From:
 31 July 2015 15:12

To: Planning

Subject: Application 2015/3951/L , St.Mary Brookfield Church

Hello,

I am writing in response to your letter to me as Adjoining Occupier about this application.

I object to this application on the grounds that it would make significant and unsightly changes to the existing appearance and symmetry of this listed building.

I understand that this building has received significant funding for renovations in the past from the National Heritage Lottery fund - a point which I think proves its heritage significance. The church, built in 1869, is a significant local landmark - it is very prominent on the horizon as you approach from the west side of the Dartmouth Park Conservation area. It is also visible from many parts of Hampstead Heath.

This is not just a local landmark but has a wider architectural and social significance. It was designed by William Butterfield, architect of Keble College, Oxford and Rugby School chapel. He is commemorated by a blue plaque elsewhere in the borough.

Thanks for giving me the opportunity to comment - I hope you will take these factors into consideration.

Best Regards,

Richard Hutton.

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