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Dear Sir/Madam

DECISION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Full Planning Permission Granted

Address:

Bentham House
4-8 Endsleigh Gardens
London
WC1H 0EG

Proposal:

Installation of intercom system to the ground floor front entrance and associated works.

Drawing Nos: Site Location Plan 056-SLP01, ALP-BENTHAM-VR-001 Rev A, Planning Report (UCL Estates and Alpine Works 14th July 2023), Design and Access Statement, Heritage Assessment

The Council has considered your application and decided to grant permission subject to the following conditions:

Conditions and Reasons:

- 1 The development hereby permitted must be begun not later than the end of three years from the date of this permission.

Reason: In order to comply with the provisions of Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended).

- 2 The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the

following approved plans:

Site Location Plan 056-SLP01, ALP-BENTHAM-VR-001 Rev A, Planning Report (UCL Estates and Alpine Works 14th July 2023), Design and Access Statement, Heritage Assessment

Reason: For the avoidance of doubt and in the interest of proper planning.

- 3 All new external work shall be carried out in materials that resemble, as closely as possible, in colour and texture those of the existing building, unless otherwise specified in the approved application.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance of the premises and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policies D1 and D2 of the London Borough of Camden Local Plan 2017.

Informatives:

- 1 Reasons for granting permission.

Planning permission is sought for the installation of an intercom panel located at ground floor on the front elevation of Bentham House, which is a Grade II listed property located within the Bloomsbury Conservation Area.

The panel would be located adjacent to the main entrance doors and would measure 174mm by 326mm and would project from the elevation by 47mm and the design would feature UCL branding. Given the scale, design and location of the intercom, it would not detract from the overall appearance of the elevation of the building.

As such, special regard has been attached to the desirability of preserving or enhancing the listed building, its setting and its features of special architectural or historic interest and the character and appearance of the Bloomsbury Conservation Area, under s.66 and s.72 of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 as amended.

The proposal is not considered to cause any adverse impacts on the amenity of adjoining residential occupiers. The intercom would improve safety and security when accessing the building.

No objections have been received prior to making this decision. The planning history of the site has been taken into account when coming to this decision.

As such, the proposed development is in general accordance with policies A1, C5, D1 and D2 of the Camden Local Plan 2017. The proposed development also accords with the London Plan 2021 and the National Planning Policy Framework 2023.

- 2 Your proposals may be subject to control under the Building Regulations and/or the London Buildings Acts that cover aspects including fire and emergency escape, access and facilities for people with disabilities and sound

insulation between dwellings. You are advised to consult the Council's Building Control Service, Camden Town Hall, Judd St, Kings Cross, London NW1 2QS (tel: 020-7974 6941).

- 3 This approval does not authorise the use of the public highway. Any requirement to use the public highway, such as for hoardings, temporary road closures and suspension of parking bays, will be subject to approval of relevant licence from the Council's Streetworks Authorisations & Compliance Team, 5 Pancras Square c/o Town Hall, Judd Street London WC1H 9JE (Tel. No 020 7974 4444). Licences and authorisations need to be sought in advance of proposed works. Where development is subject to a Construction Management Plan (through a requirement in a S106 agreement), no licence or authorisation will be granted until the Construction Management Plan is approved by the Council.
- 4 All works should be conducted in accordance with the Camden Minimum Requirements - a copy is available on the Council's website (search for 'Camden Minimum Requirements' at www.camden.gov.uk) or contact the Council's Noise and Licensing Enforcement Team, 5 Pancras Square c/o Town Hall, Judd Street London WC1H 9JE (Tel. No. 020 7974 4444)

Noise from demolition and construction works is subject to control under the Control of Pollution Act 1974. You must carry out any building works that can be heard at the boundary of the site only between 08.00 and 18.00 hours Monday to Friday and 08.00 to 13.00 on Saturday and not at all on Sundays and Public Holidays. You must secure the approval of the Council's Noise and Licensing Enforcement Team prior to undertaking such activities outside these hours.

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



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Chief Planning Officer