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Application Ref: **2016/0487/P**
Please ask for: **Charles Thuaire**
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20 May 2016

Dear Sir/Madam

DECISION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Full Planning Permission Granted

Address:
2 Southampton Row
London WC1B 4AA

Proposal: Installation of external lights for illumination of building facades on both elevations.

Drawing Nos: Design and Access Statement (undated) by Harper Downie, OS location plan, photo montage; 5130-15E, 16E; and external lighting specification 5130-SP02 revC.

The Council has considered your application and decided to grant permission subject to the following conditions:

Conditions and Reasons:

- 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 The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans- Design and Access Statement (undated) by Harper



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

Informatives:

- 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 6941).
- 2 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).
- 3 Reasons for granting permission:

The new external lighting scheme, consisting of various spotlights, LED strips and uplighters, would accentuate architectural features on both facades on all levels of this attractive building. The fittings would be small and discreetly located and barely visible on the frontages. The fittings and the associated floodlighting are considered to be subtle and appropriate to the style and character of the listed building. They are considered to enhance the character and appearance of the host building, streetscene and conservation area.

Special regard has been attached to the desirability of preserving the listed building, its setting and its features of special architectural or historic interest, and to the desirability of preserving or enhancing the character or appearance of the Conservation Area, under s.66 and s.72 of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 as amended by the Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act 2013.

The proposal is not considered to cause any adverse impacts on the amenity of adjoining residential occupiers.

No objections have been received prior to making this decision. The planning history of the site has been taken into account when coming to this decision.

As such, the proposed development is in general accordance with policies CS5

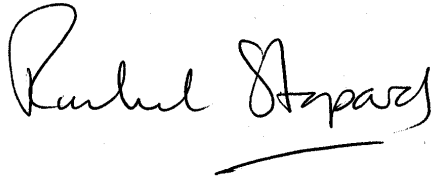
and CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy, and policies DP24, DP25 and DP26 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies. The proposed development also accords with policies 7.4, 7.6 and 7.8 of the London Plan 2015 and paragraphs 14, 17, 56-68 and 126-141 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rachel Stopard', with a horizontal line underneath.

Rachel Stopard
Director of Supporting Communities