

---

**Sent:** 31 December 2020 19:26  
**To:** Planning  
**Subject:** Planning application: 2020/5393/P

**[EXTERNAL EMAIL]** Beware – This email originated outside Camden Council and may be malicious Please take extra care with any links, attachments, requests to take action or for you to verify your password etc. Please note there have been reports of emails purporting to be about Covid 19 being used as cover for scams so extra vigilance is required.

**Planning application: 2020/5393/P**  
**Park Place 254 Kilburn High Road London NW6 2BS**

I strongly object to this application.

This is a new application for the installation of 3 x 3m poles to support 6 antennas and 2 dishes; including 3 cabinets at rooftop level on top of a residential block of apartments.

The timing of this application is particularly bad. Why do the applicants choose a period over the Christmas holidays and New Year when people are either away staying in their family bubbles or concerned with family festivities? Also concerned with the anxieties of a further lockdown and most things are closed.

The antennae and clutter will spoil the sky line of this beautiful park area, described as Kilburn's "hidden secret" on various estate agents, (see the description a below on Stone Real Estate)

<https://www.stonerealestate.co.uk/new-homes/park-place/>

It boasts that Kilburn Grange is Kilburn's 'green lung'. It continues; ' Kilburn Grange Park provides a magnificent back-drop to the area's finest new address. Park Place will provide a selection of luxurious one, two and three-bedroom apartments underlining modern London living. Award-winning landscape designers Randle Siddeley (wonder if these designers approves of the extra clutter and of the poles and masts and cabinets on the roof, which certainly would not win any awards in my book) has been appointed to create a striking landscaped setting and approach to the development, providing a lush sanctuary within this vibrant, well-connected location. The individuality of Park Place emphasized by its enviable position overlooking the beautiful park has been carefully interpreted within the apartments.....'

The masts will be visible from the park and will create a complete eyesore. The masts will be seen in all directions sticking up like ugly monstrosities.

The design principles have not been observed. The plans are not three dimensional so the public cannot obtain a proper understanding of what the equipment will look like. There is therefore, no appreciation of context.

**Base stations near or in school grounds.**

4.13 The Stewart Group recommended that

particular attention should be paid initially to the auditing of base stations near to schools and other sensitive sites. (1.41)

The Stewart Group recommended, in relation to macrocell base stations sited within school grounds, that the beam of greatest intensity should not fall on any part of the school grounds or buildings without agreement from the school and parents. Similar considerations should apply to macrocell base stations sited. (1.42)

A logical extension of this, no masts near the homes of children or other vulnerable people. There are schools close by namely near to school grounds

1. Kingsgate Primary School for children aged 3 years to 11 years, which is located approx. 117m away.
2. Kilburn Grange School is located approx. 346m away, is made up of Reception, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3 aged pupils.
3. Kingsgate Play Centre, an after-school club, is located approximately 117m away and 4. Chaston Nursery School, provided care and education for Children Aged 3 months to five years, is located approximately 158 meters away.

<https://www.lovecamden.org/kilburn/kilburn-grange-park>

Kilburn Grange park is an open public space and used by many children who visit here.

This is mainly a residential area, there are houses and flats close by. Have these residents been consulted?

The consultation should be broadened to include concerned local residents rather than the limited public scrutiny which it has currently been afforded.

“Because this is the first generation to have cradle-to-grave lifespan exposure to this level of man-made microwave (RF EMR) radiofrequencies, it will be years or decades before the true health consequences are known. Precaution in the roll out of this new technology is strongly indicated”.

See 5G Wireless Telecommunications Expansion: Public Health and Environmental Implications.

<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/29655646/>

Camden has an obligation to safeguard the health of its residents as provided for in Section 2B of the National Health Service Act 2006:

“2B Functions of local authorities and Secretary of State as to improvement of public health

(1) Each local authority must take such steps as it considers appropriate for improving the health of the people in its area.”

In all the literature presented by Cornerstone, not one word is mentioned about those members of the public who have electro-sensitivity. No allowance is made for them and they are underrepresented in this case.

‘Wireless information technology is constantly evolving and new frequency ranges will be used. The fifth-generation mobile telecommunication system (5G) will be installed all over the world within the next few years. Even though there is no established mechanism for affecting health from weak radio wave exposure there is need for more research covering the novel frequency domains used for 5G. The Authority also encourage researchers to start undertaking epidemiological studies, i.e., cohort studies, in this area. New technologies for inductive wireless energy transfer based on intermediate frequency magnetic fields will probably be implemented for many different applications in the near future. In contrast to wireless information transfer technology, wireless energy transmission in principle always results in relatively strong local fields. This makes it very important to obtain a robust basis for risk assessment of such fields. Today there is a lack of studies in this frequency domain, therefore there is a special need for research.’

‘The Swedish authorities’ recommendation to generally limit exposure to low frequency magnetic fields, due to the observed increased incidence of childhood leukemia close to power lines, still remains.’

<https://www.stralsakerhetsmyndigheten.se/contentassets/47542ee6308b4c76b1d25ae0adceca15/2020-04-recent-research-on-emf-and-health-risk---fourteenth-report-from-ssms-scientific-council-on-electromagnetic-fields-2019.pdf>

This clearly demonstrates the importance of maintaining precautionary thinking. I urge Camden to refuse this application.

Yours faithfully,  
Mrs Lesley Stevas

Sent from [Outlook](#)