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Planning Inspectorate Bristol

PINS REF APP/H2265/D/14/2228530 Plan App Ref TM/02798/FL 13, Harrison Rd, Borough Green Kent TN15 8RU

Dear Sir,

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Borough Green

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BOROUGH COUNCIL

5 December 2014

I am writing this personal letter because of concerns voiced to me. For the past few years, despite objections by the Parish Council, the size of extensions approved under TMBC Officer's delegated powers has steadily increased to what we believe to be excessive proportions. However, we no longer waste our time tabling objections which we know Officers will always ignore.

Completely out of the blue, TMBC Planning Officers rejected this second application, even after apparently advising the applicant.

Because the sole objector was previously a long serving Parish Councillor, and ex Chair and Vice Chair, a long serving ex member of T&MBC, and past Leader and Mayor, any reasonable person could draw the conclusion that undue influence had been brought to bear on the Planning Process, which could lead to the Planning Process itself being brought into disrepute.

Yours Sincerely Mike Taylor

Ward Member, Borough Green & Longmill Chair, Borough Green Parish Council

cc BGPC

TMBC Planning

11, Harrison Rd

13, Harrison Rd

Chair & Members, Area 2 Planning Committee