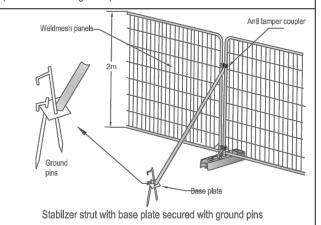


2 x Applications submitted concurrently:

Application for Tree works: Trees in conservation areas/subject to TPOs - REF PP-09910920 Householder Application: Two Storey Side Extension - REF PP-09910879

PROTECTIVE FENCING

Protective fencing shall consist of a scaffold framework in accordance with figure 3 of British Standard 5837 (2012); comprising 2m tall welded mesh panels on rubber or concrete feet. Onto this, weldmesh panels shall be securely fixed with wire or scaffold clamps joined together using a minimum of two anti-tamper couplers, installed so that they can only be removed from inside the fence. The distance between the fence couplers shall be at least 1m and shall be uniform throughout the fence. The panels shall be supported on the inner side by stabilizer struts, attached to a base plate secured with ground pins.



TEMPORARY GROUND PROTECTION

For pedestrian movements within the RPA the installation of ground protection shall be in the form of a single thickness of scaffold boards or ply board on top of a compressible layer of woodchip (at least 100mm deep) laid onto a geotextile, or supported by scaffold.

For wheeled or tracked construction traffic a proprietary system such as GreenTek Ground-Guards (heavy duty plastic ground protection mats clipped together) laid above 150mm deep layer of compressible woodchip. Or; pre-cast reinforced concrete slabs.

No storage or mixing of potentially hazadous materials within these areas; such as diesal fueling or cement mixing (unless specific procautions have been made that prevents runoff / contamination of the ground from any

EXCAVATION WITHIN RPAS

Excavation within root protection areas (RPAs) shall be carried out carefully by hand, under direct supervision of the arboricultural consultant. Roots smaller than 25mm diameter; shall be pruned back, making a clean cut with a suitable sharp tool (e.g. bypass secateurs or handsaw), except where they occur in clumps. Roots occurring in clumps or of 25mm diameter and over; shall only be severed by the arboricultural consultant if (s)he is satisfied that this action will not lead to significant detriment to the trees' health or safety. Roots, whilst exposed, shall immediately be wrapped or covered by hessian to prevent desiccation and to protect them from rapid temperature changes. Any wrapping shall be removed prior to backfilling, which will take place as soon as possible. Prior to backfilling, retained roots shall be surrounded with topsoil or un-compacted sharp sand (builders' sand will not be used because its high salt content is toxic to tree roots), or other loose inert granular fill, before soil or other suitable material is replaced. This material shall be free of contaminants and other foreign objects potentially injurious to tree roots.



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