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Listed Building Heritage Statement

Byron Court is part of a Grade II* terrace of 24 houses, comprising Nos. 11-34, forming the east side of Mecklenburgh Square.

Number 26 — Byron Court — incorporates the former Nos. 27-34, which were built c1810-20 by Joseph Kay. This part of the terrace was rebuilt (together with No. 15) in facsimile c1950. Doorways were replaced by windows except to the former No. 29, which is now the main entrance to Byron Court.

Behind the facade of Byron Court is a modern, mainly concrete structure. The area light wells have been substantially closed over by a concrete floor structure at pavement level.

The terrace, which was listed in 1954, is a formal composition of four storeys (and basements) of stock brick with stucco ground floors, and a centre pavilion and end pavilions in stucco. Byron Court has had dormers added with the 20th century rebuilding.

There are cast-iron balconies to first floor throughout; and cast-iron railings with urn finials to areas.

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