

Application No:	Consultees Name:	Received:	Comment:	Response:
2019/4867/P	EKV	24/10/2019 12:24:12	OBJ	<p>I strongly object to the erection of gates in Hand Axe Yard. This does NOT constitute a 'minor alteration' as it would completely obstruct pedestrian access. This walkway enables pedestrians to more quickly transit between Grays Inn Road and St Chads/Kings Cross, reducing pedestrian congestion on a very crowded section of sidewalk, allowing pedestrians to avoid the exhaust fumes and noise from the vehicular traffic which is often at a standstill in that area. In addition, this walkway is of particular value to people with prams and/or mobility aids who benefit significantly from the wider, step-free, thoroughfare of Hand Axe Yard. Forcing us on to a crowded, narrow, uneven, section of sidewalk next to a busy road is both dangerous and stress-inducing for those of us who already have a more difficult time traveling.</p>

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