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Dear Sir/Madam,

APPLICATION FOR TREE WORKS AT 6 BUSHMEAD ROAD PE19 8BP

I am providing this letter and attachments in support of the enclosed Tree Works Application form with respect to trees covered by a TPO.

My wife and I purchased and moved into the above property on 8th August this year. We were aware at the time that the 2 massive multi trunk trees in the front garden where subject to a TPO, the details of which are given in the application.

Having been here now some 3 months we have experienced a number of small branches falling from the trees following strong winds. These have been in the range of 1-2 inches in diameter and between 4 and 6 feet long. The trees lean out over the footpath and road at an angle of some 60% and are very tall. I hope the enclosed photographs will give a good indication of their size and positioning in relation to the road and footpath. The street plan and sketch copy of the TPO plan attached shows their positions relative to the property.

I am concerned that with the approach of winter more and possibly larger branches might fall and potentially hurt passersby on the footpath or damage vehicles using the road. The road leads to Bushmead Primary School and is used by parents and children and there is also heavy use of large commercial vehicles along the road. I believe we would be held responsible for any such injury or damage and feel we must take steps to mitigate any risks. I have received advice from a registered Tree Surgeon on what he believes needs to be done and this is described in the application, section7.

I hope that you will look favourably on my request and authorise the works to take place.

My email address i[redacted] (my first name is John, but I have always been known by my second name, Keith)

Yours,

[redacted]

John Keith Harrison