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Application Ref: **2011/5003/P** Please ask for: **Elizabeth Beaumont** Telephone: 020 7974 **5809** 

22 February 2012

Dear Sir/Madam

Edward Landor

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Matthews & Goodman

## 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: 7 Upper St Martin's Lane LONDON WC2H 9DL

Proposal:

Change of use from offices (Class B1) at first, second, third and fourth floor level and residential (Class C3) at fifth floor level to residential (Class C3) to provide 3 x 2 bedroom and 1 x 3 bedroom self contained flats, use of the ground and basement floor as flexible Class A1/A2 use and associated works to include the reconstruction of the rear elevation wall of the northern wing with new plant platforms with balustrade, a terrace at fifth floor level, rebuilding of the roof to existing rear extension at ground floor level and alterations to the shopfront to include new residential access door.

Drawing Nos: Site location plan; 009; 010; 011; 012; 013; 014; 015; 040; 041; 070; 071; 019B; 020D; 021C; 022C; 023C; 024C; 025C; 050C; 051C; 080C; 081C; 109E; 110H; 111C; 112C; 113C; 114C; 115C; 140D; 141E; 142A; 170D; 171D; Agency Report by Matthews and Goodman dated September 2011; Ambient Noise Report, PPG24 Assessment, Façade Assessment and Plant Impact Assessment by EEC Ref JP/EC11653-006 Version 02 dated 07/12/2011; Technical Memorandum by EEC dated 13/12/2011 Ref EC11653-008; Code for Sustainable Homes Pre-Assessment Version 2 dated 30/09/2011; Structural Statement by Michael Alexander Version 1.3 IH dated



September 2011; Pre-Acquisition Structural Survey Report by Michael Alexander Version 2.2 dated September 2011 Energy Summary by Chapman Bathhurst Revision 1 dated 30/09/2011.

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 (Promoting high quality places and conserving our heritage) of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP24 (Securing high quality design) and DP25 (Conserving Camden's heritage) of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

3 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 premises and the area generally in accordance with the requirements of policies CS5 (Managing the impact of growth and development) of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP26 (Managing the impact of development on occupiers and neighbours 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 019B; 020D; 021C; 022C; 023C; 024C; 025C; 050C; 051C; 080C; 081C; 109E; 110H; 111C; 112C; 113C; 114C; 115C; 140D; 141E; 142A; 170D; 171D.

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. You are advised to consult the Council's Building Control Service, Camden Town Hall, Argyle Street WC1H 8EQ, (tel: 020-7974 2363).
- 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/councilcontacts/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
- 3 You are reminded that filled refuse sacks shall not be deposited on the public footpath, or forecourt area until within half an hour of usual collection times. For further information please contact the Council's Environment Services (Rubbish Collection) on 020 7974 6914/5. or on the website http://www.camden.gov.uk/ccm/content/contacts/councilcontacts/environment/contact-street-environment-services.en

construction other than within the hours stated above.

- 4 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
- 5 You are reminded of the need to provide adequate space for internal and external storage for waste and recyclables. For further information contact Council's Environment Services (Waste) on 020 7974 6914/5 or see the website http://www.camden.gov.uk/ccm/content/environment/waste-and-recycling/twocolumn/new-recycling-rubbish-and-reuse-guide.en
- 6 Reasons for granting permission.

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), CS7 (Promoting Camden's centres and shops), CS8 (Promoting a successful and inclusive Camden economy), CS9 (Achieving a successful Central London), CS11 (Promoting sustainable and efficient travel), CS13 (Tackling climate change through providing higher environmental standards), CS14 (Promoting high quality places and conserving our heritage), CS18 (Dealing with our waste and encouraging recycling), CS19 (Delivering and monitoring the Core Strategy) and the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies, with particular regard to policies DP2 (Making full use of Camden's capacity for housing), DP5 (Housing size mix), DP6 (Lifetime homes and wheelchair homes), DP12 (Supporting strong centres and managing the impact of food drink) entertainment and other town centre uses), DP13 (Employment sites and premises), DP16 (The transport implications of development), DP17 (Walking, cycling and public transport), DP18 (Parking standards and the availability of parking), DP19 (Managing the impact of parking), DP20 (Movement of goods and materials),DP21 (Development connecting to the highway network), DP22 (Promoting sustainable design and construction), DP24 (Securing high quality design), DP25 (Conserving Camden's heritage), DP26 (Managing the impact of development on occupiers and neighbours), DP28 (Noise and vibration). For a more detailed understanding of the reasons for the granting of this planning permission, please refer to the officers report.

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