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FAO: Mr. Graham Wyatt

Cherwell District Council, Planning Department

Objection to Planning Application 13/00781/F:

Change of use of a redundant barn/store into a 1 bedroom self-contained holiday letting cottage: Bishops End Burdrop

I wish to object to the aforementioned planning application for the reasons I shall now present.

The application relates to a building which has been described as a 'redundant barn', however it was actually the bottle store for the Bishop's Blaize public house when it was open.

I believe that converting this bottle store into a holiday cottage would make it considerably more difficult to reopen the public house in the future as there wouldn't be anywhere to store the beer, wine and other beverages.

Figure 1 illustrates the close proximity of the door to the bottle store and the entrance to the rear of the bar. This means it is the most viable location for this kind of storage on site, and therefore it should remain a bottle store.

I would also like to express my full support of the submission from Sibford Gower Parish Council as I believe it is both accurate and fair.

Please refuse this application.

Kind Regards

Henry Butt

Figure 1:

