

Planning Officer : Simon Davis

Planning Application Ref: AW/321/13/T

Location : Qualitas, 11 Barrack Lane, Aldwick

Description of work:

T1 – Wild Cherry *Prunus avium* – x 2 of- situated along front garden boundary line- reduce and reshape by up to 2m

T2 – Fastigate Japanese Cherry – *Prunus 'Amanogawa'* – x 1 of – close to house- reduce and reshape by up to 2m

Reasons Given:

- None provided

Recommendation:

NO Objection	X	Comment	X	Dead & Dangerous	
Object		Recommendation	X	Abate a Nuisance	
Conditions Suggested	X	CA & Amenity Value		Tree Replacement required	

Comments On Application:

General Observation – these trees have all been heavily lopped and topped before so this operation is repeat pruning work.

T1 – Wild Cherry - x 2 of - Avge Height – 6m : Avge Spread – 3.5m : Age – Semi Mature

- Has previously been reduced down in height by 2m and spread by 1m to 1.5m

T2 – Fastigate Japanese Cherry Avge Height – 4m : Avge Spread – 0.7m : Age – Semi Mature

- Has previously been reduced down in height by 0.5m to 1m but nothing off the laterals because of its fastigate habit

Conclusions:

I agree to pruning down **no further than the previous pruning points** on all three trees :-

= 2 Wild Cherries – reduce in height by a maximum of 2m and reduce lateral spread overall by 1m

= 1 Fastigate Cherry – reduce in height by a maximum of 1m but **NO** reduction of laterals permitted.

N.B.- No stubs devoid of foliage or living growth points to be left and in the case of the Fastigate Cherry round off the top so that it is not left flat in appearance



Consultant Arboriculturist

Figure 2 Positions of final cuts

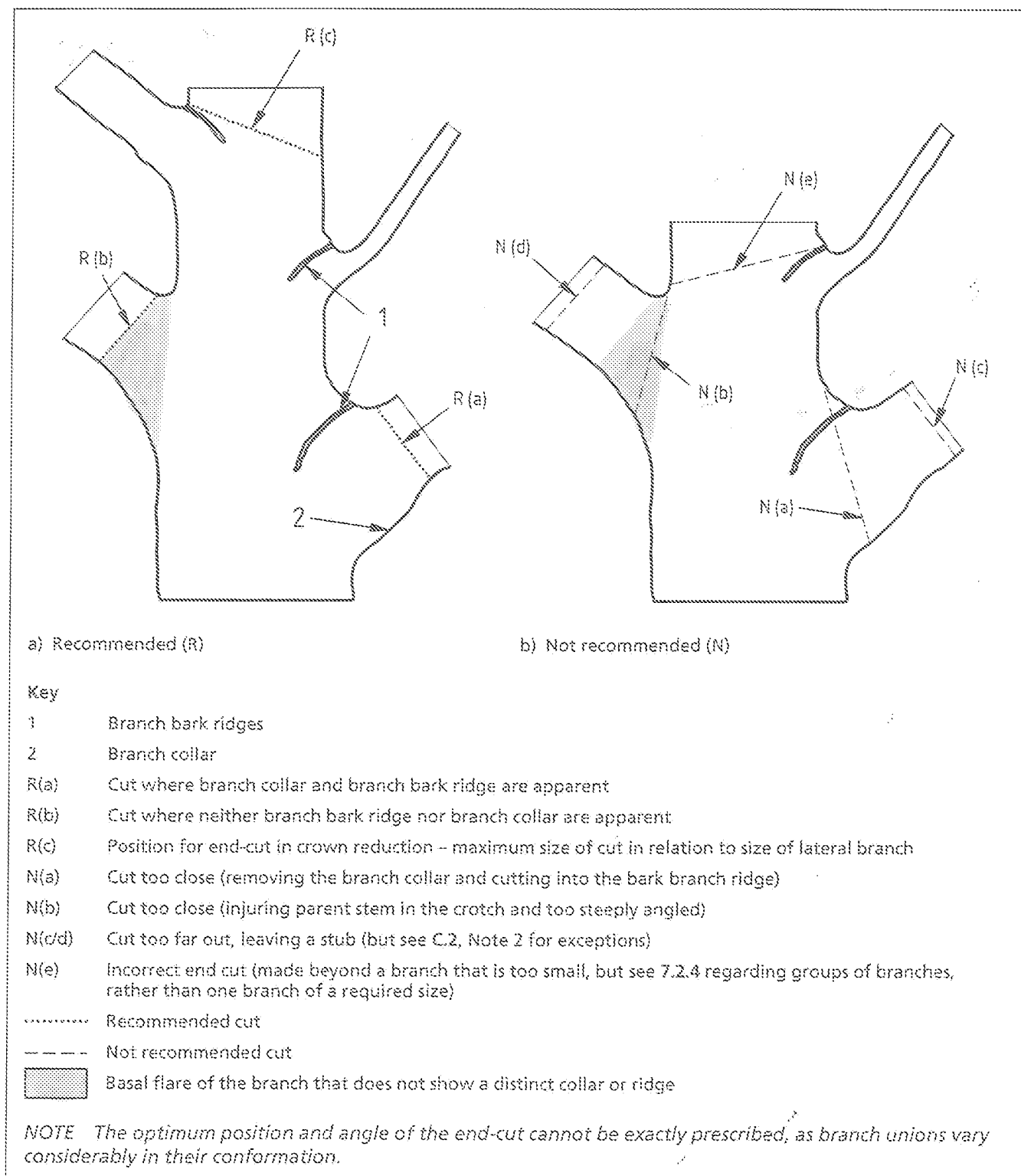


Figure 3 Crown lifting

