APPLICATION NO: 13/00605/FUL		OFFICER: Miss Chloe Smart
DATE REGISTERED: 25th April 2013		DATE OF EXPIRY: 20th June 2013
WARD: Lansdown		PARISH: NONE
APPLICANT:	Mr Chris Hehir	
LOCATION:	13 Lansdown Place, Cheltenham	
PROPOSAL:	Erection of new dwelling to rear of	existing building, facing Lansdown Place Lane

## **REPRESENTATIONS**

Number of contributors	1
Number of objections	0
Number of representations	1
Number of supporting	0

9 Lansdown Place Lane Cheltenham Gloucestershire

**Comments:** 18th July 2013 Letter attached.

From:

Smart, Chloe

Sent:

18 July 2013 15:13

To:

Internet - Planning Comments

Subject: 13/00605/FUL - 13 Lansdown Place

## Chloe Smart

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-----Original Message-----

From

**Sent:** 18 July 2013 15:10

To: Smart, Chloe

Subject: 13 Lansdown Place

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Dear Ms Smart,

I have recently received the neighbour letter drawing my attention to the further suggested revisions on this application. Previously I had not wanted to comment, as the proposals did not look all that bad. However, having looked again there seem to be numerous problematic areas, over and above the comments you have already received from both the Architects Panel, Conservation, and HMO. So I thought I would add my own:

## **Principle**

The site must be suitable in principle. There are so many examples.

I have not looked back at the refused, sunken scheme; but I would have thought that a simple traditional brick coachouse would be a more attractive solution.

## **Details**

There was originally a weird gap to the east. This has now gone, only to be replaced with a weird gap to the west between the application building and the access retained to the back of 13 Lansdown Place?

The flat roof will be very visible from all the tall buildings around. The finish will be very important. What is the proposed finish?

What part of the windows to bedroom 2 actually open?

What part of the windows to the kitchen actually open? Open onto the pavement?

The fenestration appears to have been given a vertical emphasis after the initial comments from the Conservation Officer; but the verticality of the actual windows bears no relationship to the verticality that the Conservation Officer was drawing attention to.

The proposed vertical elements now introduce a further material, 'the infill panels' into an already complex small elevation.

An enormous window to a minute bathroom? Which also has to be obscured glass?

I hope this is helpful.

Yours sincerely

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