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**Subject:** RE: Planning Application ref P/18/075

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Planning Department  
Council of the Isles of Scilly

Dear Sirs,

Having reviewed the documentation relating to the above , I wish to register my objection to the application. I do hope that you will be prepared to give consideration to the views of a non resident, albeit, an annual visitor for forty years, whose family's visiting now stretches to four generations

I have no wish to comment on the planning technicalities in any detail, but would address my objection to this application to the principle of failing to recognize the need to preserve the very special character of the island and it's environment. It is my impression that the size and style of the proposed works are out of keeping with their surroundings in this particularly attractive corner of a beautiful island. This is in contrast to other properties constructed in recent years by the Duchy which have been thoughtfully and sympathetically designed to blend with their environment

I believe it is essential to retain the traditional nature, style and character of construction of new buildings and to avoid diminishing the benefits and advantages currently enjoyed by existing properties in a situation where the economy is so dependent on attracting tourism. By observing this principle, this island will retain the loyalty of existing regular visitors and continue to attract new generations, thus safeguarding the livelihoods and future prosperity of it's residents.

In the words of the Scillonian magazine 'Remember!. There is only one Scilly. Don't change it'. I trust the Council will prove to be reliable observers of this worthy cause.

Your sincerely

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