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Dear Sir/Madam

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## 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

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

Address: 40 Hampstead Grove London **NW3 6SR** 

Proposal:

Excavation of basement including lightwells at front and rear to residential house (Class C3).

Drawing Nos: Site Location Plan; 2021; 40HG-P-10; 12; 13; 14; 15; 16; 17; 18; 19; 20; 21; 40HG-P-30; 31; 32; 33; 34; 35; 36; 37; 39; 40; 41; Basement Impact Study; Ref. 100591, 09 August 2011, Stability during construction of the basement by Conisbee, Desk Study and Ground Investigation REport J11100 August 2011.

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 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 policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP24 and DP25 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

3 The development hereby approved shall not commence until such time as a suitably qualified chartered engineer with membership of the appropriate professional body has been appointed to inspect, approve and monitor the critical elements of the demolition and both permanent and temporary basement construction works throughout their duration to ensure compliance with the design which has been checked and approved by a building control body. Evidence of the appointment shall be confirmed in writing to the Council prior to the commencement of development. Any subsequent change or reappointment shall be confirmed for the duration of the construction works.

Reason: To protect the structural stability of the host building and neighbouring buildings, in accordance with policies CS5 and CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policies DP24, DP25, DP26 and DP27 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

4 The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans [Site Location Plan; 2021; 40HG-P-10; 12; 13; 14; 15; 16; 17; 18; 19; 20; 21; 40HG-P-30; 31; 32; 33; 34; 35; 36; 37; 39; 40; 41; Basement Impact Study; Ref. 100591, 09 August 2011, Stability during construction of the basement by Conisbee, Desk Study and Ground Investigation REport J11100 August 2011]

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

Informative(s):

- 1 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).
- 2 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.

3 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.

4 Reasons for granting permission. [Delegated]

The proposed development is in general accordance with the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy, with particular regard to policies CS1 (Distribution of growth), CS5 (Managing the impact of growth and development), CS6 (Providing quality homes), CS11 (Promoting sustainable and efficient travel), CS14 (Promoting high quality places and conserving our heritage), CS15 (Open space and biodiversity),

CS19 (Delivering and monitoring the Core Strategy) and the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies, with particular regard to policies DP20 (Movement of goods and materials), DP22 (Proposals detrimental to conservation area), DP23 (Water), DP24 (Securing high quality design), DP25 (Conserving Camden's heritage), DP26 (Managing the impact of development on occupiers and neighbours), DP27 (Basements and lightwells). For a more detailed understanding of the reasons for

the granting of this planning permission, please refer to the officers report.

5 Thames Water has advised that the applicant should incorporate within the proposed development the installation of, for example, a non-return valve or other suitable device to avoid the risk of backflow at a later date, on the assumption that the sewage network may surcharge to ground level during storm conditions. Please contact: Development Planning; Asset Investment Unit; Maple Lodge; Denham Way, Rickmansworth, Herts; WD3 9SQ

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