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To the Planning Department,
London Borough of Hillingdon,
Civic Centre, High Street
Uxbridge, Middlesex,
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PLANNING STATEMENT

11th December 2020

Dear Sir/Madam,

re a proposed loft extension at 101 Gledwood Drive, Hayes, Middlesex, UB4
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Please find enclosed/ attached our drawings to enable this planning application to be considered under new legislation. A fee of £206 plus £25 planning portal admin fee has been paid.

The family would like to provide a further habitable room, to help them accommodate the needs of their children.

Mr and Mrs Sudhakaran are the parents of three boys, all three have been diagnosed with autism, and they are planning for their futures together.

The eldest boy is currently 24 years old, diagnosed as severely autistic, without the ability to communicate, and is looked-after by the authorities Monday-Friday, but returns to the family at weekends and holidays.

The middle boy is currently 21 years old and diagnosed as autistic.

The youngest boy is 15 years old and diagnosed as severely autistic, without the ability to communicate.

All three boys require considerable love and attention, and will continue to require this within a loving home environment for many years to come.

Mr and Mrs Sudhakaran are currently provided with 'respite assistance' as and when available by the local authority. They are also helped by two of their in-laws (the children's grandparents) who are able to visit and live-in and provide extra pairs of hands to help with the care of their grandchildren for approximately 5 months of the year.

We believe this information attached is over and above that required.

We believe that these proposals will not affect the amenities of the adjacent neighbours. Similar loft conversions have been granted within Gledwood Drive and Gledwood Avenue in the last 12 months (eg, even since the council's new loft planning guidance came into being)

We hope this application can receive your support, but please contact us if you require any further information.

Yours faithfully,

Michael Oakes

enclosed; sets of drawings and forms, dwgs
cc client