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### Submission on DCC 2GP Variation **PC-2024-1**

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#### **Submission:**

I broadly support the soundproofing changes designed to reduce noise control complaints in the inner city. I do have 3 suggested improvements to these proposed acoustic insulation requirements, which would make for better neighbourly conditions in shared use inner city areas, and help avoid future problems.

1. Council should implement a 40db acoustic insulation standard in the inner city, the same standard as in the Port Noise Zone.
2. These acoustic insulation standards should apply to all rooms in residential central city developments, not just bedrooms. It's unlikely that acoustic insulation requirements for bedrooms only will solve the problems leading to late night noise complaints from residential developments near music venues.
3. The 40dB standard should be applied to all residential developments in the entire Centre City.