## Heritage and design statement 19 Crediton Hill , London, NW6 1HS

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## 1. Introduction

This heritage statement accompanies a planning application to the above property, this statement is to be read in conjunction with the submitted drawings.

This document wants to put in context the design proposals in compliance with Town and Country (GDP) Order 2010 and subsequent amendments. The National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) states at paragraph 194 (16. Conserving and enhancing the historic environment) that:

'In determining applications, local planning authorities should require an applicant to describe the significance of any heritage assets affected, including any contribution made by their setting.

The level of detail should be proportionate to the assets' importance and no more than is sufficient to understand the potential impact of the proposal on their significance'. In order to meet this requirement, we prepared this Heritage Statement to inform and accompany proposals affecting heritage.

In addition we have carefully studied Camden Local Plan | Design and Heritage | Policy D2 to comply with Parts 'e' to 'h' of Policy D2 (Heritage) of the adopted Camden Local Plan.



## 2. The Site and Surroundings: Location

This property is situated on Crediton Hill, a renowned residential area. It's conveniently flanked by Finchley Road and Frognal station to the east, and West Hampstead station to the southwest.

West End Green is an area of special interest with special history and character. The area comprise homogeneous piece of Victorian and Edwardian domestic architecture and planning. The character of the area is still defined by the historical village with the busy commercial 'spine' street, the Green, the street trees and private gardens, the monumental mansion blocks, the variety of substantial houses for professional families and terraced housing.

19 Crediton Hill falls under those buildings that make a positive contribution to the area and are a core reason for the conservation area falling as designation and significance as part of the development at the end of nineteenth and turn of the twentieth century.

Map 3. West End Green CA Townscape Appraisal

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## 3. Planning application Description:

The application seeks approval for the installation of a round window on the front facade, a feature already present in neighboring properties. The proposal adheres to Camden Heritage guidance and incorporates materials that respect and complement the style and character of the surrounding heritage context.

Refer to the image below for an example at properties 27 and 29, showcasing the proposed round-detail window design.



