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Application Reference No. : SMD/2017/0411 Site Address: 30 Furlong Drive Upper Tean Staffordshire ST10 4LD Stoke On Trent
Comments by: Mr and Mrs Holmes
From:
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Furlong Drive
Upper Tean
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Phone:
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Submission: Objection
Comments: We object to the proposed development of 30 Furlong Drive for the following reasons:

* The rear of our garden already meets with the side elevation of 30 Furlong Drive and therefore some of the natural light is prevented from reaching our garden/into our house. The proposed extension would further restrict the natural light and we anticipate that the full width of the rear of our garden will be in a shadow. This is disappointing given that we have spent significant time and money fully refurbishing our garden with lawn/plants in the last three years of us living here, to compliment the surrounding environment.

* The elimination of natural lighting and the increased height of brick/roof development would have a claustrophobic effect on our outside living space - we already feel caged in, and the proposed development would exacerbate this.

While we would like to support our neighbours on a personal level with their plans, we feel that the proposed works would have a negative effect on us and our property.