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I am a resident in South Hill Park, NW3, living close to 28, Parliament Hill. NW3.

I am personally aware of two families, but I know that there are others in this street, who have had to tolerate the most appalling basement builds, one of which was for a swimming pool, which had eventually to be abandoned due to the flooding it caused. In that particular case the neighbouring house was badly 'rocked' by the excavations, not to mention the horrendous daily/hourly disruption to any form of 'normal' living over a period that spanned at least two years. Ultimately the building work caused serious ill health to the elderly neighbours with very deleterious results.

There is already ample provision for swimmers locally and easily within walking distance, namely the Ponds on Hampstead Heath, the Lido and the Royal Free Recreation Centre.

Basement excavations should be outlawed, after all are the houses in Parliament Hill and neighbouring streets not already large enough. Such building works are generally destructive to lives, property and the environment.

I strongly object to the plans proposed.

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