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LEGEND	
Category A (Tree stem and canopy spread)	
Category B	
Category C	
Category U	
Root Protection Area	
Existing Layout	
Site Boundary	

NOTES
Purpose of Tree Survey
The tree survey has been carried out in accordance with BS5837:2012
Trees for design, demolition and Construction Recommendations
The purpose is to evaluate the constraints and opportunities posed by trees and hedgerows, to help the design team prepare a layout that is sympathetic to the existing canopy cover and within influencing distance of the site.
Caveats
The hedge/edge position place reliance on topographical survey. The position of trees and hedgerows not recorded on the topographical survey remains indicative.
Scale
Site plan drawing purposes only
Plan should be read in colour and in conjunction with accompanying Tree Schedule.
BS5837 Retention Categories
The purpose of this classification method is to identify the quality and value (in a non-financial sense) of the existing tree stock, allowing informed decisions to be made on which trees should be removed or retained in the event of development.
Category A
Trees of high arboricultural quality and value in such condition to make significant contribution for a minimum of 20 years.
Category B
Trees of moderate arboricultural quality and value in such condition to make significant contribution for a minimum of 40 years.
Category C
Trees of low arboricultural quality and value in such condition to make significant contribution for a minimum of 10 years, or trees with a stem diameter less than 100mm.
Category U
Trees in poor physiological or structural condition that cannot reasonably be retained in the context of current use and for longer than 10 years.

DATE	DETAILS OF CHANGE	BY	VERSION
28.01.25	Original tree/hedgerow survey	RC	v1

Tree Constraints Plan	
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CLIENT	South Dublin County Council
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