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Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Objection to Planning Application HPK/2025/0116 – Variation of Condition 2 of HPK/2018/0496 (Silverlands Football Ground, Buxton)

I am writing to formally object to the above planning application for the variation of condition 2, which seeks to extend the use of floodlighting at the Silverlands football ground until 23:00 hours.

My objections are based on the following concerns:

1. **Light Pollution:** Extending the use of the floodlights late into the evening will significantly increase light pollution in the surrounding area. This will impact the quality of life for nearby residents and negatively affect local wildlife.
2. **Noise Disturbance:** Later events will result in increased noise levels, both from spectators within the stadium and from departing vehicles. The current permitted hours are already disruptive at times, and any extension would only worsen this.
3. **Traffic and Parking:** Additional events running later into the evening will inevitably lead to increased traffic in the area, as well as pressure on local parking infrastructure. This poses a risk to road safety and further inconveniences local residents.

For the reasons outlined above, I urge the council to refuse this application and to protect the amenity of those living in the vicinity of the Silverlands stadium.

Yours faithfully,
MR. ERIC GODDEN

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