Undertake crown thinning of small diameter tertiary branches forming high-density clusters of end weight growth on the lower limbs projecting west, north-east, south-east and south, including the second lowest limb on the west side. The pruning wounds introduced will be no greater than 3cm to 5cm in diameter, and the total volume of crown thinning will not exceed 30% of the overall crown density. The works will reduce the end weight, wind-sail and snow loading potential towards the terminus of the largest and longest limbs. The principal crown structure and shape will not be affected.





