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Application Ref: 2015/0405/L Please ask for: Nick Baxter Telephone: 020 7974 3442

12 March 2015

Dear Sir/Madam

Mr Michael Wilkinson

London WC1N 2AH

4a Mecklenburgh Street

## **DECISION**

Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Areas) Act 1990

## **Listed Building Consent Granted**

Address:

4 Mecklenburgh Street London WC1N 2AH

Proposal:

Relocation of flue in back garden (retrospective)

Drawing Nos: Design & access statement, Diagram 1, 2, 3 and 4

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

## Conditions And Reasons:

- 1 The works hereby permitted shall be begun not later than the end of three years from the date of this consent.
  - Reason: In order to comply with the provisions of Section 18 of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990.
- 2 The works hereby approved are only those specifically indicated on the drawing(s) referred to above.



Reason: In order to safeguard the special architectural and historic interest of the building in accordance with the requirements of policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP25 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

## Informative(s):

1 Reasons for granting listed building consent. [Delegated]

The proposal is to resite a gas flue at lower-ground-floor level in the side of the closet return of the grade-II-listed townhouse. Because, for safety reasons British Gas has already carried out the work, the application is retroactive. The work is minimal and the new position of the outlet is hidden from view, except from the flat's own garden. There has been no loss of or harmful impact upon historic fabric. The proposal is therefore considered to preserve the special architectural and historic interest of the listed building.

The site's planning history was taken into account when coming to this decision, and no representations were received.

Special regard has been attached to the desirability of preserving the listed building or its setting or any features of special architectural or historic interest which it possesses, under s.66 of the Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas Act 1990 as amended by the Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act (ERR) 2013.

As such, the proposal is in general accordance with policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy, and policy DP25 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies. The proposed development also accords with policy 7.8 of the London Plan 2011, and paragraphs 14, 17 and 126-141 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

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