

**Root Protection Area: RPA**

THE ROOT PROTECTION AREA (RPA) INDICATES THE LIKELY ROOTING ZONE OF A TREE. THE RPA SHOULD IDEALLY REMAIN UNDISTURBED IF A TREE IS TO BE RETAINED.

THE DEVELOPMENT PROPOSALS SHOULD THEREFORE BE DESIGNED TO AVOID THE RPA OF ANY TREE WHICH IS TO BE RETAINED.

IF IT IS NECESSARY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT TO ENCROACH INTO THE RPA OF A TREE WHICH IS TO BE RETAINED THEN SPECIALIST CONSTRUCTION TECHNIQUES AND MATERIALS MUST BE CONSIDERED.



**Appendix 6-A:  
Tree Constraints Plan**

Kirk Mill, Malt Kiln Brow, Chipping,  
Near Clitheroe, Lancashire.  
JCA Ref: 10683-AJJB.

SCALE: 1:1000 PAPER SIZE: A2

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**RETENTION CATEGORIES**

- CATEGORY A: 'THE INTENTION MOST DESIRABLE'
- CATEGORY B: 'RETENTION DESIRABLE'
- CATEGORY C: 'TREE WHICH COULD BE RETAINED'
- CATEGORY U: 'TREES FOR REMOVAL'
- ROOT PROTECTION AREA
- CENTRE OF TREE'S RPA
- CENTRE OF TREE'S RPA TO BE REMOVED

