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HERITAGE STATEMENT
The College of Richard Collyer
82 Hurst Road Horsham West Sussex

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The College of Richard Colley is situated on extensive grounds of over 6.5 hectares. The college moved to the grounds in1893 of the grammar school building on Hurst Road. This building is Listed Grade II and is in a prominent position from the highway.

The college have developed the site over this period of time, and it now comprises of a multitude of buildings and facilities associated with its everyday functioning.

Proposal:

It is proposed to install a freestanding canopy to provide an outside dining and congregation area for its students.

The canopy would sit within a space bounded on three side by two storey brick-built structures located at the opposite end of the grounds to that of the original Listed building. The space between the buildings where the canopy is to be positioned serves as a thoroughfare from the existing main car park to the classrooms etc. The existing Tarmac surface also provides limited parking and access for deliveries.

The current use of this area would be uninterrupted by the new structure.

Construction detail / Impact on existing structures:

The canopy is constructed away from the site and once the manufacturing is completed delivered to site for installation.

The only intrusive construction process is to excavate a minimal foundation on which the two supporting steel columns sit. The excavation and installation processes will have zero impact on the buildings in the immediate vicinity.

Canopy specifications and Size:

- Broxap's Twin Parasol Tensile Structure
- Mounted on two galvanised steel columns
- Style: Curved Edge
- Dimensions:(mm) 15000 x 9000 x 2520 / 6010(h)
- Fabric: PVC Waterproof

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- Fixing: Submerged baseplate
- PVC Waterproof - Mehler 7211 White
- Galvanised and Powder Coated Standard RAL/BS Colour

Summary:

The location of the proposed canopy has no impact on the Listed building in terms of visual association or proximity. The proposed position of the canopy is also cloaked from public view as it is hidden within the surrounding 3No.existing buildings.



The installation process is also a considerable distance from the Listed building and will not present any foreseeable risk to its integrity.

The existing surface will be retained, and additional drainage is not required.

The Proposed canopy will not incorporate lighting or heating.

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