



Kent Fire &
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Our ref
CAS-060584
Your ref
20230934 - SCON3
Date
16 October 2023

FAO: Amanda Grout

Dear Amanda,

County of Kent Act 1981 Section 53

Re: St Josephs Convent Of Mercy , Hillside Drive, Gravesend, Kent, DA12 1NY

Thank you for your documentation dated 11 October 2023, your reference 20230934-SCON3, regarding means of access for the Fire and Rescue Service.

I can confirm that on this occasion it is my opinion that the emergency access requirements for the Fire and Rescue Service under the above Act appear to have been met.

Fire Service access and facility provisions are also a requirement under B5 of the Building Regulations 2010 and must be complied with to the satisfaction of the Building Control Authority. A full plans submission should be made to the relevant building control body who have a statutory obligation to consult with the Fire and Rescue Service.

If you require any further advice please contact this office using the details above. Please be aware that the Building Safety office hours are 09:00-17:00 Monday to Friday.

Yours sincerely,



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