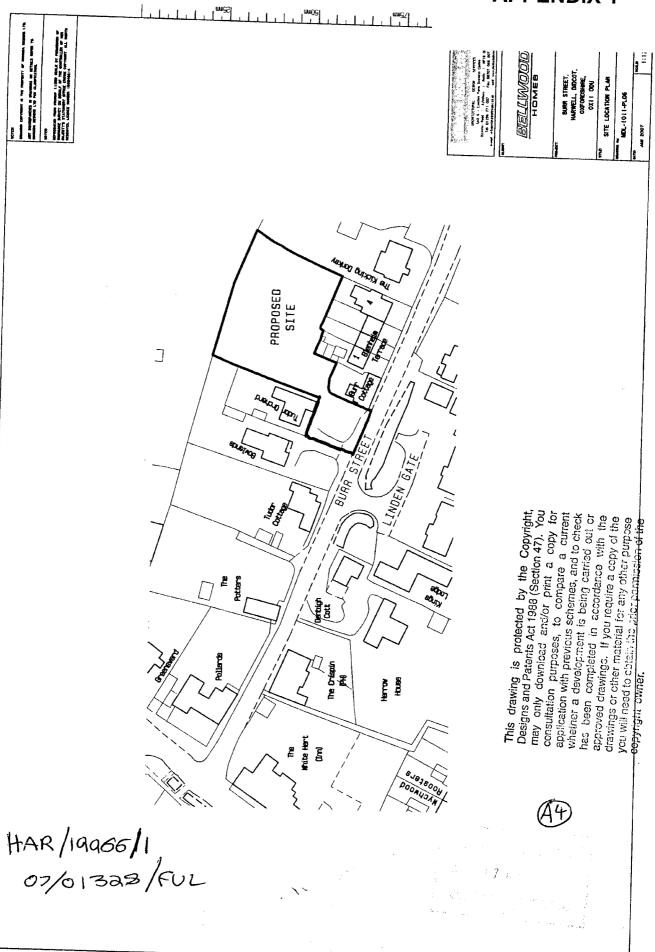
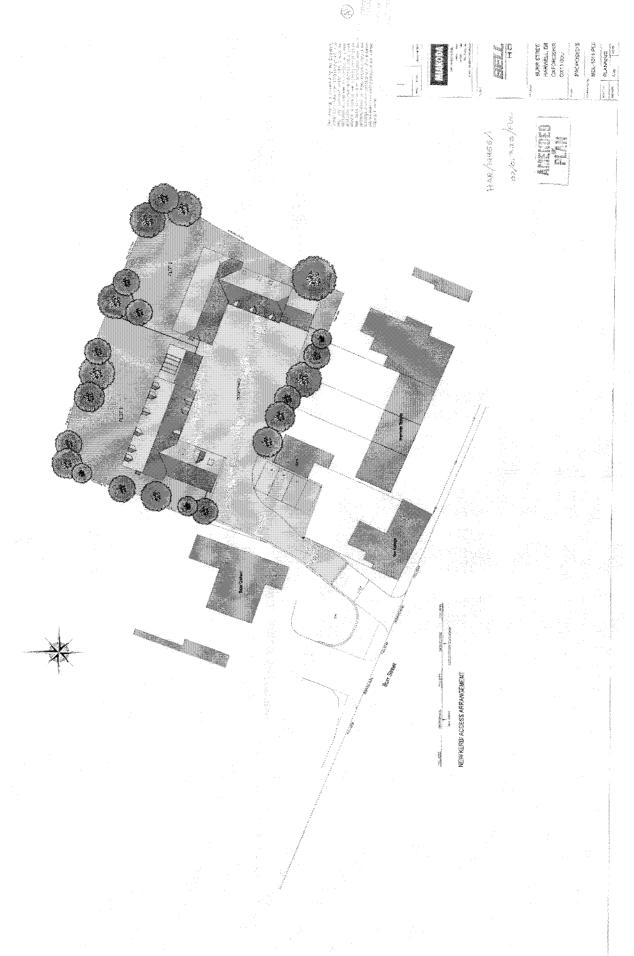
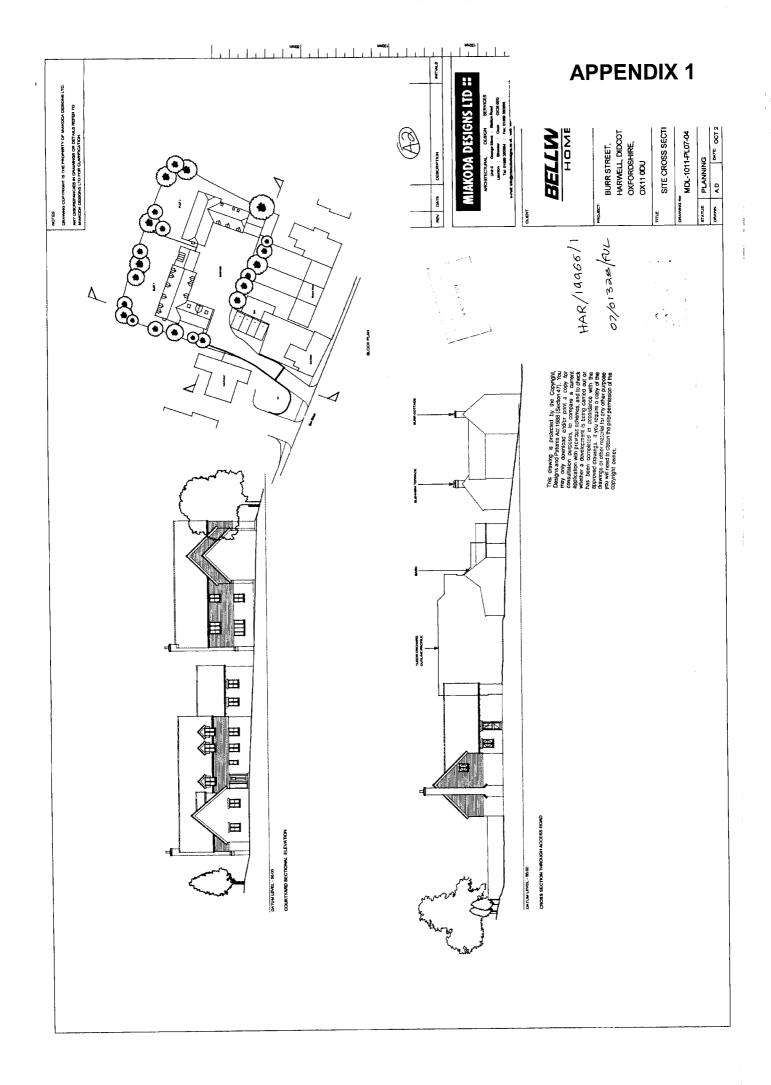
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APPENDIX 2

