

# ELEVATION DETAIL

## STATUS: PLANNING - LBC

LONDON BOROUGH OF CAMDEN

HIGHGATE BRANCH LIBRARY

Drawing Number

462-BD-01

Drawn

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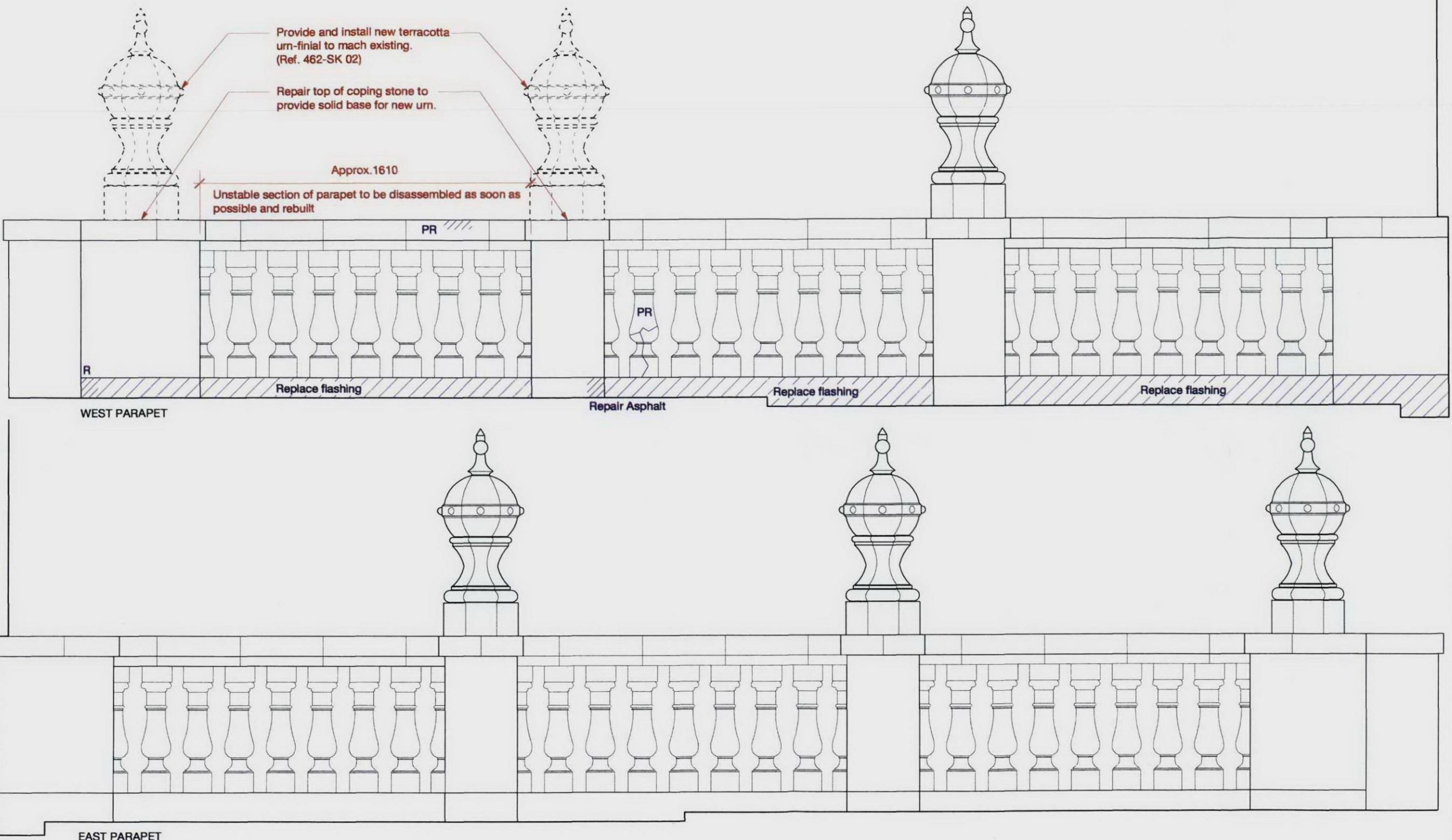
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Scale

MAY 10

Revision

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**GENERAL RECOMMENDATION:**

Dry brush clean to both parapets.  
 Remove vegetation. Carefully remove vegetation from terracotta joints. Treat with herbicide.  
 Doff clean coping stones.  
 Repoint all joints using lime mortar.  
 Replace parapet flashings. (This will require rebuilding of parapet balustrade)

Structural engineer advice to be sought on parapets' strength and potential reinforcement requirement. During our inspection we noted that on the west elevation the top of the window arch (key stone and approx. 3-4 bricks on each side) have dropped. This corresponds with the position of the unstable parapet.

From the details of the falls and the surrounding construction, we believe that both roofs were originally lead covered. The west roof surface is now asphalt while the east is felt. Both roofs are in questionable condition and replacement would be desirable in order to prevent future failure and water ingress into the building.