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TOWN & COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 – TREE PRESERVATION ORDER 2005 NO. 441
DERBY CITY COUNCIL SINFIN CENTRAL BUSINESS PARK, SINFIN LANE, DERBY

My client's concern is that Poplars are an extremely evasive tree with little arboricultural significance and are prone to disease, which rots them from the inside. The Tree Preservation Order now means that we need to comply with it to carry out routine inspections of the Poplars on site to ensure that they are not dangerous.

Our initial intention was to remove the Poplars and to replant with a much more aesthetically pleasing tree selection. However, when we approached you on this matter a Tree Preservation Order was immediately slapped on my client.

It is therefore extremely difficult for our clients to believe your comments in your penultimate paragraph that you would be happy to discuss the future management of the trees.

Yours faithfully



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