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2018/2465/T	Fiona Holt	06/07/2018 16:35:33	INT	I have read the arboricultural reports relating to these two trees and appreciate the concerns regarding subsidence to the building. I would suggest however that only ONE of the limes should be felled rather than both, as it would be wise to see what the effect of one felling is on the subsidence issues. Surely there is a danger that if both limes are felled simultaneously this will result in heave? Given the evident care that has been taken in making the assessments, I would hope that all parties would be willing to take a more gradualist approach than is being proposed, so that if possible perhaps one of the limes might be saved.
2018/2465/T	Consuelo Phelan, hon. Tree Officer, BRA.	09/07/2018 02:44:53	OBJEMAIL	These trees form an important part of the streetscape of Belsize Grove, and although past pruning does not appear to have improved their shape, their loss would have a most adverse effect, as they are part of a row of trees at the front boundary. It may well be that their removal does not solve the subsidence problem. They provide shade to the building, particularly valuable in warm weather, of which we are likely experience more in the future. They help to improve air quality, and provide shelter for birds and other wildlife. A better solution for the problem needs to be found.