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Application Ref: **2011/4213/P**Please ask for: **Gavin Sexton**Telephone: 020 7974 **3231** 

4 April 2012

Dear Sir/Madam

Mr Matthias Hamm

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SpaceAgent Architects Ltd.

52 Great Eastern Street

#### **DECISION**

Town and Country Planning Acts 1990 (as amended)
Town and Country Planning (General Development Procedure) Order 1995
Town and Country Planning (Applications) Regulations 1988

London

## Full Planning Permission Granted Subject to a Section 106 Legal Agreement

Address:

158 A Mill Lane London NW6 1TF

# Proposal:

Erection of a five storey plus basement building comprising of 6 residential units (1 x 1 bedroom flats, 4 x 2 bedroom and 1 x 3 bedroom) (Class C3) with a single off street parking space, front and rear roof terraces and balconies and photovoltaic panels to the roof at fourth floor level following the demolition of existing artists studio (Sui Generis).

Drawing Nos: Planning energy statement by Leema Technologies Ltd Rev A dated 14th December 2011; Code for Sustainable Homes Design stage Report by Leema technologies undated ref 004037-111025-1275; Groundwater Impact Assessment by Chord Environmental Ltd dated Nov 2011; Technical note by Elliottwood on SUDs feasibility dated 24 October 2011; Ground/slope stability screening assessment by RSK dated Nov 2011; Preliminary Structural Engineering report by Elliottwood revision P1 dated Nov 2011; Arboricultural report by Crown Consultants dated 21 Nov 2011; Lifetimes Homes Statement by SpaceAgent dated 06.09.2011; Flood risk and surface water assessment by Elliottwood revision P1; Site location plan; MIL\_E02a, \_E07b, \_E08b, \_E09b, \_P01u, \_P02u, \_P03u, \_P04u, \_P05u, \_P06u, \_P07u, \_P08u, \_P09u, \_P10u2, \_P11u2;



The Council has considered your application and decided to grant permission subject to the following condition(s):

### Condition(s) and Reason(s):

- 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 Detailed drawings, or samples of materials as appropriate, in respect of the following, shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Council before the relevant part of the work is begun:
  - a) Typical details of balconies with balustrades and solar panels at a scale of 1:20, including materials and finish.
  - b) Plan, elevation and section drawings of typical external doors, windows and juliet balconies, at a scale of 1:20, including materials and finish
  - c) A Sample panel of the facing brickwork demonstrating the proposed colour, texture, face-bond and pointing shall be provided and retained on site during the course of the works.
  - d) A sample of the external roof surfaces (excluding brown roof elements)

The relevant part of the works shall not be carried out otherwise than in accordance with the details thus approved.

Reason: To safeguard the appearance of the premises and the character of the immediate area in accordance with the requirements of policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP24 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

Prior to the commencement of use of the rear third roof terrace to Flat F, a 1.8 metre high screen, details of which shall have been submitted to and approved by the Council, shall be erected on the East side of the terrace and shall be permanently retained and maintained thereafter.

Reason: In order to prevent unreasonable overlooking of neighbouring premises in accordance with the requirements of policy CS5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP26 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

4 No development shall take place until full details of hard and soft landscaping and

means of enclosure of all un-built, open areas have been submitted to and approved by the Council. Such details shall include details of any proposed earthworks including grading, mounding and other changes in ground levels. The relevant part of the works shall not be carried out otherwise than in accordance with the details thus approved.

Reason: To enable the Council to ensure a reasonable standard of visual amenity in the scheme in accordance with the requirements of policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP24 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

All hard and soft landscaping works shall be carried out to a reasonable standard in accordance with the approved landscape details by not later than the end of the planting season following completion of the development or any phase of the development. Any trees or areas of planting which, within a period of 5 years from the completion of the development, die, are removed or become seriously damaged or diseased, shall be replaced as soon as is reasonably possible and, in any case, by not later than the end of the following planting season, with others of similar size and species, unless the Council gives written consent to any variation.

Reason: To ensure that the landscaping is carried out within a reasonable period and to maintain a satisfactory standard of visual amenity in the scheme in accordance with the requirements of policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP24 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

Noise levels at a point 1 metre external to sensitive facades shall be at least 5dB(A) less than the existing background measurement (LA90), expressed in dB(A) when all plant/equipment (or any part of it) is in operation unless the plant/equipment hereby permitted will have a noise that has a distinguishable, discrete continuous note (whine, hiss, screech, hum) and/or if there are distinct impulses (bangs, clicks, clatters, thumps), then the noise levels from that piece of plant/equipment at any sensitive facade shall be at least 10dB(A) below the LA90, expressed in dB(A).

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policy CS5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP26 and DP28 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

Prior to first occupation of the development, the area identified on the approved ground floor plans for cycle storage area shall be fitted with secure parking for at least 7 bicycles and shall be permanently maintained and retained thereafter.

Reason: To ensure the development provides adequate cycle parking facilities in accordance with the requirements of policy CS11of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP17 of the

London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans:

Planning energy statement by Leema Technologies Ltd Rev A dated 14th December 2011; Code for Sustainable Homes Design stage Report by Leema technologies undated ref 004037-111025-1275; Groundwater Impact Assessment by Chord Environmental Ltd dated Nov 2011; Technical note by Elliottwood on SUDs feasibility dated 24 October 2011; Ground/slope stability screening assessment by RSK dated Nov 2011; Preliminary Structural Engineering report by Elliottwood revision P1 dated Nov 2011; Arboricultural report by Crown Consultants dated 21 Nov 2011; Lifetimes Homes Statement by SpaceAgent dated 06.09.2011; Flood risk and surface water assessment by Elliottwood revision P1; Site location plan; MIL\_E02a, \_E07b, \_E08b, \_E09b, \_P01u, \_P02u, \_P03u, \_P04u, \_P05u, \_P06u, \_P07u, \_P08u, \_P09u, \_P10u2, \_P11u2;

#### Reason:

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

9 Prior to first occupation of the development, the refuse storage area identified on the approved ground floor plans shall be provided and permanently maintained and retained thereafter.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of the adjoining premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policy CS5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP26 and DP28 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

The use of the premises shall not commence until a post-completion certificate of compliance and accompanying statement, prepared by an accredited assessor, demonstrating that, by reasonable endeavours, the development has achieved the target of at least Level 3 of the Code and the attainment of 50% of credits in each of the Energy, Water and Materials & Waste categories have been submitted to, and approved in writing, by the local planning authority.

