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Application Ref: 2016/3214/A
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22 June 2016

Dear Sir/Madam

## **DECISION**

Town and Country Planning Act 1990

## **Advertisement Consent Granted**

Address:

Centre Point 101 and 103 New Oxford Street London WC1A 1DD

Proposal: Temporary display of 7 non-illuminated hoarding boards on Andrew Borde Street, New Oxford Street (right and left), Earnshaw Street (left and right), and corner of A40 and Earnsham Street (back and front) respectively from 10/06/2016 to 10/06/2018.

Drawing Nos: Detailed Individual Site Plan and Detailed Elevations of All Elevations; 10000-CPA RevP3; Cover Letter (22/06/2016).

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

## Conditions and Reasons:

1 No advertisement is to be displayed without the permission of the owner of the site or any other person with an interest in the site entitled to grant permission.

Reason: - As required by regulation 2(1) and Schedule 2 of the Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007.



- 2 No advertisement shall be sited or displayed so as to
  - (a) endanger persons using any highway, railway, waterway, dock, harbour or aerodrome (civil or military);
  - (b) obscure, or hinder the ready interpretation of any traffic sign, railway signal or aid to navigation by water or air; or
  - (c) hinder the operation of any device used for the purpose of security or surveillance or for measuring the speed of any vehicle

Reason: - As required by regulation 2(1) and Schedule 2 of the Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007.

3 Any advertisement displayed and any site used for the display of advertisements, shall be maintained in a condition that does not impair the visual amenity of the site.

Reason: - As required by regulation 2(1) and Schedule 2 of the Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007.

4 Any structure or hoarding erected or used principally for the purpose of displaying advertisements shall be maintained in a safe condition.

Reason: - As required by regulation 2(1) and Schedule 2 of the Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007.

Where an advertisement is required under these Regulations to be removed, the site shall be left in a condition that does not endanger the public or impair visual amenity.

Reason: - As required by regulation 2(1) and Schedule 2 of the Town & Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007.

The advertisement hereby permitted is for a temporary period only and shall be removed in its entirety on or before 10th June 2018.

Reason: The type of advert is not such as the Council is prepared to approve, other than for a limited period, in view of its appearance. Its permanent display would be contrary to the requirements of policy CS14 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP24 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

## Informative(s):

1 Reason for granting:

The Council would be unlikely to grant consent for such an advertisement on a permanent basis as this would harm the character and appearance of the building and streetscene. However, during construction the advertisement would shield unsightly construction works in accordance with guidance in CPG1 - Design.

Therefore, on balance, the proposal is acceptable as a temporary measure during the construction process.

The proposal would not impact on neighbouring amenity nor would it be harmful to pedestrian or vehicular safety.

The site's planning history and relevant appeal decisions were taken into account when coming to this decision.

Special attention has been paid to the desirability of preserving or enhancing the character or appearance of the conservation area and 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 and s.72 of the Planning (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, CS14 and CS17 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 2016; and paragraphs 14, 17, 56 -67, 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 in regard to your rights of appeal at: <a href="http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/guidance/guidancecontent">http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/guidance/guidancecontent</a>

Yours faithfully

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**Executive Director Supporting Communities**