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To: NATIONALCASEWORK <NATIONALCASEWORK@dft.gov.uk>
Subject: Princes Parade (Reference NATTRAN/SE/S247/3254)

Dear Sirs

I write regarding the proposed closure of Princes Parade.

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I object strongly to this because this road gives access to the beach and the scenes of the sea.

I have on many occasions driven guests and local elderly people along here which they enjoy so much. To be able to sit in the car (open the window) and look directly at the sea or get out of the car and immediately sit on the promenade has been so enjoyable, it would be a great loss to the quality of life if this was lost.

This is a lovely drive, a historic road and has been in place for many years. The loss of access to cars would restrict families and older people from easy access to the beach and the lovely promenade with sea views.

I also think that the peaceful, sheltered canal should be preserved for others who enjoy this area without the noise from a road close by. (And diversion is not necessary for the development to go ahead).

Finally, I believe it serves a useful additional route for traffic at busy times when busses etc travel along the A259 from Hythe to Folkestone.

Please do not continue with the plans for loss of Princes Parade.

Yours faithfully,

Ruth Whitaker

(Hythe resident)