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Dear Sirs

I was surprised and shocked to learn that the authorities have failed to issue a license for this year's CRF.

To put this in perspective, I have been trading at festivals for the past 35 years, including 23 Glastonburys, allegedly the biggest in the world, and prestigious events in Holland, France and Eire. In this time I have experienced lightning, flood, dust and 40 degree temperatures. I can state as a fact that CRF's attention to detail, and Health & Safety support in challenging circumstances, tower above most other events.

I am not aware under what technicality CRF's license has been declined, but I would be very confident that the decision-maker has no first-hand experience of running outdoor events. It is surprising that, after 2 decades of CRF, the local authority is not well aware of the lengths CRF have gone to, to assure compliance with H & S, Noise regulations, etc - surely there must be a dossier of these safely managed events in Cambridgeshire.

I would particularly draw attention to the year that CRF was struck by a hurricane - the efficiency of the stewards in keeping the public safe, while damage was dealt with, would be a lesson to all.

I would be delighted to provide evidence of my statements above, and am willing to travel anywhere to speak in support of CRF's hard working organisers.

Yours

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