Delegated Report							
Officer			Application Nu	Application Number(s)			
Liam Vincent			2023/3819/T	2023/3819/T			
Application Address							
41 Berridge Mews, London NW6 1RF							
Proposal(s)							
REAR GARDEN: 1 x Ash (T1) - Reduce crown over roadside by approx.4m and balance crown.							
Recommendation(s):	Refuse works to Tree(s) covered by a Tree Preservation Order						
Application Type:	Application for works to Tree(s) covered by a TPO						
Consultations							
Adjoining Occupiers:	No. notified	0	No. of responses	0	No. of objections	0	
Summary of consultation responses:	None						
CAAC/Local groups* comments: *Please Specify	None						

## Assessment

This application is to carry out works to a tree covered by a Tree Preservation Order (TPO) in the rear garden of a private residence in Berridge Mews, NW6. The Rear garden of the property backs onto Hillfield Road.

The tree is covered by the TPO reference 29H-G1.

The works applied for are to 'Reduce crown over roadside by approx.4m and balance crown.'

The tree significantly contributes to the verdant character and appearance of the street scene.

The tree provides a high level of public amenity.

The tree appears to be in at least fair physiological condition and is considered to be a good example of its species.

The tree is one of a pair of mature Ash trees, the other being offset slightly to the east on the opposite side of the road, and so forms a prominent part of the landscape – there are almost no other mature trees of this size on the street.

There is no justification given for the work, which is a legal requirement.

It is recommended that the application be refused.