

KENTISH TOWN ROAD ACTION (KTRA)

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To: The Committee Clerk
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re: Application 2016/3013/P
194 Kentish Town Road NW5 2AE

To the Planning Committee

This application is for change of use from Class A3 (Restaurant) to Class A5 (Hot Food Takeaway). Kentish Town Road Action opposes this application for the reasons given below.

When you are considering this application Kentish Town Road Action wishes to alert you to the detrimental affect of cooking fumes and smells on residents living close to the premises. The proposed new ventilation flue will exhaust cooking fumes from behind no.194 onto all the homes in Northumberland House and onto the flats over the shop. As admitted in the application, this is because the system cannot disperse cooking fumes at high level above the ridge of the building. Design restrictions make it impossible to route the flue to terminate above Northumberland House.

It seems to us mistaken to worsen the quality of life of a considerable number of Kentish Town residents for the sake of another hot food takeaway.

We are asking you to vote to refuse this application

Yours Faithfully

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