

Application No:	Consultees Name:	Received:	Comment:	Response:
2020/4596/P	Suzanna Woods	10/11/2020 19:44:58	OBJNOT	<p>1. Loss of light. My flat is at the back of the building on the second floor. Even a single storey extension to the rear of the Old School will practically obliterate what little light I have. The size of the proposed structure will significantly block my outlook. This is the only part of my flat that gets any light as the other side looks onto the lift shaft and flats opposite.</p> <p>2. Loss of privacy. This area is predominately residential. The plans indicate windows that will directly face my bedroom, bathroom and sitting room. This is the same for all flats at the back of the building. The scale of the structure will feel claustrophobic, inappropriate and totally out of proportion with the surrounding buildings (see 3).</p> <p>3. Inappropriate design and historical context. The scale of the structure, external appearance and materials to be used appear totally unsuited to the area. And given it will only be seen by neighbours on Old Gloucester Street and Southampton Row together with a few hotel residents I struggle to see the point of constructing such a statement - yet entirely inappropriate - design.</p> <p>4. Noise. My flat is located at the back of the building and is always quiet. I am thus extremely concerned about the noise that will almost certainly be generated from such a large construction within such close proximity. Even just a few heat rejection units and extract fans will produce constant noise including overnight - massively above current levels.</p> <p>I and residents in the area would be really grateful for your help in overturning this application.</p>
