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Dear Mr. Francis

WORKS TO TREES IN THE CONSERVATION AREA: THE WHITE HOUSE & KINGS COURT , LOWER KINGS ROAD, BERKHAMSTED

Further to our earlier conversation I am writing to confirm that the Council have no objection to the following works as specified on the plan received on the 24 October:

- Removal of the 3 Ornamental Cherry Trees
- Pruning the Willow tree overhanging the site
- Reducing the Cupressus to the rear of the flats
- Removing another Willow tree
- Lopping the Ash trees

The other works specified are not subject to planning control, however the Woodlands Officer would advise that the extent of the proposed reduction to the Cupressus hedge (adjacent to the access road) should be more minor, in the interest of maintaining the health and amenity of the hedge. A reduction of 1 - 1.5 metres to the height and shaping of the sides is thought to be more appropriate.

I trust this is to your satisfaction

Yours Sincerely

Teresa Mattick

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