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This building is just TOO BIG!

My family have lived in Camden Mews for over 20 years and we are astounded that Camden Council could think of imposing a six-storey, highly-exposed monolith which dominates its surroundings and bears no architectural relationship with its neighbouring buildings. This is supposed to be a Conservation Area!

We wholeheartedly support the provision of well-designed and welcoming housing for homeless people but that is not the point. In a community where we respect and accept the need for careful control of building development, where we understand that even a relatively minor change to a door or window must be approved for the greater good, it is a gigantic slap in the face of local people if Camden Council expects to force this massively disproportionate and unsympathetic building into an immediate neighbourhood of mostly small houses and flats, already vulnerable to noise, traffic and the threat of over-development.

Camden Council has rightly thrown out many recent planning applications because proposed buildings are just too dominant for their surroundings. Allowing this monstrosity to be dumped on us is an appalling prospect and we object most strongly to it!
