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2016/2892/P	Charles Lossos	Flat 30 The Terraces	21/07/2016 18:51:00	SUPNOT	<p>I would like to strongly support this application which is for just 13 pairs of simple poles and some clear wire.</p> <p>There are hundreds of existing eruvs around the world and now also over London which blend into the surrounding streetscape and go completely unnoticed. I would challenge any objector to go and actually find an eruv pole in any of the existing areas.</p> <p>The only physical manifestation of all the existing Eruvs is a few pairs of relatively unobtrusive poles, connected individually by equally invisible clear wire and dispersed over a wide area.</p> <p>Many of the Eruvs have been in place for many years now and none of them has led to any change in social cohesion, population make-up or community relations.</p> <p>An Eruv does not infringe on any other resident's rights in an area, but merely allows observant Jewish residents more freedom in their observance.</p> <p>Its sole purpose is to make observance of the Jewish Sabbath simpler and more inclusive, without infringing in any way on the rights of other residents or changing the make-up of any one area within it.</p> <p>An Eruv will mean that , babies, young children, families and the elderly or disabled will be finally able to attend synagogue, visit friends and family or go to the park and pursue permitted social activities on the Sabbath, without infringing their religious beliefs.</p> <p>I would urge the council to strongly support this application which i know will be of enormous benefit to all those in the locality who choose to benefit.</p>
