The Camden (Torrington Place to Tavistock Square) (Prescribed Routes, Waiting and Loading Restrictions and Loading Places) Traffic Order [2017]

PLANNING INSPECTORATE REFERENCE: DPI/X5210/17/8

Proof of Evidence - Camden Cycling Campaign Witness: R. Matthew Chico

## **R. Matthew Chico** 102 College Place, Flat A London, NW1 0DJ

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To whom it may concern:

I am writing to express my strong support for the dedicated single-direction cycling lanes that have been established on a trial basis along Tavistock Place. I commute daily using my cargo bike (see photos) from my residence (NW1 0DJ) to the London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine (WC1E 7HT). In the mornings, I take my six- and ten-year old boys to Argyle Primary School (WC1H 9EG) and collect them at day's end at Coram's Fields (WC1N 1DN). My older boy pedals his own bike whilst the younger one rides in the cabin of the cargo bike. Please see the photos below.

The dedicated single-direction cycling lanes have made our daily commute vastly safer, for ourselves, other cyclists, and the cars using Tavistock Place. I sincerely hope that Camden will continue to support the dedicated single-direction cycling lanes and, better still, transform Tavistock Place into a closed thoroughfare for use by pedestrians and cyclists.

With kind regards,

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