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Planning Department,
Arun District Council,
Maltravers Road,
Littlehampton BN17 5LF

for the attention of Ms Kathryn Welch,

Dear Sirs,

AW/292/20/T

In reply to your letter of 23rd October, I advise as follows, with the numbers referring to the trees on the plan:

1. The only work on the elder (now past its prime) is to remove deadwood. There is no raising of the crown.
- 2 Yew - the crown to be raised to 5.0m on the east side. On the other sides it is under the canopy of a large hornbeam at 38, Kingsway.
- 3 Yew - there is no proposed alteration to the spread, except to trim off the growth of the last three years, which will leave it with approximate spreads N 2.0m, E 0.7m S 4.0m. W 1.9m
4. Hornbeam - the spread on the north reduced to c. 2.5m and the other three sides will remain sensibly the same, after removal of growth of the last three years, at E 0.7m, S 3.5m, W 1.9m
6. Oak after the removal of small branches hanging over the road and hanging down over the verge to the north, removal of tertiary branch over entrance and removal of lowest branch to the south, the spreads will be about N 4.0m, E 3.8m, S 4.7m W 4.3m
7. Hawthorn reduction of c. 50 cms all round, leaving crown with approximate spread of N 2.1m, E 1.8m, S 3.4m, W 2.3m

I cannot confirm the exact age of the trees, but only the yews (2 & 3) are likely to date to before 1958, in my opinion.

Yours faithfully,

R.W. Bremner