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Application Ref: **2014/5462/P**
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14 October 2014

Dear Sir/Madam

DECISION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Full Planning Permission Granted

Address:

**Flat 2
6 Doughty Street
London
WC1N 2PL**

Proposal:

Installation of two rooflights and alteration to existing rooflight, replacement of rear doors and windows with double glazing, alteration to existing corridor extension and installation of new window, all to rear extension at ground floor level.

Drawing Nos: Site location plan; DOUGHTY_ L01 C; L02 A; L03 C; L04 C; L05 A; L06; L07; heritage statement.

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 policies DP24 and DP25 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

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

Site location plan; DOUGHTY_ L01 C; L02 A; L03 C; L04 C; L05 A; L06; L07; heritage statement.

Reason:

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

Informative(s):

- 1 Reasons for granting permission:

The proposed new and replacement rooflights are considered to be in scale with the roof, and appropriately detailed. Whilst the number of rooflights will increase, these are positioned below a non-habitable room window to the flat above, and are therefore not considered to cause significant harm to neighbours' amenity. The proposed slim line double glazing will be fitted into the existing frames and will therefore have no impact on the character and appearance of the conservation area as the appearance of the window will not change. The proposed alteration to the side of the rear extension is small in scale and will be undertaken in matching materials, ensuring that the appearance, character and setting of the host building is not detrimentally affected. This aspect of the proposal is positioned away from the lower ground floor flat's rear window and is therefore not considered to have a significant or harmful impact upon the amenity of this flat.

The proposal will preserve the setting and special architectural interest of the listed building and the character and appearance of the conservation area.

Due to its design and location, the proposal will not harm the amenity of any adjoining residential occupiers in terms of loss of light, outlook, enclosure or privacy.

The site's planning history was taken into account when coming to this decision. No representations were received as a result of consultation.

Special attention has been paid to the desirability of preserving or enhancing the character or appearance of the conservation area, under s.72 of the Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas Act 1990 as amended by the Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act (ERR) 2013.

As such, the proposed development is in general accordance with policies CS5 and CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy, and policies DP24, DP25 and DP26 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies. The proposed development also accords with policies 7.4, 7.6 and 7.8 of the London Plan 2011; and paragraphs 14, 17, 56-66 and 126-141 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

- 2 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 6941).

- 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.

In dealing with the application, the Council has sought to work with the applicant in a positive and proactive way in accordance with paragraphs 186 and 187 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

You can find advice about your rights of appeal at:

<http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/guidance/guidancecontent>

Yours faithfully



Ed Watson
Director of Culture & Environment

