

Application No:	Consultees Name:	Received:	Comment:	Response:
2025/0599/P	Ian Morley	26/02/2025 11:35:30	OBJ	<p>To be honest, I see little point in expressing a view about this project as Camden planning department never take anyone's views into consideration and just green lights this project all the way. But here goes..</p> <p>Are you seriously saying that the 25 flats in the building are now going to have to put up with no lift or fire escape via the stairwell for two years? The antique lift was ripped out without planning permission by the freeholder many years ago in order to fit a new lift (paid for by lessees) which would extend to his proposed penthouse. It was then delayed for years whilst the freeholder gained various permissions and residents were forced to walk up flights of stairs. This severely affected several of the elderly people that live in the building. It is now proposed to put the lift out of action again for an undetermined amount of time. Putting our fire escape stairwell out of action is also totally unacceptable. The metal fire escape at the other end of the building will not be accessible to residents in the case of a fire as there only means of escape would be to pass by a burning flat. The amount of disruption this whole project is going to cause everyone who lives in this building is absolutely not acceptable. Camden planning department clearly think it is acceptable for residents to live inside plastic sheeting and a building site for nearly two years. The freeholder hasn't even had the courtesy to inform residents that there are plans to build on the roof; residents have been kept completely in the dark about this project. Camden council should be ashamed of itself for putting the interests of a developer before the interests of 25 flats. I object to this proposal.</p>
