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Dear Mr.J.Allen,

Please find attached a copy of our response to your building control consultation letter dated 05 February 2016.

Yours sincerely,

Malcolm Parker FRS

Inspecting officer

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London Fire and Emergency Planning
Authority runs the London Fire Brigade

Date: 04 March 2016
Our Ref: FS012/020696
Your Ref: FP/14/03563

Dear Sir/Madam

RECORD OF CONSULTATION/ADVICE GIVEN

REGULATORY REFORM (FIRE SAFETY) ORDER 2005 ARTICLE 45
THE BUILDING (APPROVED INSPECTORS ETC.) REGULATIONS 2010

SCOPE OF WORKS: New Works to Grenfell Tower

PREMISES: GRENFELL TOWER GRENFELL ROAD LONDON W11 1TH

DRAWINGS : AS SUBMITTED

The Brigade has been consulted with regard to the above-mentioned premises and makes the following observations:

- The Brigade is satisfied with the proposals as shown .

Other comments:

- A comprehensive Risk Assessment must be carried out to cover all the changes that are being carried out.

This Authority strongly recommends that sprinklers are considered for new developments and major alterations to existing premises, particularly where the proposals relate to schools and care homes. Sprinkler systems installed in buildings can significantly reduce the damage caused by fire and the consequential cost to businesses and housing providers, and can reduce the risk to life. The Brigade opinion is that there are opportunities for developers and building owners to install sprinkler systems in order to save money, save property and protect the lives of occupier. Please note that it is our policy to regularly advise our elected Members about how many cases there have been where we have recommended sprinklers and what the outcomes of those recommendations were. These quarterly reports to our Members are public documents which are available on our website.

Any queries regarding this letter should be addressed to **Malcolm Parker**. If you are dissatisfied in any way with the response given, please ask to speak to the Team Leader quoting our reference.

Yours faithfully,



Assistant Commissioner (Fire Safety Regulation)

Reply to Malcolm Parker

The London Fire Brigade promotes the installation of sprinkler suppression systems, as there is clear evidence that they are effective in suppressing and extinguishing fires; they can help reduce the numbers of deaths and injuries from fire, and the risk to firefighters.