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From: Mary Poulain [redacted]

Sent: 24 April 2012 13:47

To: Planning

Subject: Planning Application Ref: AWDM/0333/12 Attention: Hannah Barker

Two Storey extension on south side
6 Southdown Road, Shoreham-By-Sea, West Sussex BN43 5AN

AWDM/0333/12

Dear Ms Barker

Further to my telephone conversation with you earlier today I wish to object to the above planning application. I write this objection on behalf of my elderly mother of 87 years old who lives at Flat 2
St. Pauls Lodge, 2-4 Southdown Road, Shoreham-By-Sea BN43 5AN. My mother's property is on the ground floor and and her living room wall and bathroom form part of the north wall. We apologise to you for delay in writing to you, this is due to my elderly mother having mislaid your notification letter.

Her bathroom window and only living room small window form part of this north wall at ground floor level. The small patio also forms part of the north wall area. The approval of this planning application would totally obliterate most of the natural light my mother currently depends on to carry out her necessary daily activities. Her need for this natural light is all the more crucial due to her been registered blind (partially sighted) as she suffers from the sight condition Macular Degeneration. Her sight is very limited. Natural light substantially increases her ability to read with visual aids and carry out other activities. Her reading area in her living room is adjacent to the small window for this reason.
Her bathroom window would also lose crucial natural light and would increase her risk for injury. She carries out her daily bathing routine during daylight hours as the natural light is best source of light.

My mother is also very anxious about the exact use of this extension and worries about her privacy and noise intrusion.

My mother gratefully requests that her position be considered and that this application is denied.

Yours sincerely

Mary C. Poulain

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