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Sarah Duckworth, Planning and Building Control

Dear Stephen,

**SECTION 211 NOTIFICATION OF WORK TO TREES TO THE REAR OF HERITAGE COURT,
CASTLE HILL AND WITHIN THE RUSSELL STREET / CASTLE HILL CONSERVATION AREA**

Further to our site meeting on Wednesday 22nd August 2018, I can confirm that the Council have no objections to the following proposed tree work specification being undertaken to trees on land at the rear of Heritage Court and within a Conservation Area.

- G3 (Beech) - Clean canopy by removing crossing / rubbing branches that have not naturally fused and deadwood. Lift the crowns to give 2.5m clearance from ground level. Selectively reduce the lateral spread by up to 1.5m (approximately 20% of its foliage capacity) to reduce the impact over apartments and gardens.
- T4 (Common Cherry) - Remove as close to ground level as possible due to cavity at the base.
- T5 (Hazel) Coppice in mid-winter or late summer.
- T7 & T8 (Beech) - Clean canopy by removing crossing / rubbing branches that have not naturally fused and deadwood. Lift the crowns to give 2.5m clearance from ground level.
- T9 (Apple) Reduce all round by 25% of its foliage capacity cutting back to suitable growth ensuring a flowing canopy outline.

Informatives

1. You are advised that this decision is valid for one pruning operation to be undertaken within two years from the date of this letter, after which it lapses and a new Section 211 notification will be required.
2. Disturbance of wildlife: It is an offence under the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (as

amended) to disturb roosting bats or nesting birds. It is advisable to consult your tree surgeon/consultant to agree an acceptable time for carrying out any work. Wildlife and habitat controls are administered by Natural England who can be contacted on 0300 030 6000

If you require any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me on the above number.

Yours sincerely

Sarah Duckworth

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