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Dear Sir,

On High Hedges I would make the following that should be included in this bill which I understand, at the moment is not included.

1. The Right to Light Act.
2. The spacing between trees act. There is an Oak tree in the garden behind us, according to the rules it is too near the houses and too high. They say the tree should only be the height of the eaves of the houses, it also blocks out the light and sun. There is also two Fur trees that according to a tree expert are unstable and should be cut down to hedge height, also there is a mixture of a fruit tree bushes cut at a gauge of about 10/12 feet at level of fence. We have spoke to the owner but all he did was to have more. Where these two unstable tress are they block out the light also if they come down two garages would be wrecked, I therefore [think] this bill should include single trees and bushes of all types cut.

The Right to Light Act 1961 – I got a copy of this and found it very complicated and inconclusive to act upon. It should be simplified and easy to implement. Also an A.S.B.O should be included in this bill as in the U.K.

Yours faithfully

G. Thompson (Mr)

P.S. When will this bill come into force?