

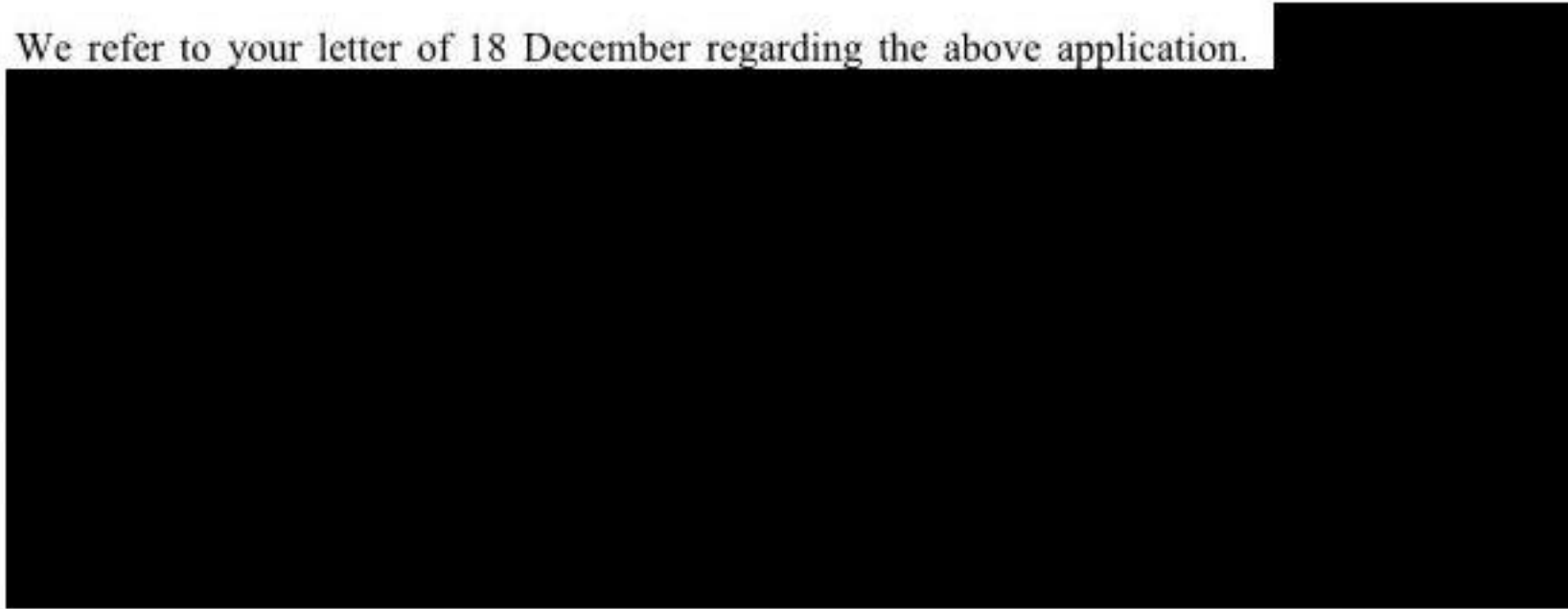
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Dear Sir

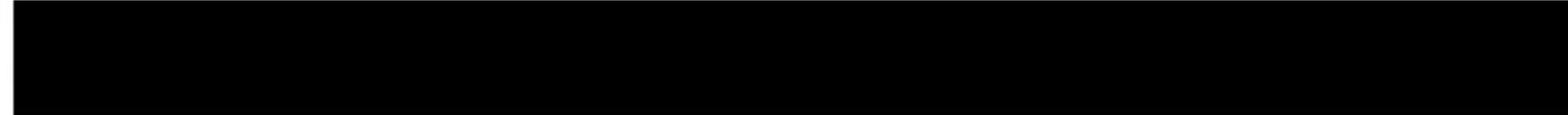
Town and Country Planning Act 1990 – Section 211
Proposed works to Trees at Wade Court Cottage
Application No. APP/20/01158

We refer to your letter of 18 December regarding the above application.



In principle we support the works, although the proposed reduction in height of the trees is not in line with our request  as the trees will still be approximately 7 metres in height. Further, we are not clear about the reference to 'previous pruning points' as no pruning has been carried out by the applicant since we moved here in 2001. Clarification is needed regarding these previous pruning points, as the description of works is unclear. Are the lateral growths being pruned on all sides of the trees or only on one side? We are also puzzled by the reason being given for the pruning of the T1 which is 'biannual' maintenance (twice yearly). An odd term to use when there has not been any previous maintenance.

We should appreciate clarification of the proposed works, in particular in respect of the 'previous pruning points'.



We look forward to hearing from you on this matter.

Yours faithfully

