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Objection to high-definition cameras.

I object to the installation of the cameras on Stoke Lodge Playing fields.

Cotham School with collaboration from parts of Bristol City Council have vandalised Stoke Lodge Playing Field by erecting a fence. This was done very quickly after the ruling with NO compromise. This has set the tone for the relationship between the school and the local residents.

Representatives from Cotham School lie and bully. A recent press statement claiming that there had been 'extensive damage' to the fence and that 'large sections' near the Cheyne Road entrance had been 'deliberately destroyed in a manner that prevents repair or reuse' and would cost 'thousands of pounds' to repair. The reality is that one panel is missing at the bottom of the field, and another one panel at the top end. The panels cost around £40 each. [REDACTED] (Cotham's Chair of Governors) has personally published a claim that there are 16 gaps in the fence and you can all see for yourselves that this is simply not true.

Thus, Cotham School keep up a barrage of untruths and lies.



The plan above shows the location of the cameras. I strongly object. These will be high-definition cameras, which will be able to view beyond the boundary of the field. Furthermore, anyone walking on the field will be photographed which will infringe their civil liberties.

Why are the cameras needed? Before the fence went up there was NO need for the surveillance.

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I do not want to make an oral submission.