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To: Brighton and Hove City Council

Submitted via e-mail

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Dear Sir,

Queens Park BH2020/0000536

Thank you for consulting the Sussex Gardens Trust (SGT) on the above application. The Trust has also been notified by the Gardens Trust, the statutory consultee on matters affecting registered historic parks and gardens.

The site lies within the boundary of Queens Park which is included with a Grade II designation on the register of historic parks and gardens maintained by Historic England.

As noted in the accompanying Heritage Statement, the building is currently derelict and SGT welcomes proposals to renovate the building and bring it back into use, albeit for an entirely different purpose. However, SGT has concerns regarding the dark grey colour with "Brighton Blue" detailing proposed for the exterior of the building. This colour scheme is in marked contrast to the original colour of the building and the colour of the neighbouring Grade II listed Egremont Gate. While the proposed colours might look in keeping along the seafront, they do not sit comfortably in the Queen's Park setting. Accordingly, SGT objects to this aspect of the current application.

Yours faithfully

Jim Stockwell

On behalf of the Sussex Gardens Trust.

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