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As a long standing licensee for 21 years, first with Pubmaster ltd and then Punch Taverns I feel I have a credible opinion on the working relationship between tenants/leaseholders and the companies. I have always found with Punch Taverns a good level of support with our business and in recent times, since Punch separated it's estate to concentrate n its more profitable outlets, the support has been even greater.

Our current PDM [REDACTED] is supporting us in every way possible to increase our business but in the current climate this is very difficult.

There is much Punch Taverns as a company could do regarding rent levels and in particular discount levels on the products we serve, however, I do believe they are improving and are much more understanding tha some rival companies.

Without doubt Punch profit far more from an outlet than the licensees that do all the work and that has to be UNFAIR!

I will watch with interest the outcome and recommendation's from the consultation but truly feel very little will change.

Yours sincerely !

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