Heritage Statement

We understand this chimney was added in the 1980s to disguise a stainless-steel flue. It is evidently not the original chimney stack as it is much narrower than the internal fireplace and breast.

It also is out of keeping with the two chimneys on the main house. We therefore propose to lower the chimney by 12 courses to reflect the scale of the other two chimneys and add a corbel, one course below the top, to mirror the style of the other chimneys. Our aim is to ensure the chimney enhances the overall appearance, by matching the others, whilst removing the danger of its collapse. We will reuse the removed bricks to create the corbel and the replaced 13th course and use lime mortar to secure them.