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Sent: 01 October 2019 14:38

Cc: 'Tom Mustill' [REDACTED] 'Helena Bullivant' [REDACTED] 'Lin [REDACTED]

Subject: AW: Request Christian Mehl re tree pruning

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Thank you for your answer and the clarification.
We really appreciate your help for the permission.

We would like to just cut back the newly grown branches just right behind the last bifurcation and give the tree some kind of shape again and model the tree's crown.

I will be 1.5 meters vertically and around 50 cm to 1 meter horizontally.

October is the best time to cut the tree.

Thank you very much for your kind help!

Kind regards

Christian

Hi Christian

Your location falls within the Highgate Village Conservation Area and therefore that tree is protected.

You would require permission from London Borough of Camden before you could carry out any works or you are liable to having Legal Action taken against you.

If you could respond to this email stating exactly how much works you wish to carry out to prune this tree either in % or metre terms, I can set up a tree application for you and pass it to the Tree Officers to decide.

Unfortunately you cannot just carry out your works the day after tomorrow without the Camden Tree Officers granting the permission to do so.

I hope that is all clear.

Regards

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From: Prof. Dr. Christian J. Mehl [REDACTED]

Sent: 29 September 2019 17:36

To: Planning [REDACTED]

Cc: Tom Mustill [REDACTED] Helena Bullivant

[REDACTED] Prof. Dr. Christian J. Mehl

Subject: Request Christian Mehl re tree pruning

Dear tree and landscape officer,

My name is Christian Mehl and the three freeholders of 66 Highgate West Hill plan to prune the Magnolia tree in front of the house. The tree is around 5 meters high and 3 meters in diameter.

The tree's branches threaten to smash the front windows in case of a storm and the middle flat has insufficient light coming through.

The pruning is planned on the 3rd of October if permission is granted. We would like your advise.

I have experience in the horticultural sector and I am confident to get done rightly.

Kind regards

Christian

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