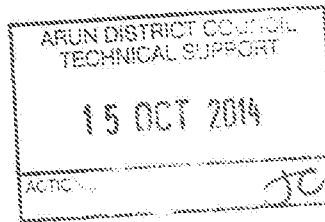


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Pine Trees
1 Bridle Lane
Slindon Common
Arundel
BN18 0NA

12th October 2014

Arun District Council
Arun Civic Centre
Maltravers Road
Littlehampton
BN17 5LF

Dear Sirs

We realise Roundle Glass will resist any change but we need to move the existing gate so that it is for our sole use. When we approached Mr Haslam with this he did not want the east side of his building left open to all and sundry. Therefore the fencing would provide him with the security he enjoys at the moment and also be beneficial for safety reasons.

As there have already been several close shaves with workers stepping out of Roundle Glass from the side doors into the path of passing vehicles. It should be safer for health and safety reasons if the fence can keep pedestrians and vehicles separate.

As for exiting in case of fire at the rear of the building the gate is positioned 2M from the door and 1400 at its narrowest point giving plenty of room to move. If necessary we can put fire assembly directions on the fence and the gates are open during working hours.

As for materials being taken in and out - with the gates open there is no restriction of movement and we can't see how it could make the rear store impractical to use. There is over 3M of space between the fence and the rear store. If necessary we could install a further gate opposite the side door if this would make moving materials easier. We do not want to compromise their working practice in any way.

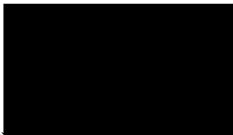
There are double doors on every side of Roundle Glass so the door to the east side is not the only exit point.

There is only permission for pedestrian access on the driveway so a) machinery has to be put on a trolley to reach the road and b) the windows on the east side cannot be opened over the drive. We have paid particular attention to choosing fencing that is bolted so that a couple of panels can easily be removed when any large machinery has to be moved.

We have ensured there is enough room for emergency vehicles but for speed of action they are more likely to stop in the road.

I hope this answers any queries raised.

Yours sincerely



Miss Fox