Conservation Area Advisory Committee

Advisory Committee Highgate

Application ref 2017/0975/L

Address 1 Holly Village Swains Lane London N6 6QJ

Planning Officer Sarah Freeman

Comments by 23 Mar 2017

Proposal Alterations to existing front garden boundary treatment,

including the replacement of oak posts and the addition of metal chain links between posts; Adjustment of the height of

stone slabs between posts; Repaving of the pathway

leading to the main entrance gate.

Objection Yes

Comment Yes

Observations Dear Ms Freeman,

My wife (Pauline) and I object to this proposal for the following reasons (a reiteration of my neighbours concerns, to a large extent, but a view shared by all neighbours other than No.1 - this is a very special setting):-

- 1. Holly Village is a grade 2 star listed building
- 2. the gardens are included in the listings
- 3. 2 Holly Village was given Listed building Consent by Camden Council for their front garden Boundary . (Application Ref 2013/2365/L)
- 4. I oppose the application by 1 Holly Village. The garden boundary of 1 Holly Village should match the front garden boundary of number 2 Holly Village that was granted listed building consent in 2013 by Camden Council, this would ensure a balanced Victorian landscape to the entrance of Holly Village.
- 5. The existing posts should be repaired.
- 6. Under the Holly Village covenant fences Gates and paths are the responsibility of freeholders who meet twice a year to decide maintenance and repairs and collect funds from each freeholder
- 7. According to advice from the Listed Planning Officer

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both front fences details of 1 & 2 Holly Village should be identical.

8 Holly village was awarded listed building status in 1952 and the fence that was authorized for 2 Holly Village remains as it was then

9 The application made by 1 Holly Village is inappropriate and it should be restored as it was in 1952 and match the fence of 2 Holly Village that was authorized by Camden Council planning (Application Ref 2013/2365/L) The fence should contain rusticated trellises no chains and no low metal mesh fence.

Regards

William and Pauline Woods (owners of No.5 Holly Village)

Documents attached

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