



Green Close
Green Close Lane
Northwood HA6 2UX

Schedule of Conditions Part 6: Photographic Record

Read in conjunction with :

Schedule of Conditions Part 7: Scale drawings of Living Room Fireplace

Schedule of Conditions Part 8: Method Statement

In compliance with

Listed Building Consent 18 February 2022

Hillingdon Council

Application Ref: 76656/APP/2021/3044

Prepared by Rebecca Elliott BArchDes, BArch RIBA

On behalf of the applicants Arjan Thethy and Ruchita Davda

Green Close: designated Grade II listed building in 1974

List Entry Number: 1080254

The site is situated in the borough of Hillingdon

National Grid reference: TQ0858891598

To provide an archival record of the historic development of the existing Building:
Photographic record of the living room fireplace:

1. Prior to the works
2. During the works
3. At Completion of the works

Issue date: May 2022

1. Prior to the works



Photograph 1

The living room is lined with decorative oak panelling, possibly 1930's. It is likely that an earlier Victorian fireplace was refurbished during the same period to create a Mock Tudor appearance with timber mantle and decorative brickwork. The plastered infill, white paint and gas fire is likely to be 1970's or later.



Photograph 2

The red brick hearth extends into the room and is built over the earlier timber parquet floor as evidenced by the partially exposed border.



Photograph 3

A useful reference is the unpainted dining room fireplace which has a similar arrangement of decorative brick and creasing tiles to the fireplace and quarry tiles to the hearth.

2. During the works



Photograph 4

The brick hearth once removed reveals an earlier hearth arrangement and the parquet flooring finished flush with a timber border. The hearth area has been infilled with a cement panel.

The inner hearth is edged with large flat red bricks overlaid with a concrete platform under the gas fire.



Photograph 5

Trial holes reveal the angled, plastered cheeks are formed by packing of cement and hollow clay bricks.



Photographs 6 and 7

Removal of the packing shows the decorative brick and creasing tile extending behind a rear panel of newer, harder bricks into which the gas fire and concrete platform has been recessed.

Photographs 8 and 9

The plastered panel above the angled cheeks is supported by the angled cheeks and a thin metal angle which is insufficient to support the panel once cheeks removed.

Removal of the cheeks and the brickwork surrounding the gas stove requires the panel above to be removed for safety purposes.

This reveals the full extent of the earlier fireplace formed of red brick and decorative interlayers of creasing tiles.

