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CRASH (The Combined Residents' Associations of South Hampstead) strongly objects to this application.

To allow a roof garden on this terraced house would have a serious impact on the neighbouring property which cannot fail to be negatively affected by the noise and reverberation issues which will result from allowing public access to the flat roof. It will also have implications in terms of security for other houses in the terrace as it will allow access across the roofs to all other properties in the row.

A Victorian terraced building of this type was never

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designed, nor intended, to support a garden roof terrace and it is highly likely that this proposal would cause water ingress to the immediately neighbouring property.

The proposed balustrades cannot possibly match the Victorian ironwork found on other properties in the neighbourhood since current health and safety regulations will require it to exceed the height of the original and so make it visible from the street. No such metalwork was ever a part of the original design of the roof of this building, nor of the rest of the terrace. Any such addition would not be in keeping with the character and appearance of the house itself, the terrace or this conservation area in general which Camden's heritage and conservation policy is committed to preserving

CRASH is concerned by the continuing denigration of the features and character of South Hampstead, much of which has resulted from Camden's approval of various types of development which then set a precedent. Approval of this application for a roof garden would set just such a precedent and open the floodgates to further such unwelcome developments and the further loss of the unique character of the area. CRASH urges the council to refuse the application

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