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With ref. to planning application noAW/48/15/HH 16 Barrack Lane Mr and Mrs Keet

We would draw you attention to the following :

It has been our understanding as residents of Barrack Lane for over 30 years that there was a council bye law preventing the removal of hedges to replace with walls on front boundary lines.

We note from the plans that a very high wall is intended along the frontage of number 16 and in answer to the question Will any trees or hedges need to be removed or pruned? the box has been ticked 'no'. We would query how this might be effected without removing existing hedges.

We would object to a wall of this height and the loss of natural habitat in a lane that traditionally been designated hedgerow along its entire length, thereby changing the character and ambience of the area. When the Gleesons site was established, hedgerows had to be planted as part of the planning application and there are no other walls of this height or solid gates along the length of the lane which would make this proposed construction totally out of keeping.

In answer to the question 16 : Can the site be seen from the public road and footpath, the box has again been ticked 'no'. yet the application includes the proposed front 1.8 metre high wall and solid gates which are actually ON the road.

We trust you will give this matter your full attention and have attached a photograph of the front of the property to illustrate the trees and bushes which through lack of maintenance have encroached onto council property



Mr and Mrs R P Gardner 18 Barrack Lane