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Dear Planning Officer

**Planning Applications P/15/066, P/15/067, P/15/068
Men-a-Vaur, Church Road, St Marys, Isles of Scilly**

I write concerning the above applications as a Churchwarden of the Parish of the Isles of Scilly to object most strongly to these planning applications.

I know that our present Chaplain, Canon Paul Miller, has suffered from the noise emanating from the above property whilst trying to sleep at night in the Chaplaincy, so much so that he was going to call the police if the problem persisted. He is leaving the islands next week and our new Chaplain takes over in October.

I am extremely concerned that we provide a good welcome to our new Chaplain and any noise and disturbance at night will not be a good start to his ministry on these islands.

I am amazed that this type of application can be made in this built up area. The Council has often been concerned about over development and I hope they will be extremely concerned at these proposals. To propose 21 extra bedrooms on this small site can only produce a great nuisance to the many people living in this closely developed area.

I expect the owners will assure residents that rules will be laid down for their employees to prevent any nuisance to local residents but I know from past experience that these rules often tend to get broken.

I therefore wish my objection to this development to be noted by the Planning Committee.

Yours faithfully

Brian Lowen
Churchwarden