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Dear Sir/Madam

## **DECISION**

Town and Country Planning Act 1990

### **Certificate of Lawfulness (Existing) Granted**

The Council hereby certifies that on the 28 April 2023 the use described in the First Schedule below in respect of the land specified in the Second Schedule below, was lawful within the meaning of Section 191 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 as amended.

#### First Schedule:

Commencement of development in accordance with condition 1 of planning permission reference 2018/3105/P, dated 12/03/2020 (for: Partial demolition and erection of extensions and rooftop plant; change of use of ground floor to provide 2 retail units and the remainder in office use; associated external alterations to elevations; provision of cycle parking, waste/recycling storage and other services)

Drawing Nos: Site location plan; Covering letter, dated 31/03/2023 (Gerald Eve); 8x photographs, all dated 9 March 2023

#### Second Schedule:

**Lincoln House**  
**296-302 High Holborn**  
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#### Reason for the Decision:

- 1 It is considered that the works completed on site constitute development and were begun within three years of the date of the planning permission reference

2018/3105/P dated 12/03/2020, and therefore are lawful.

In dealing with the application, the Council has sought to work with the applicant in a positive and proactive way in accordance with paragraph 38 of the National Planning Policy Framework 2021.

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<http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/guidance/guidancecontent>

Yours faithfully



Daniel Pope  
Chief Planning Officer

#### Notes

1. This certificate is issued solely for the purpose of Section 191 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended).
2. It certifies that the use\*/operations\*/matter\* specified in the First Schedule taking place on the land described in the Second Schedule was\*/would have been\* lawful on the specified date and thus, was not\*/would not have been\* liable to enforcement action under Section 172 of the 1990 Act on that date.
3. This Certificate applies only to the extent of the use\*/operations\*/matter\* described in the First Schedule and to the land specified in the Second Schedule and identified on the attached plan. Any use\*/operations\*/matter\* which is materially different from that described or which relates to other land may render the owner or occupier liable to enforcement action.
4. The effect of the Certificate is also qualified by the provision in Section 192(4) of the 1990 Act, as amended, which states that the lawfulness of a described use or operation is only conclusively presumed where there has been no material change, before the use is instituted or the operations begun, in any of the matters relevant to determining such lawfulness.