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Planning application no.2015/1354/P – 46 Alma Street, London NW5 3DH

Dear Camden planning officer,

I have concerns regarding the above planning application as follows.

- (1) The plan specifies the use of white facing brick on both rear and side walls of the proposed extension. This is purely for the benefit of reflecting light into the ground floor of this property as it will be largely blocked by building of the new first floor extension. White facing brick is out of keeping with the surrounding homes, is completely inappropriate for a conservation area and would be a hideous eyesore for neighbouring homes.
- (2) The proposed first floor extension is an ugly mass without windows on the rear wall, and in this respect is not sympathetic to the surrounding homes.
- (3) Light to the first floor extension will come from what looks to be a glass door in the side wall, and which considerably overlooks my property, as can be seen in the photographs provided in the plan. I therefore request that, if the application is upheld, a condition should be made that the roof of the ground floor must not be used as a roof terrace by accessing from the first floor extension.

Please take into account my concerns when finalising the detail of your planning decision.

Yours faithfully

E. A. Hill