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We manage the adjoining property Vale Lodge, on behalf of the owners.

We have no objection to the proposals as submitted, however in regard to the roof terrace it is important to note that there has been trellis screening in place above the parapet walls adjoining Vale Lodge, as marked up on the attached plans, which has been beneficial in screening overlooking and providing privacy from both sides. The trellis had decayed over years of neglect and, whilst the house was unoccupied, had fallen into such disrepair it was in danger of falling into our property, so we had it taken down.

We have already drawn the applicant's attention to this and believe they are in agreement the trellis should be reinstated as being beneficial to both parties. As the trellis had been present for many years (at least since 1995 to my own knowledge) there should be no question of planning or listed building approval, we would simply request that the trellis be added to the drawings.

Stephen

