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Application Ref: 2016/4099/P

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1 September 2016

Dear Sir/Madam

#### **DECISION**

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

# **Householder Application Granted**

Address:

48 Elsworthy Road London NW3 3BU

### Proposal:

Enlargement of existing window at first floor level and installation of a window at ground floor level, both on the east elevation

Drawing Nos: Site location and block plan (ref: 1001); 001; 002; 014Rev01; 101; 102; 204; Cover letter dated 21 July 2016 ref:14277/SSL/DD/11871628v1.

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

## Condition(s) and Reason(s):

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).



The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans; Site location and block plan (ref: 1001); 001; 002; 014Rev01; 101; 102; 204; Cover letter dated 21 July 2016 ref:14277/SSL/DD/11871628v1.

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

3 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.

The proposed windows on ground and 1st floors to the east elevation shall be obscure glazed and non-opening.

Reason: In order to prevent overlooking of neighbouring premises in accordance with the requirements of policy CS5 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Core Strategy and policy DP26 of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

# Informative(s):

1 Reasons for granting permission.

The proposed alterations to the east elevation to allow enlargement of 1st floor window and installation of a new window to ground floor level are considered acceptable in terms of design, size and materials. Both windows are to serve the existing stairwell. The building is currently undergoing works from various planning approvals, and the design of the proposed windows matches other existing windows and fits in with the detailed design of the building.

Therefore the proposal will preserve the character and appearance of the Elsworthy Conservation Area. 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 Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 as amended by the Enterprise and Regulatory Reform Act 2013.

Given that the windows would be frosted glass and non-opening to protect the amenity of adjacent occupier, the proposal will not cause harm to the character and appearance of the conservation area or neighbouring amenity in terms of overlooking and outlook.

The Belsize Conservation Area Advisory Committee confirmed in writing that they

have no objection to the proposal. The site's planning history was 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 Policies. The proposed development also accords with The London Plan 2016 and the National Planning Policy Framework.

- 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/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

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**Executive Director Supporting Communities** 

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