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Hi Rosie

Application number	HPK/2024/0139	Application type	Advertisement Consent
Site address	12, Norfolk Street, Glossop, Derbyshire, SK13 8BS	Proposal	Application for Consent to Display an Advertisement - New externally illuminated fascia sign, free hanging projecting sign and illuminated menu box

Illuminated advertising isn't really an issue for Environmental Health, it's more about visual amenity. If we're approaching nuisance levels of light, visual amenity issues were breached some time ago. For the planning officer it's simply a case of comparing the figures supplied by the applicant with an appropriate standard.

Standard – the following is widely adopted
Professional Lighting Guide 05: The brightness of illuminated advertisements (2015) – Institute of Lighting Professionals.

Unfortunately, I don't have access to a copy of this, but these are the recommended levels for EZ3 and 4

SIZE OF ADVERTISE- MENT	AREA TYPE / ZONE	PROFESSIONAL LIGHTING GUIDE 05 MAXIMUM LUMINENCE LEVEL
Up to 10 m2	Suburban / Zone 3	600 cdm2
Over to 10 m2	Suburban / Zone 3	300 cdm2
Up to 10 m2	Urban / Zone 4	600 cdm2
Over 10 m2	Urban / Zone 4	300 cdm2

ENVIRONMENTAL ZONES:

The ILP recommended that in their Development Plans, Local Planning Authorities specify the following environmental zones for exterior lighting control.

Category

E1: Intrinsically dark areas
Outstanding Natural Beauty, etc
E2: Low district brightness areas
E3: Medium district brightness areas
E4: High district brightness areas
night-time activity

Examples

National Parks, Areas of

Rural or small village locations
Small town centres or urban locations
Town/city centres with high levels of

Illuminated advertising is probably not appropriate for EZ 1 and EZ2, but that's very

much a matter for the planning officer to decide.

Hope this helps

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