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2022/2820/P	Jane Desmarais	12/09/2022 21:00:47	OBJ	Light pollution.

Further to my objection lodged on 3rd September 2022 (recorded as a 'comment' but intended as an 'objection'), I would also like to raise the issue of light pollution created by the insertion of skylight panels in the flat roof of the planned side extension and the one at the back. There is currently no skylight in the rear extension that exists at the back of the property, which means that our kitchen window affords an unimpeded view across the backs of gardens and the reservoir.

Were skylights to be fitted to the back and side of the rear of the property it would cause an unacceptable amount of light pollution to our property. Our children's bedrooms are at the rear of the maisonette and our bedroom overlooks the return. The light coming from the planned extension would adversely impact our ability to sleep and impinge upon our privacy (and our neighbours', as our rear windows would afford a view directly down into their property).

I would like to request that the issue of light pollution is added to my list of concerns and objections submitted on the 3rd September 2022, and that consideration is made of the impact of a rear extension not only on the aesthetics and structural integrity of the building and the habitability of the upper two floors during the building works, but that a wraparound rear extension would create unpleasant, even intolerable, levels of light pollution.
