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Application Ref: **2015/3858/P** Please ask for: **Fergus Freeney** Telephone: 020 7974 **3366** 

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Dear Sir/Madam

Mr Evan Ferguson Evan Ferguson Architect

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## DECISION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

## Full Planning Permission Granted

Address: 7-15 Camden Road London NW1 9LG

Proposal:

Alterations to shopfront at 7 Camden Road to incorporate it into neighbouring unit at 9-15 Camden Road (A1 Retail Use).

Drawing Nos: 1506.01a; 02.c; 03.c; 04.c

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 permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans: 1506.01a; 02.c; 03.c; 04.c

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

## Informative(s):

1 Reasons for granting permission.

The proposal would see two shopfronts unified to create a single shopfront. With existing fascias, glazing and doorways replaced.

The existing shopfront at 7 Camden Road contains an over large subfascia, an awning and a doorway. These would be replaced with a new single fascia which stretches across both 9-15 Camden Road to include 7 Camden Road. The existing external downlighting would remain unaltered. The existing glazing within each bay (of which there are 4) would be replaced with higher efficiency solar control glass.

The proposal is considered to be acceptable, the shopfronts do not contain any significant historical or important architectural detailing and the unification of the shopfront and signage across the entire ground floor of the building is considered to both preserve and enhance the conservation area.

The site's planning and appeal history has been taken into account when coming to this decision. No objections have been received following statutory 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 and DP25 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 2015; and paragraphs 14, 17, 56 -66, 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).

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 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

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Ed Watson Director of Culture & Environment