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**Dear Residents** 

## Peterchurch House - Fire Alarm - 19<sup>th</sup> November 2017 at 6.32pm

Yesterday evening we had to evacuate Peterchurch House.

The evacuation was commenced when a Fire Warden heard the individual alarm going off in one of the flats. There was no one in the flat at the time, and so as an alarm was going off we had no option but to start the evacuation and call the Fire Brigade. The Fire Brigade arrived quickly and gained access to flat and advised us that unattended cooking had filled the property with smoke. The Fire Brigade then allowed everyone back into the block.

The Fire Brigade have asked me to advise all residents not to leave any cooking unattended whilst you are out of your home; and if the alarms go off and your block needs to be evacuated, please remember to turn off your cooker if you are in the middle of preparing a meal.

We had no option but to evacuate the building in line with the procedure we have agreed with the London Fire Brigade. So to stop any incident like this happening in future, please can you ensure that cooking is never left unattended in your home?

Yours faithfully

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