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Subject: [EXTERNAL] FIREWORKS

I have become aware of the potential adjustments to Londons existing fireworks bylaw. Please work hard for us to achieve an outright ban. Here's my points

- 1. Health and Safety is the biggest concern Hospitals are busy enough these days
- 2. Let's think and live with respect for our neighbours Noise is disrupting and hours of use are items that even in a bylaw are next to impossible to enforce
- 3. Smoke, smell and garbage..... POLLUTION should make sense for anyone living in the reality of 2023.

Wish I could think of more reasons and I hope you are in agreement to a TOTAL BAN.