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Application No. P.130907, 50-52 College Bounds, Aberdeen AB24 3DS. Listed Building Consent.

Application No. P.130908, 50-52 College Bounds, Aberdeen AB24 3DS. Full Planning Permission.

The Old Aberdeen Community Council wishes to object to planning applications 130907 and 130908, 'Proposed Entrance Light' on the basis that the specification of the proposed light unit is inappropriate for the location.

The function of the light is understood to be to illuminate the ramp and stairs immediately in front of the entry door.

The planning application does not adequately define the proposed unit by specifying the proposed bulb or wattage, but the OACC has obtained a copy of the manufacturer's photometric data for the proposed unit and we attach this to this email. This shows (on page 2) that the predominant light output projects outwards between an angle of 40 degrees and 90 degrees, with very little light output downwards.

The unit will do little to illuminate the doorway, but at just 4m above pavement level will serve to dazzle pedestrians walking along the road.

It is noted that the nearby pavements are well lit as there is a street lamp within a few meters both to the north-west and to the south of the property.

The OACC has no objection to an appropriate lamp in this location, but we request that the Applicant should be asked to propose a light unit that will focus lighting more appropriately and thus more sensitively for a conservation area.

On behalf of the Old Aberdeen Community Council

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