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Historic Buildings and Conservation Areas

Conservation & Design Organisations

English Heritage - aim to increase the understanding of the past, conserve and enhance the historic environment and broaden access and appreciation of our heritage.

South West Region, 29 Queen Square,
Bristol, BS1 4ND
Tel: 0117 975 0700

www.english-heritage.org.uk
E-mail: customers@english-heritage.org.uk

Historic Scotland – Historic Scotland is an Agency within the Scottish Executive Education Department and is directly responsible to Scottish Ministers for safeguarding the nations built heritage, and promoting its understanding and enjoyment.

Longmore House, Salisbury Place,
Edinburgh, EH9 1SH
Tel: 0131 668 8600

www.historic-scotland.gov.uk

ICOMOS – International Council on Monuments and Sites: an international non-governmental organisation of professionals, dedicated to the conservation of the world's historic monuments and sites.

49-51 Rue de la Fédération, 75015, Paris
Tel: +33 (0)1.45.67.67.70

www.icomos.org
E-mail: secretariat@icomos.org

IHBC - Institute of Historic Building Conservation: the professional institute which represents conservation professionals in the public and private sectors in the United Kingdom and Ireland. It has nearly 1400 members, divided between 15 branches. The Institute exists to establish the highest standards of conservation practice to support the effective protection and enhancement of the historic environment.

3 Stafford Road, Tunbridge Wells, Kent,
TN2 4QZ

www.ihbc.org.uk
E-mail: southwest@ihbc.org.uk

Images of England – Images of England is building a digital library of photographs of England's 370,000 Listed Buildings.

National Monuments Record Centre,
Kemble Drive, Swindon, SN2 2GZ
Tel: 01793 414643

www.imagesofengland.org.uk

National Trust – A registered charity founded in 1895, acting as a guardian for the nation in the acquisition and protection of threatened coastline, countryside and buildings. They care for over 248,000 hectares of beautiful countryside in England, Wales and Northern Ireland, plus almost 600 miles of coastline and more than 200 buildings and gardens of outstanding interest and importance. Most of these properties are held in perpetuity and so their future protection is secure.

36 Queen Anne's Gate, London, SW1H 9AS
Tel: 0870 609 5380

www.nationaltrust.org.uk
E-mail: enquiries@thenationaltrust.org.uk

RIBA – Royal Institute of British Architects: a member organisation whose mission is - to advance architecture by demonstrating benefit to society and promoting excellence in the profession.

66 Portland Place, London W1B 1AD Tel:
020 7580 5533

www.architecture.com
E-mail: info@inst.riba.org

RTPI – Royal Town Planning Institute
The RTPI exists to advance the science and art of town planning for the benefit of the public. The RTPI is a membership organisation, and a registered charity.

41 Botolph Lane, London, EC3R 8DL.
Tel: 020 7929 9494

www.rtpi.org.uk
E-mail: online@rtpi.org.uk

SAVE Britain's Heritage – Campaigning for threatened historic buildings - the first place to look for buildings to restore.

70 Cowcross Street, London, EC1M 6EJ
Tel: 020 7253 3500

www.savebritainsheritage.org
E-mail: save@btinternet.com

CABE - Commission for Architecture and the Built Environment: CABE aims to help improve people's lives through better buildings, spaces and places. They promote high standards in design and offer help and advice on the built environment.

The Tower Building, 11 York Road, London,
SE1 7NX
Tel: 020 7960 2400

www.cabe.org.uk
E-mail: enquiries@cabe.org.uk

DCMS – Department of Culture, Media and Sport: The Department for Culture, Media and Sport aims to improve the quality of life for all through cultural and sporting activities and through the strengthening of the creative industries. The heritage, libraries and museums section of the are responsible for conserving great historic collections, museum policy, promote and deliver the library service and the statutory list of buildings of special architectural or historic interest.

2-4 Cockspur Street, London, SW1Y 5DH
Tel: 020 7211 6200

www.culture.gov.uk
E-mail: enquiries@culture.gov.uk

SPAB - Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings: the largest, oldest and most technically expert national pressure group fighting to save old buildings from decay, demolition and damage. They advise, educate, campaign and offer help, they have produced a wide range of publications and encourage excellence in new design to enrich and complement the historic environment.

37 Spital Square, London, E1 6DY
Tel: 020 7377 1644

www.spab.org.uk
E-mail: info@spab.org.uk

The Architectural Heritage Fund - helps to repair and regenerate historic buildings by helping voluntary and community groups, with grants, low-interest loans, and advice. They have been involved in many hundreds of projects of all kinds throughout the United Kingdom.

Clareville House, 26/27 Oxendon Street,
London, SW1Y 4EL
Tel: 020 7925 0199

www.ahfund.org.uk
E-mail: ahf@ahfund.org.uk

The Civic Trust – promotes progressive improvements in the quality of urban life for communities throughout the United Kingdom. It is Britain's leading charity devoted to enhancing the quality of life in Britain's cities, towns and villages.

17 Carlton House Terrace, London,
SW1Y 5AW
Tel 020 7930 0914

Web Site: www.civictrust.org.uk

The Georgian Group – save, give advice and encourage the appropriate repair of Georgian buildings, monuments, parks and gardens. They produce publications and have a set of 14 advisory leaflets.

6 Fitzroy Square, London, W1P 6DX Tel:
020 7529 8920

www.georgiangroup.org.uk
Email: info@georgiangroup.org.uk

The Victorian Society – the national society responsible for the study and protection of Victorian and Edwardian architecture and other art, founded in 1958. They have a series of booklets on Victorian and Edwardian houses.

1 Priory Gardens, Bedford Park, London
W4 1TT
Tel: 020 8994 1019

www.victorian-society.org.uk
E-mail: admin@victorian-society.org.uk

UNESCO - United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation - established in November 1945. It has its headquarters in Paris and 73 field offices and units in different parts of the world.

7, Place de Fontenoy, 75352 Paris
Tel: 33 14568 1000

Web Site: www.unesco.org

Ancient Monuments Society - The Ancient Monuments Society was founded in 1924 for the study and conservation of ancient monuments, historic buildings and fine old craftsmanship. They are recognised as one of the National Amenity Societies, and as such are informed of any application for listed building consent in England and Wales involving demolition.

St Ann's Vestry Hall, 2 Church Entry,
London, EC4V 5HB

www.ancientmonumentsociety.org.uk
Email: office@ancientmonumentsociety.org.uk

Building Conservation – An online information centre for the conservation and restoration of historic buildings, churches and garden landscapes. Designed and maintained by Cathedral Communications Limited.

High Street, Tisbury, Wiltshire, SP3
6HA

Tel: 01747 871717

www.buildingconservation.com
E-mail: bcd@cathcomm.demon.co.uk

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