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From: Patricia Whitehouse [REDACTED]
Sent: 22 October 2014 12:34
To: Nelson, Olivier
Cc: 'Stephen Williams'
Subject: Flat 1, 45 Maresfield Gardens, NW3 Having

Dear Ms. Nelson,

As a member of the Netherhall Neighbourhood Association for 31 years and a resident in this road for over 50 years, I am deeply concerned about the situation regarding the retrospective planning application to Camden Council by the owners of the above mentioned property. Having always in the past had confidence and trust in your department, I cannot now believe that you have allowed this matter to continue as far as it has.

I have been reading the emails and reports written by my highly qualified and fair-minded neighbours and I am baffled as to why your department has not put a stop to this well before now. I hear that the workers on the site are without protective clothing and that one has even tragically lost a leg so, for goodness sake, why has this whole operation not been closed down? The retrospective planning application is unsuitable to this neighbourhood, and unsafe wherever it is proposed to be built, so why have you not refused it long ago?

It is clear that the owners are flagrantly disregarding any rules and regulations of planning, health and safety and even common courtesy. Why, therefore are they still operating? Now, I hear, they are about to destroy two trees - when they shouldn't even be doing anything other than undoing the damage already perpetrated! Really, I cannot believe that Camden Council Planning Department is ignoring this even though you have been receiving warning letters and emails from my knowledgeable neighbours.

Please, without delay, refuse the tree destruction, enforce remedial action to undo the damage already done to the site and refuse any further applications from these disgraceful developers. Apart from anything else you will have to work hard to regain any credence or respect for your department from me or our neighbourhood.

Yours sincerely (and extremely disappointed in you), Patricia Whitehouse