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Date: 10 January 2017

Dear Sir/Madam,

Application No: 114796/TCA/2016
Intent to carry out works to trees at Somerset House , 15 Range Road, Manchester, M16 8FS

Further to your request to carry out works to trees located at the above address, the City Council's arboricultural staff visited the site and inspected the trees. With reference to their advice, consent is hereby **granted** for the following work:

The City Council have no objections to the proposed felling of an Ash tree at Somerset House, 15 Range Rd, Manchester, as indicated in the submitted details and plan.

To mitigate against the loss of this tree a replacement tree should be replanted, with a native deciduous tree such as a silver birch being a suitable replacement

All tree work should be carried out by a competent contractor in accordance with British Standard BS 3998 "Recommendations for Tree Work".

Reason - In order avoid damage to trees/shrubs adjacent to and within the site which are of important amenity value to the area and in order to protect the character of the area, in accordance with policies EN9 and EN15 of the Core Strategy.

In accordance with The Town and Country Planning (Tree Preservation)(England) Regulations 2012 (as amended), this consent is granted for a period of two years from the date of this letter.

Should you wish to discuss this matter any further please contact John Kelsey.

Yours faithfully,

Julie Roscoe

Head of Planning, Building Control & Licensing