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2025/1519/P	Nigel Herdman	Flat 4 159 West End Lane NW6 2LG	14/04/2025 10:57:50	COMMNT	<p>I have lived for 45 years overlooking the rear garden of No.7 Hilltop Road. Ever since the current owner acquired the property, he has extended and built to the extent that there is now virtually no garden left. quite apart from the environmental catastrophe that he has inflicted on this formerly quiet and pleasant victorian garden enclave, there is the noise pollution which his neighbours have to endure, always over the summer months, when we would like to have our windows open. This has now occurred almost every summer for years. Yet again he is proposing JUNE to OCTOBER building works. This is in addition, I might add, to the current works he is doing: some extensive paving works involving a cement mixer and very noisy concrete saw, which has been going on for weeks now, including up to 1800 hours on Saturdays. I object strongly to allowing this application. Enough is enough. And I repeat below my comments from a year and a half ago to another of his applications:-</p> <p>When we came to our flat 42 years ago, there was an extremely pleasant outlook onto a garden enclave, with trees and lawns and wildlife galore. Ever since Mr Patel bought both 5 and 7 Hilltop Road he has been determined to in-fill the garden enclave with buildings. Not a year goes by without another application for extensions. Already, quite apart from the extensions to both properties, he has built an enormous house backing onto the boundary of our property which purports to be a "summer house". Now he wants to double the previous extension to number 7. And one may surmise that he may not cease until there is no garden remaining at all. I object strongly to this application and appeal to the Council to respect the visual and environmental effects on the neighbouring properties of this building frenzy of someone who clearly has no such concerns. I would suggest that he should have bought a bigger property somewhere else, because this garden enclave is not big enough to accommodate all his ambitious plans without wrecking the environment.</p>

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