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Dear Mrs Ross

Ref: 24/02032/PLB |Installation of 6 no. replacement windows from hung hinged casement to horizontal sliding sashes at front, rear and side; 2 no. vertical sliding sash windows at side to replace existing; 1 no. new vertical sliding sash window to side; 1 no. like for like replacement window to rear; and 1 no. replacement door from uPVC to glazed panel hardwood. Hatfield Cottage Burton Constable Estates New Ellerby Road Burton Constable East Riding Of Yorkshire HU11 4LN

Thank you for consulting The Gardens Trust (GT) in its role as Statutory Consultee with regard to any proposed development affecting a site included by Historic England (HE) on their Register of Parks & Gardens – Burton Constable at grade II\*. The Yorkshire Gardens Trust (YGT) is a member organisation of the GT and works in partnership with it in respect of the protection and conservation of registered sites and is authorised by the GT to respond on GT's behalf in respect of such consultations.

Burton Constable is particularly important; encompassing a medieval settlement and field system (Scheduled Ancient Monument), a wonderful grade I house with several other listed buildings, and park and gardens laid out in c.1769-82 to designs by Lancelot 'Capability' Brown for the noted plant collector William Constable (1721-91). The stables and carriage house (Listed Grade I), c.150m south-east of the Hall, were designed by Thomas Lightoller in 1768. Lightoller probably also designed the Gardener's Cottage (Listed Grade II) and referred to as Kennels Cottage in the Design, Access and Heritage Statement. Hatfield Cottage is located between the stable block and the listed cottage and is identified to be curtilage listed.

The proposals to replace several 20<sup>th</sup> Century timber windows of poor design and also a uPVC door with more sympathetic wooden features, will enhance Hatfield Cottage and improve its contribution to the assemblage of heritage assets including the historic landscape.

The Gardens Trust and Yorkshire Gardens Trust have no objection and support proposals to enhance the Burton Constable estate that has such a significant heritage.

Yours sincerely,

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