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Date: 03 November 2025

Dear Sir/Madam,

Town and Country Planning (Tree Preservation) (England) Regulations
Application to carry out works on protected trees
Appellant: Roger Smith
Appeal Site: 5 Chestnut End, Henfield, West Sussex, BN5 9PG

I enclose a copy of our Inspector's decision on the above appeal.

If you have queries or feedback about the decision or the way we handled the appeal(s), you should submit them using our "Feedback" webpage at https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/planning-inspectorate/about/complaints-procedure. If you do not have internet access please write to the Customer Quality Unit at the address above.

If you would prefer hard copies of our information on the right to challenge and our feedback procedure, please contact our Customer Service Team on 0303 444 5000.

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The Planning Inspectorate cannot change or revoke the outcome in the attached decision. If you want to alter the outcome you should consider obtaining legal advice as only the High Court can quash this decision.

We are continually seeking ways to improve the quality of service we provide to our customers. As part of this commitment we are seeking feedback from those who use our service. It would be appreciated if you could take some time to complete this short survey, which should take no more than a few minutes complete:

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Thank you in advance for taking the time to provide us with valuable feedback.

Yours sincerely,

Tree and Hedge Appeals Team