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2017/5248/T	David Prince	23 Willes Road	17/10/2017 00:47:38	COMMCO MPAP	<p>This is my application, would like to supplement the comments made by our neighbour Rosemary Weinstein. The cypress leylandii tree we are seeking to fell was not in fact a replacement for a lime tree felled several years ago, it has been in situ for much longer than that and unfortunately is now causing damage to our rear patio area very close to the boundary of our house. We have been advised by Boma Garden Centre that the patio cannot be properly repaired without removing the tree, and this was subsequently confirmed by Steve Hooper Treeworks, who we had hoped would be able to resolve the problem without the need to lose the tree, unfortunately not. I agree the tree does provide screening between our property and neighbouring properties in Grafton Road. We do not want to lose this and we will be planting two new mature full standard evergreen trees (a photinia and a Japanese privet) which we believe are better suited to the small patio area as well as being more attractive and enhancing the quality and quantity of screening</p> <p>Finally wrt the lime tree felled in 2001, this was done on the advice again of Steve Hooper Treeworks, they found decay in the root plate and the tree to be dangerous, we again did not want to lose the tree but it was felled on their recommendation (I have retained their report) and replaced by an amelanchier. I am well aware that we were subsequently designated a conservation area but this had no bearing on neither the necessity for nor the timing of felling the tree</p>

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