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> Application Ref: **2016/3238/P** Please ask for: **Matthias Gentet** Telephone: 020 7974 **5961**

31 October 2016

Dear Sir/Madam

DECISION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Full Planning Permission Granted

Address: Tavistock Hotel 46-55 Tavistock Square London WC1H 9EU

Proposal: Creation of an access door to front facade of the hotel to access new terrace above existing lightwell (Class C1).

Drawing Nos: [4054.] 001 Rev00, 101 RevP1, 102 RevP1, 301 RevP2 and 302 RevP2.

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: [4054.] 001 Rev00, 101 RevP1, 102 RevP1, 301 RevP2, 302 RevP2.

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 policy DP24 and DP25 if in CA of the London Borough of Camden Local Development Framework Development Policies.

Informatives:

1 Reasons for granting permission.

The proposed door would retain the design of the existing window it would replace providing access to the new terrace above an existing lightwell to the right of the main entrance to the hotel. The alterations will replicate the set up already in place on the left hand side of the hotel, and will thus provide a balance of design and purpose. The impact of the development is quite negligible.

The proposal, in terms of size, scale, design, location and materials to be used, is considered to be acceptable. It will preserve the appearance and character of the host building, and the character and appearance of the streetscene and the conservation area.

The site's planning and appeal history has been taken into account when coming to this decision. No objections were received following the statutory consultation having taken place.

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 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.

- 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).
- 3 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 Noise and Licensing Enforcement Team, 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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