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Hello,

I am writing in support of the CAMRA campaign to further the Government to end / control the tie on licensees of our British pubs.

I am retired and a life-long moderate beer drinker. A CAMRA member and real ale afficianado but one that wants to see pubs as hubs of our social society. Presently the pub business is in steady decline, apart from the slowly-growing increase in real ale pub outlets. The entrepreneurial spirit of the privately developed micro breweries should be a lesson to the big pubco chains. So, let's have fair play and conditions from the pubco chains and bring the pub back as the familiar focus for social and family recreation.

Sincerely,

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