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Hi Claire,

Hope you're well.

Thank you for seeking the views of Design for Security on the above application. Having reviewed the documents submitted, I have the following comments.

- Care should be taken to ensure that any new panels are fixed securely to the posts (preventing tampering/removal) and that any level changes do not inadvertently facilitate climbing or leave large gaps underneath the panels/gates.
- The gap at the bottom of any gates should be small enough to stop anyone crawling through.
- There should be no centrally located horizontal bars to aid climbing into the site. Any gates and fencing should be located away from other climbing aids, such as lighting columns.
- Exposed hinges and large sliding bolt apertures/locking points should be avoided or fitted with shrouding/protective plates to avoid the creation of footholds.
- The gates should be closed and locked when not in use.
- It is highly recommended that the condition of boundaries along the perimeter of the site is regularly inspected for signs of damage/attack and is repaired immediately if any incidents are experienced.
- Any low boundaries that adjoin high boundaries should have transition panels/sections to prevent the low boundary being used as a climbing aid over the higher.
- Care should be taken to ensure any boundary formed by a combination of low walls and fencing panel should have the panels fixed flush with the outer skin of the brickwork below, leaving no steps/gaps that would provide a climbing aid.

Best regards,

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