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Hello Alex

No problem, thanks for sending the photographs through.

I've had a look at them and the plans and I can't see any potential issues for ecology.

Regarding the required biodiversity enhancement, it's all single storey works so installing an integrated swift brick or bat brick at ground floor level would not be feasible. However, there are several species which can nest at a lower height e.g. several tit species and wrens, so therefore an integrated bird box/brick suitable for these species could be installed as high up as possible, in a less disturbed location, on the western or northern elevation. For guidance, the hole diameter should be 28-34mm. These boxes are available for rendered walls. Alternatively, an integrated bee brick could be installed on the new southern (although space appears limited here) or western elevation.

Let me know if you need any further information.

Thanks
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