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Sent: 11 December 2014 10:53
To: Juan Baeza
Subject: AB/147/14/TC - felling of a bay tree

Hi Juan,

As per our phone call;

The bay tree highlighted in this application is of poor amenity value (because of its historic pruning), and is situated in a position, where it has begun to force a boundary wall out of its original position. As the wall is being effected by the basal area of this tree, remedial pruning of branches would have no effect on the conflict between the wall and the outlined tree. removal of sections of the basal mass of this tree is likely to invite pathogens, and also is likely to have negative structural impacts on any stem development. Also (as I do with every case of a tree in a conservation, that are without TPO orders) this tree was assessed for its TPO potential (using the arbitrary TEMPO form) and it did not progress into the 2nd half on the scoring form. For these reasons I would suggest the felling of this tree.

Kind regards

Dafydd

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