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Submission: Objection

Comments: High Peak Access is a voluntary group and we campaign for better access to buildings and services especially for disabled people.

The proposed shop front refurbishment, whilst providing a temporary ramp, does not provide access into the shop without a step, thus preventing wheelchair users and less ambulant people, from gaining equal access to the shop floor as is possible for ambulant people.

High Peak Access have met with the applicant in the past and made this point to the applicant.

If the entrance door was located further east, it would be possible to avoid a temporary ramp externally and provide an internal ramp.

Alternatively, there are platform lifts, suitable for wheelchair users, that can convert to steps when the

lift is not required. No consideration has been given to alternative solutions in the design and access statement. Another alternative would be to provide a small platform lift in front of the step at the entrance.

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