From: Emiel Willems Sent: 27 January 2025 15:58 To: Planning Subject: Application 2025/0302/T

Dear Sir/Madam,

In reply to your letter dated 22 January regarding the proposed felling of an oak tree in the rear garden of 1 Templewood Gardens, which the residents of 8 Templewood Avenue overlook, we would like to express our objection unless the tree is diseased and/ or at the risk of falling.

At the request of the Malaysian High Commissioner's residence manager we have agreed to have our own adjacent oak tree pruned as soon as feasible and will ask for permission to do so.

We are blessed to enjoy a Tree Protection Area. The neighbouring properties have taken great care to maintain these protected trees; I see no reason, other than those stated above, why they cannot have the tree pruned if necessary as well, rather than completely felled. This makes a mockery of tree protection. Again, obviously if it can be ascertained that the tree is diseased or poses a risk to the residents, felling may be necessary and would have our approval.

On behalf of the residents of 8, Templewood Avenue NW3 Limited, Emiel Willems (Director)

Appreciating you considering our concerns, I remain yours sincerely

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