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Subject: Application 2015/4417T Intended Work to Trees at 20 Highfields Grove London

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As the immediate neighbour I object the Application in the part of felling 11 trees for the following reasons.

Those trees are seen by general public passing by Fitzroy Park and also by residents of practically all 24 houses in Highfields Grove.

The trees constitute a part of natural woodland in the Conservation area.

The trees are really the important feature of the area as they are mature specimen in good health and include *inter alia* two specimen of fine Oak. Apart from their natural beauty Oaks' acorns also provide some food for the local ecosystem.

The trees requested to be felled undoubtedly add charm to the amenity of Conservation area, provide useful natural screening (even with their large trunks let alone crowns) to maintain privacy of Highfields Grove residents including but not limited to No 19 and at the same time help to keep a woodland appearance of this built area.

I am aware that recently the request to fell some trees on the border of Witanhurst House and Highfields Grove was not getting the approval buy a Council and I here rely on consistency in Camden's Trees in the Conservation Area policy.

I also intend to approach Camden Council with the request to issue TPOs for those trees and therefore ask to reject the Application in the part of felling trees in question.

I however do not object and in fact welcome if instead felling the trees the permission for pruning/ thinning crowns of indicated trees be granted as their maintenance seems long overdue and trees need it to continue into the future.

Kind regards,

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