Reason: To ensure a sustainable and resource efficient development in accordance with the requirements of policies CS13 and CS16 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP22, DP23 and DP32 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

11 Prior to occupation of any relevant part of the development, the applicant will have constructed and implemented the measures contained in the Energy Statement Rev A by Leema Technologies dated 14th December 2011 and such measures shall be permanently retained and maintained thereafter. The measures shall include the installation of a meter to monitor the energy output from the approved renewable energy systems.

Reason: In order to secure the appropriate energy and resource efficiency measures and on-site renewable energy generation in accordance with policies CS13 and CS16 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP22, DP23 and DP32 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

- Prior to first occupation of the development a plan showing the measures incorporated to improve the biodiversity of the site shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Council. Such details to include i. bird and bat box locations and types and indication of species to be
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  - ii. drawings and manufacturers details of the brown roof including species, planting density, substrate and a section at scale 1:20 showing that adequate depth is available in terms of the construction and long term viability of the roof whilst demonstrating how it would be incorporated into the approved roof height iii. a programme for an initial scheme of maintenance of the brown roof

The measures thus identified shall be fully provided in accordance with the approved details prior to first occupation and thereafter retained and maintained in accordance with the approved scheme of maintenance.

Reason: In order to secure appropriate features to conserve and enhance wildlife habitats and biodiversity measures within the development, in accordance with the requirements of the London Plan 2011 and policy CS15 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy.

13 Prior to commencement of development details of a sustainable urban drainage system (SUDs) shall be submitted to and approved by the local planning authority and such system shall be implemented and thereafter managed and maintained in accordance with the approved details. Those details shall include i. information about the design storm period and intensity, the method employed to delay and control the surface water discharged from the site and the measures taken to prevent pollution of the receiving groundwater and/or surface waters; ii. a maintenance and management plan for the system

Reason: To reduce the rate of surface water run-off from the buildings and limit the impact on the storm-water drainage system in accordance with policies CS13 and CS16 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP22, DP23 and DP32 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

# Informative(s):

1 Reasons for granting planning permission (i/ii)

The proposed development is in general accordance with the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy with particular regard to CS1 (Distribution of growth), CS3 (Other highly accessible areas), CS5 (Managing

the impact of growth and development), CS6 (Providing quality homes), CS11 (Promoting sustainable and efficient travel), CS13 (Tackling climate change through promoting higher environmental standards), CS14 (Promoting high quality places and conserving our heritage), CS15 (Protecting and improving our parks and open spaces & encouraging biodiversity), CS16 (Improving Camden's health and well-being), CS17 (Making Camden a safer place), CS19 (Delivering and monitoring the Core Strategy) and with the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies with particular regard to DP2 (Making full use of Camden's capacity for housing), DP3 (Contributions to the supply of affordable housing), DP5 (Housing size mix), DP6 (Lifetime homes and wheelchair homes), DP17 (Walking, cycling and public transport), DP18 (Parking standards and the availability of car parking), DP19 (Managing the impact of parking), DP21 (Development connecting to the highway network), DP22 (Promoting sustainable design and construction), DP23 (Water), DP24 (Securing high quality design), DP26 (Managing the impact of development on occupiers and neighbours), DP27 (Basements and lightwells), DP28 (Noise and vibration), DP29 (Improving access) and DP32 (Air quality and Camden's Clear Zone).

2 Reasons for granting planning permission (ii/ii)

Furthermore the proposal accords with the specific policy requirements in respect of the following principle considerations:- acceptable standard of design having regard for local context; incorporation of environmentally sustainable development measures; acceptable impact on amenity of neighbours.

- You are advised that the Transport StrategyTeam should be consulted regarding the construction of the crossover on the public highway and any other work to, under, or over, the public highway, including vaults and thresholds. tel: 020-7974 3343 for further advice and information.
- 4 Your proposals may be subject to control under the Building Regulations and/or the London Buildings Acts which 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, Argyle Street WC1H 8EQ, (tel: 020-7974 2363).
- Your proposals may be subject to control under the Party Wall etc Act 1996 which covers party wall matters, boundary walls and excavations near neighbouring buildings. You are advised to consult a suitably qualified and experienced Building Engineer.
- 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 are advised to consult the Council's Compliance and Enforcement team [Regulatory Services], Camden Town Hall, Argyle Street, WC1H 8EQ (Tel. No. 020 7974 4444 or on the website http://www.camden.gov.uk/ccm/content/contacts/council-contacts/environment/contact-the-environmental-health-team.en or seek prior

- approval under Section 61 of the Act if you anticipate any difficulty in carrying out construction other than within the hours stated above.
- Your attention is drawn to the fact that there is a separate legal agreement with the Council which relates to the development for which this permission is granted. Information/drawings relating to the discharge of matters covered by the Heads of Terms of the legal agreement should be marked for the attention of the Planning Obligations Officer, Sites Team, Camden Town Hall, Argyle Street, WC1H 8EQ

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