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Dear Sir/Madam

#### DECISION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

# **Full Planning Permission Refused**

#### Address:

High Holborn House and Caroline House 52-54 & 55-57 High Holborn London WC1V 6RL

### Proposal:

Replacement of ground floor level shopfronts and entrance doors on High Holborn, Brownlow Street and Bedford Row elevations with dark bronze, metal framed, bay shopfront windows and doors.

Drawing Nos: (i156\_)S-01 rev P1, EX-00 rev P1, GA-00 rev P1, GS-00 rev P1, GS-01 rev P1, GS-02 rev P1; Revised drawings received 24/01/2023 - (i156\_)EE-01, EE-02, GE-01 rev P1, GE-02 rev P1; Design and Access Statement from Buckley Gray Yeoman dated 16/08/2022.

The Council has considered your application and decided to **refuse** planning permission for the following reason(s):

# Reason(s) for Refusal

The shopfront and entrance door alterations, by reason of their detailed design, form, size, material, colour and location would have a detrimental impact on the character and appearance of the host buildings, the visual interest, quality and vitality of the frontages and streetscenes, the Bloomsbury Conservation Area, and the settings of any nearby listed buildings, contrary to policies D1 (Design), D2

(Heritage) and D3 (Shopfronts) of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

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.

You can find advice about your rights of appeal at:

https://www.gov.uk/appeal-planning-decision.

If you submit an appeal against this decision you are now eligible to use the new *submission form* (Before you start - Appeal a planning decision - GOV.UK).

Yours faithfully

Daniel Pope

**Chief Planning Officer**