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Dear Sirs

Re The Mill House, Mill Hill Lane, Shorne, Gravesend, DA12 3HA
G1 (two trees) fell (decay); T2 laburnam – fell -dead; T3 willow –
fell owing to decay within main limb, T4 apple – fell owing to decay
within main stem, G5 poplar – fell 5 trees owing to decay within four
and effect of removal of four on the fifth.

We refer to the above planning application, your reference GR/2022/0234 and would make the following comment.

The Society notes that most of the trees referred to in the application are towards the rear of the property. In the case of the group of poplars to the south in the front entrance – it is considered that these make a useful contribution to the local landscape and as far as is reasonable these should be retained and only those that are diseased and present a risk should be removed.

Yours faithfully

Mrs P A Lippiatt
Hon. Secretary