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For the attention of Alice Johnson



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Dear Ms Johnson,

RE: DC/25/1146| Extension to the visitor entrance building to house a new ticket sales area and café; Infilling roof to the former generator block courtyard, re-roofing of the Alpine House and in-ternal/external reconfigurations and link extension; Single storey winter garden conservatory to the Stable Block; Terrace extension to the east and internal/ external reconfigurations; Change of use from redundant staff offices and staff accommodation within the stable block to guest accommodation including extension to Honey Cottage; Change of use to the partial first floor of the Red House to staff accommodation; Small WC extension, reinstated chimney stack, and roof alterations to the Engine House; Lightweight wedding pavilion to the lawn, south of Leonardslee House; Landscaping changes including to the forecourt of Leonardslee House.| Leonardslee Gardens Brighton Road Lower Beeding West Sussex RH13 6PP

Thank you for consulting the Gardens Trust in its role as Statutory Consultee on the above application which may have a material impact on the significance of Leonardslee, a Grade I registered park and garden (RPG) included by Historic England on the Register of Parks and Gardens of Special Historic Interest. Leonardslee comprises a landscaped plantsman's garden of the early twentieth century, incorporating remnants of its early nineteenth-century origins.

We would like to echo and support the comments made by The Sussex Gardens Trust in their email response dated 28/11/2025, and can confirm that we are satisfied with the additional documents that have been submitted.

If you have any further queries, please contact us at this email address, and we would be grateful to be advised of the outcome of the application in due course.

Yours sincerely,

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