11 September 2007 your ref HAR/19966/1

For the attention of Alison Blyth

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Dear Sir



email and post

Demolition of shed and erection of 2 detached dwellings with associated garages. Improvements to the existing access and provision of additional parking spaces for Blenheim Terrace and Burr Cottage

Land to rear of Blenheim Terrace, Burr Street, Harwell

Thank you for the drawings of the above project, received on 30 August, which was due to be discussed at the Architects Panel meeting on 5 September at which I was not present.

The height, massing and details of the houses now proposed seems to me more acceptable than the drawings on which I commented by letter dated 12 March 2007 (which included more details of the changes to the access than the drawings sent to me now).

As before, the elevational relationship of the proposed houses to existing neighbouring buildings is not illustrated. This leaves me still a little concerned about the height of the building on plot 2 and glimpses of it from the east if (as appears from the block layout) significant bushes/small trees on that site boundary are not to be retained.

The north-south wing of this house has a slightly narrower span than the east-west wing and I think would benefit from having a lower ridge as is suggested on the block layout, but not shown on the 1:100 elevations. If the scheme is otherwise acceptable I consider you should press for this, so that the reduced massing towards Blenheim Terrace may be more effective (and you may agree the half hip shown on the block plan is an undesirable complication of the otherwise simple forms).

In the absence of information about the relative heights of the two buildings it is difficult to be confident, but I <u>think</u> this proposal probably would not dominate Blenheim Terrace and so can be supported if the greater stepping down at plot 2 referred to above can be confirmed.

Your papers and drawings are returned with the postal copy of this letter.

Yours faithfully

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