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Regarding planning HPK/2023/0317
First steps together ltd



Dear sirs,

I am strongly objecting to the above planning application.

This school is already up and running without the necessary change of use.

Some of the residents of Talbot Street were unaware of the application and have received very little information, myself included.

We feel the school has been set up under the radar and has more or less of fait accompli already.

Is this facility just for children who have been excluded from mainstream education for behaviour or learning needs?

As a resident, I find it very difficult as I know these children have a right to an education, but I do not think the premises on Talbot Street is suitable at all!

There have already been a number of antisocial incidents, with just a small number of children attending (2 at present).

The premises are surrounded on all sides in very close quarters by residential properties. The car park for the school is the only outside area for the children, and if the schools run at full capacity, where will the staff park their cars?

There are football nets and a basketball hoop against my boundary, already causing a nuisance with the ball coming into my property numerous times and damaging items in my garden.

I've been forced to install CCTV, as I'm concerned that when I am at work and the ball will be retrieved without my permission!

The play/exercise area directly overlooks my garden, and I have personally witnessed shouting and foul language.

The street is far too congested, as it is to allow for any formal mode of transport to drop the kids off at school or parents to park for pick up.

We feel the school isn't taking in any pupils yet until the planning is past, and I fear if passed then the peaceful area we live in will be blighted, our properties will be blighted if there are continuing issues.

Kind regards

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