully and professionally monitored, as are varying degrees of drinking behaviours and / or disagreeable or antisocial behaviours . A very impressive system and very well implemented.

I am , for example, completely confident my partner can call in to the Casino for any reason (on her own at any time of day or night) and be safe and secure to visit friends or attend a function, gamble or just have some fun .

I have no reservations about the competence of management or staff in relation to the operation and performance of their business in our community.

In my assessment a safer ,more user friendly social environment would be hard to imagine for such a wide social spectrum.

In view of the many broader social functions and activities of the Grand Casino (not mentioned here) it seems to me the Grand Casino is proving to be a social asset to the community .

Yours sincerely,
Graham Bond
(and Judy James)