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From: John Drakes
Sent: 31 May 2019 13:55
To: Planning
Subject: Planning application NYM/2019/0255/FL

Dear Sirs,

Further to a recent e-mail from Miss Helen Webster concerning our application to erect a workshop/store for our bee equipment and honey, we are happy to furnish you with the additional requested information.

Miss Webster has asked for information concerning nearby trees on the property which are the subject of Tree Protection Orders.

There are several trees in the small area of woodland which are part of the property at Pear Trees. Most of them have root systems which are too far away from the proposed shed to be affected by any ground works and many of the trees are in fact scrub holly which make up much of the undergrowth.

Three trees in particular form a line along a raised bank which stands above the garden and the proposed shed site. They are a Sycamore, Lime and an Oak tree.

The Sycamore and the Lime tree are 10 metres from the proposed shed site. The Oak tree is 11 metres from the shed site.

The Sycamore has a diameter of 110 cm; the Lime has a diameter of 70 cm; the Oak has a diameter of 95 cm.

All the trees appear in perfect health...see attached photos.

The erection of the wooden shed will have no effect on the trees whatever.

The only thing that would affect any of the trees would be the ground works and excavation to produce a level site. This work had already been carried out by the previous owners of Pear Trees some years ago.

Any damaging effects of the ground works would have been obvious by now.
We simply wish to erect a shed on an existing site. No further digging will be done.

The trees are on a raised bank of deep earth and the roots would naturally find their way deep underground into the nearby fields.

We have attached pictures of the three trees for your information.
We hope this additional information will be helpful and will clarify any queries you may have.

As suggested by Miss Webster we would be grateful if this mail and attached photos could be forwarded to the Authority's Woodland Officer.

This will enable Miss Webster to make a final determination on the application, on her return from annual leave on June 11th.

Yours faithfully,

John Drakes
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