

Dear Obote

We discussed this application in a recent BCAAC meeting.

In order to 'protect and preserve' the conservation area, one has to think of the roofscape as well as the streetscape of a Conservation Area.

The application site lies in the Bloomsbury Conservation Area and within a close distance of Coram Fields playground, former Foundling Hospital, gates and railings - all of which have been Grade II listed since 1954. There are listed buildings in nearby Guilford Street too.

We think that the application will increase the amount and height of equipment on the rooftop of International Hall which will cause harm to the setting of the nearby heritage assets, despite its digital public benefit.

Regards

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