

Tree Work Specifications:

T1 Copper Beech: - Crown lift to obtain a branch height clearance above ground level of approximately 4 metres; 10% crown thin and prune back the north east side of the crown to obtain a branch clearance from the house structure of approximately 2 metres, to be affected by pruning longer branches back to a suitable lateral branch union so as to maintain a natural tree silhouette.

Reason: To abate nuisance and improve light filtration to the garden and house windows (see photo 01)

T3 Ash: - Fell to ground level.

Reason: The tree is infected with Ash Die-Back disease (*Hymenoscyphus fraxineus*) and is in decline (photo 02 & 03). Given the tree's location it is becoming an unacceptable risk.

T4 Horse Chestnut: - Crown lift to obtain a branch height clearance above ground level of approximately 5 metres.

Reason: Abate the nuisance of low branches in order to make better use of the small garden and improve light filtration.