39, Ships Street,
Shoreham-by-Sea,
BN 43 5JH
10 March 2013.

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Dear Mr. Appleton

Ref: AW/JM 0104/13
36, Ships Street, Shoreham-by-Sea.

I wish to object to the above application because the proposed changes will have a detrimental affect on the appearance of these Georgian cottages which are almost two-hundred years old.

Before this was classed as a conservation area people made changes to the fronts of these houses but, as these are mainly cosmetic (i.e plastic window frames and doors) no lasting damage has been done as they can easily be replaced by wooden ones.

My complaint about the proposed extension to the back of the property is that, although some of the houses have already been built on, these extensions were probably approved at a time when Planners were not so enlightened and sympathetic to how important it is that these pieces of history should be preserved.

I am also concerned that, although there are double yellow lines outside my property, builders (because there is a shortage of parking space) are content to park their vans there all day; this cuts off most of the light to my house therefore depriving me of my "Right to Light." Should this work be given the 'go ahead' I have the prospect of sitting in the gloom for some months.

This applicant has only just purchased this small house (which, apparently is not big enough for his needs) on the presumption that he will be given

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permission to enlarge it. In my opinion Ship Street will be spoiled if the changes do number 36 are are approved.

I would like to add that I am appreciative of the efforts that the Council makes to ensure that Shoreham remains unspoiled while, at the ~~same~~ same time, catering for present day needs.

Yours sincerely.

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(MRS. M. FRICKER).